

## CHAPTER 434—H.F.No. 2190

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## CHAPTER 435—H.F.No. 2402

*An act relating to motor vehicles; abolishing vehicle registration tax exemption for representatives of foreign powers; allowing special license plates for certain persons to be issued to owner of certain trucks; removing restriction on time to apply for disability plates; changing fee and certain administrative procedures relating to the registration program for fleet vehicles; abolishing requirements to keep records of motor vehicles not using the highways and to prepare certain unnecessary reports; defining motorized bicycles to include electric-assisted bicycles; providing for operation of electric-assisted bicycles; making various technical changes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1994, sections 65B.001, subdivision 5; 65B.43, subdivision 13; 168.011, subdivision 27; 168.021, subdivision 1; 168.12, subdivisions 2a and 2b; 168.127; 168.325, subdivision 1; 168.33, subdivision 6; 168.34; 169.01, subdivision 4a, and by adding a subdivision; 169.223, subdivisions 1 and 5; and 171.01, subdivision 20; Minnesota Statutes 1995 Supplement, sections 168.012, subdivision 1; and 168.10, subdivision 1i; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.33, subdivisions 4 and 5.*

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 65B.001, subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **MOTORCYCLE.** "Motorcycle" means a self-propelled vehicle designed to travel on fewer than four wheels that has an engine rated at greater than five horsepower, and includes a trailer with one or more wheels, when the trailer is connected to or being towed by a motorcycle. For purposes of this chapter, motorcycle includes a motorized bicycle as defined in section 169.01, subdivision 4a, but does not include an electric-assisted bicycle as defined in section 169.01, subdivision 4b.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 65B.43, subdivision 13, is amended to read:

Subd. 13. "Motorcycle" means a self-propelled vehicle designed to travel on fewer than four wheels which has an engine rated at greater than five horsepower, and includes (1) a trailer with one or more wheels, when the trailer is connected to or being towed by a motorcycle; and (2) a motorized bicycle as defined in section 169.01, subdivision 4a, but does not include an electric-assisted bicycle as defined in section 169.01, subdivision 4b.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 168.011, subdivision 27, is amended to read:

Subd. 27. **MOTORIZED BICYCLE.** "Motorized bicycle" means a bicycle that is propelled by a motor of a piston displacement capacity of 50 cubic centimeters or less, and a maximum of two brake horsepower, which is capable of a maximum speed of not more than 30 miles per hour on a flat surface with not more than one percent grade in any

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