THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1095 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY SABATINA, BREWSTER, YUDICHAK, FONTANA, VULAKOVICH, COSTA, DINNIMAN, BARTOLOTTA, AUMENT AND FARNESE, DECEMBER 22, 2015

REFERRED TO CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, DECEMBER 22, 2015

AN ACT

- 1 Amending the act of December 22, 1983 (P.L.306, No.84), entitled
- "An act providing for the State Board of Vehicle
- Manufacturers, Dealers and Salespersons; and providing
- 4 penalties," further providing for grounds for disciplinary
- 5 proceedings and for off-premises sales, shows, exhibitions or
- 6 rallies on Sundays.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. Section 19(10) of the act of December 22, 1983
- 10 (P.L.306, No.84), known as the Board of Vehicles Act, is amended
- 11 by adding a subparagraph to read:
- 12 Section 19. Grounds for disciplinary proceedings.
- In addition to any criminal or civil penalties otherwise
- 14 provided in this act, the board shall have the power to formally
- 15 reprimand, suspend or revoke any license or refuse to issue or
- 16 renew any license of an applicant or licensee or a person
- 17 required to be licensed under this act, if after due notice of
- 18 and hearing, the person charged is found in violation of or
- 19 fails to carry out the acts and procedures set forth in this act

1 or is found guilty of committing or attempting to commit any of

2 the acts set forth in section 23 or any of the following acts:

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4 (10) Having engaged in the buying, selling, exchanging, 5 trading or otherwise dealing in vehicles on Sunday in 6 violation of 18 Pa.C.S. § 7365 (relating to trading in motor

7 vehicles and trailers).

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- 9 (iii) Motor vehicles are permitted to be sold on

 10 Sundays by normal vehicle business dealers pursuant to

 11 section 33(5) without being subject to prosecution under
- 12 <u>this paragraph.</u>
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- 14 Section 2. Section 33 of the act, amended October 8, 2008
- 15 (P.L.1086, No.90), is amended to read:
- 16 Section 33. [Off-premise sales] <u>Sales</u>, shows, exhibitions or
- 17 rallies on Sundays.
- 18 (1) The following shall be permitted to be open on
- 19 Sundays:
- 20 (i) Off-premise vehicle sales, shows and
- 21 exhibitions.
- 22 (ii) Recreational vehicle shows, recreational
- vehicle off-premise sales, recreational vehicle
- 24 exhibitions and recreational vehicle rallies.
- 25 (2) Except as provided in paragraphs (3) [and], (4) and
- 26 (5), normal vehicle business practices shall be allowed at
- 27 off-premise sales, vehicle shows or exhibitions on Sunday
- except that no final sales contract may be consummated on a
- 29 Sunday.
- 30 (3) Normal vehicle business practices shall be allowed

- 1 at recreational vehicle shows, recreational vehicle off-
- 2 premise sales, recreational vehicle exhibitions and
- 3 recreational vehicle rallies. Recreational vehicle dealers
- 4 are permitted to consummate final sales contracts on Sundays.
- 5 (4) Manufactured housing dealers are permitted to 6 consummate final sales contracts on Sundays.
- 7 (5) Normal vehicle business dealers shall be permitted
- 8 <u>to be open Sundays for on-premise sales and shall be</u>
- 9 permitted to consummate final sales contracts on Sundays.
- 10 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.