

Regular Session, 2012

HOUSE BILL NO. 1189 (Substitute for House Bill No. 892 by Representative Hodges)

BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES

INSURANCE: Provides for car carrier insurance requirements

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 32:1717(D), relative to motor vehicles; to provide that certain operators of car
3 carriers are not required to have certain license plates or insurance; and to provide
4 for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 32:1717(D) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

7 §1717. Qualifications of licensee; proof of financial responsibility in lieu of
8 insurance

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10 D. Car carrier companies who transport less than five motor vehicles and do
11 not store or hold motor vehicles shall be licensed as tow trucks upon application and
12 submission of an affidavit to the Department of Public Safety and Corrections,
13 stating that the company does not store or hold motor vehicles and does not carry
14 garage keeper's legal liability or garage liability insurance. These companies shall
15 receive a "car carrier" endorsement on their required motor vehicle registration. This
16 does not exclude the car carrier company from any other regulations as set by
17 Louisiana Towing and Storage Act.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Exempts car carrier companies from certain insurance requirements.

Proposed law adds that car carriers that are capable of carrying less than five motor vehicles shall be licensed as tow trucks upon their submission of an affidavit to DPS&C stating that they do not store motor vehicles.

(Adds R.S. 32:1717(D))