

**SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS**

**SB 497**

**2022 Regular Session**

**Cloud**

**KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE**

MOTOR VEHICLES. Restricts certain alterations of motor vehicles

**SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL**

1. Change trigger of prohibition from wheel well measurements to fender measurements.
2. Restrict application to vehicles with no payload and not trailer attached.

**DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE**

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Proposed law prohibits the operation a motor vehicle upon any highway if, by alteration of the suspension, frame, or chassis, the height of the front fender is six or more inches greater than the height of the rear fender.

Proposed law provides that the height of the fender shall be a vertical measurement from and perpendicular to the ground, through the centerline of the wheel, and to the bottom of the fender.

Proposed law that the prohibition shall only apply to vehicles with no payload or no trailer attached.

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(Adds R.S. 32:381.1)

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