

Proposed amendment to H 5588 and S 628

SECTION 1 – On Page 5, Line 10 is hereby redacted and thus amended to read as follows:

31-5.1-2 – Application of chapter.

(c) Notwithstanding any provisions of any law, rule or regulation to the contrary, a motor vehicle dealer licensed pursuant to chapter 5 of title 31 prior to January 1, 2020 and exclusively manufacturing zero-emission vehicles may buy from and sell, offer to sell, or deal to a consumer a zero-emission vehicle; provided that, the dealer owns or operates, directly or indirectly:

~~(i) No more than three (3) places of business in the state; and~~

(ii) At least one retail facility for the servicing, including warranty servicing, of zero emission vehicles sold, offered for sale, or otherwise distributed in this state. This facility shall be furnished with all the equipment required to service a zero-emission vehicle.

(d) A franchisor shall not be required to establish or operate a place of business at a retail facility for the servicing of zero emission vehicles.

Respectfully Submitted,

Leonard Lopes on behalf of Tesla Providence