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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in certificate of title, further providing for  
3 transfer to or from manufacturer or dealer.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 1113(a) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended and the section is amended by  
8 adding a subsection to read:

9 § 1113. Transfer to or from manufacturer or dealer.

10 (a) Transfer to manufacturer or dealer.--[When] Except as  
11 otherwise provided under subsection (a.1), when the purchaser or  
12 transferee of a vehicle is a manufacturer or registered dealer  
13 who holds the vehicle for resale, a certificate of title need  
14 not be applied for as provided for in section 1111 (relating to  
15 transfer of ownership of vehicle), but the transferee shall,  
16 within seven days from the date of assignment of the certificate  
17 of title to the manufacturer or dealer, forward to the  
18 department, upon a form prescribed and furnished by the  
19 department, notification of the acquisition of the vehicle.

1 Notification in lieu of applying for a certificate of title as  
2 authorized in this section may not be used in excess of [three]  
3 four consecutive transactions after which time an application  
4 shall be made for a certificate of title. Notwithstanding the  
5 foregoing, a transferee of a motor vehicle shall apply for a  
6 certificate of title no later than six months from the date of  
7 the assignment.

8 (a.1) Transfer of out-of-state vehicle from dealer to  
9 dealer.--Notwithstanding subsection (a), the following shall  
10 apply to a transfer of an out-of-state vehicle from a registered  
11 dealer to another registered dealer:

12 (1) Except as otherwise provided under paragraph (2), if  
13 a registered dealer holds the vehicle for sale and transfers  
14 the vehicle to another registered dealer who holds the  
15 vehicle for sale, the transferring dealer, without applying  
16 for a new certificate of title, shall execute an assignment  
17 of title to the transferee dealer in the manner and on the  
18 form that the department requires.

19 (2) If the certificate of title held by the transferring  
20 dealer does not contain an open dealer reassignment section,  
21 or has already been used to reassign the vehicle four times  
22 or more, the transferring dealer shall apply to the  
23 department for issuance of a certificate of title.

24 (3) If a certificate of title is not required to be  
25 obtained by a transferring dealer under paragraph (2), the  
26 transferee dealer must apply for a certificate of title no  
27 later than six months from the date of the assignment of the  
28 certificate of title.

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30 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 180 days.