



97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB1627

Introduced 2/15/2011, by Rep. Joe Sosnowski

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act
30 ILCS 805/8.35 new

Creates the American-Assembled Vehicles Act. Defines "taxing body" to mean the State of Illinois and its officers and agencies, units of local government, community college districts, and school districts. Provides that any taxing body purchasing or leasing vehicles on or after the effective date of the Act must purchase or lease vehicles whose final assembly occurred in the United States and must give preference to vehicles whose final assembly occurred in Illinois. Limits home rule powers. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

HOME RULE NOTE
ACT MAY APPLY

STATE MANDATES
ACT MAY REQUIRE
REIMBURSEMENT

1 AN ACT concerning government vehicles.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 1. Short Title. This Act may be cited as the
5 American-Assembled Vehicles Act.

6 Section 5. Definitions. In this Act:

7 "Taxing body" means the State of Illinois and its officers
8 and agencies, units of local government, community college
9 districts, and school districts.

10 Section 10. American-assembled vehicles. Each taxing body
11 purchasing or leasing vehicles on or after the effective date
12 of this Act must purchase or lease vehicles whose final
13 assembly occurred in the United States and must give preference
14 to vehicles whose final assembly occurred in Illinois.

15 Section 15. Home rule units. A home rule unit may not
16 regulate the purchase or lease of vehicles in a manner less
17 restrictive than as provided in this Act. This Section is a
18 limitation under subsection (i) of Section 6 of Article VII of
19 the Illinois Constitution on the concurrent exercise by home
20 rule units of powers and functions exercised by the State.

1 Section 95. The State Mandates Act is amended by adding
2 Section 8.35 as follows:

3 (30 ILCS 805/8.35 new)

4 Sec. 8.35. Exempt mandate. Notwithstanding Sections 6 and 8
5 of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required for the
6 implementation of any mandate created by the
7 American-Assembled Vehicles Act.

8 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
9 becoming law.