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Senate Bill 360

Sponsor: Senator Phil Arthurhultz

Committee: Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs

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SUMMARY OF SENATE BILL 360 as introduced 4-20-89:

The bill would amend Public Act 319 of 1975, which provides for the registration and regulation of off-road vehicles (ORVs), to provide for temporary seasonal registration of ORVs for use in State parks.

The Department of State could issue such a registration to resident and nonresident owners of ORVs that were not otherwise registered with the Department. The temporary seasonal registration would be available for a fee of \$10 and would permit use of the ORV only at a State park that allowed such use. A registration decal, which would expire on December 31 of the year of issue, would have to be affixed to the ORV and would not be transferable.

Money received from the temporary seasonal registration would have to be credited as part of State park fee and concession revenues and be used for the administrative costs incurred in providing the registrations.

MCL 257.1606 and 257.1607

Legislative Analyst: P. Affholter

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have an indeterminate fiscal impact on the State and no fiscal impact on local units of government. According to the Department of State, the number of ORV title-owners who would get a temporary seasonal registration is approximately 5,000. Although cost estimates are not available at this time, revenue from the fee under this section is expected to be approximately \$50,000.

Fiscal Analyst: F. Sanchez

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