

HOUSE BILL No. 5408

March 12, 2014, Introduced by Reps. Schmidt, Irwin, Heise, Bumstead, Kivela, Pettalia, Jacobsen, Graves, Schor, Kosowski, LaVoy, Driskell and Oakes and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 33 (MCL 257.33), as amended by 2013 PA 36, and by adding section 7b.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 7B. "COMMERCIAL QUADRICYCLE" MEANS A VEHICLE THAT
2 SATISFIES ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

3 (A) THE VEHICLE HAS FULLY OPERATIVE PEDALS FOR PROPULSION
4 ENTIRELY BY HUMAN POWER.

5 (B) THE VEHICLE HAS AT LEAST 4 WHEELS AND IS OPERATED IN A
6 MANNER SIMILAR TO A BICYCLE.

7 (C) THE VEHICLE HAS AT LEAST 6 SEATS FOR PASSENGERS.

8 (D) THE VEHICLE IS DESIGNED TO BE OCCUPIED BY A DRIVER AND

1 POWERED EITHER BY PASSENGERS PROVIDING PEDAL POWER TO THE DRIVE
2 TRAIN OF THE VEHICLE OR BY A MOTOR CAPABLE OF PROPELLING THE
3 VEHICLE IN THE ABSENCE OF HUMAN POWER.

4 (E) THE VEHICLE IS USED FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES.

5 (F) THE VEHICLE IS OPERATED BY THE OWNER OF THE VEHICLE OR AN
6 EMPLOYEE OF THE OWNER OF THE VEHICLE.

7 Sec. 33. "Motor vehicle" means every vehicle that is self-
8 propelled, but for purposes of chapter 4 of this act motor vehicle
9 does not include industrial equipment such as a forklift, a front-
10 end loader, or other construction equipment that is not subject to
11 registration under this act. Motor vehicle does not include an
12 electric patrol vehicle being operated in compliance with the
13 electric patrol vehicle act, 1997 PA 55, MCL 257.1571 TO 257.1577.
14 Motor vehicle does not include an electric personal assistive
15 mobility device. Motor vehicle does not include an electric
16 carriage. **MOTOR VEHICLE DOES NOT INCLUDE A COMMERCIAL QUADRICYCLE.**

17 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
18 unless Senate Bill No. _____ or House Bill No. 5409 (request no.
19 05016'14) of the 97th Legislature is enacted into law.