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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1012

TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SCRAP METAL DEALERS; AND TO REQUIRE BUYERS OF
USED CATALYTIC CONVERTERS TO MAINTAIN RECORDS.

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 1012

Amend House Bill No. 1012 as engrossed H3/30/21 (version: 03/30/2021 10:24:04 AM):

Delete Representative Beck as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "converter:" and substitute "converter other than a scrap metal recycler:"

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Page 2, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"by scrap metal recyclers.

(e)(1) A buyer of a used catalytic converter other than a scrap metal recycler must be registered with the county sheriff.

(2) The initial registration fee under this subsection is two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) and may be renewed annually for twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

(3)(A) The registration fee shall be payable to the county sheriff of the county in which the buyer of a used catalytic converter has a fixed physical location.

(B) The registration fee shall be used for the county sheriff's general operating expenses.

(4) Before a registration is issued under this subsection, a person operating as a buyer of used catalytic converters shall have a fixed physical location with the utilities necessary to operate as a buyer of used catalytic converters.

(5) A buyer of used catalytic converters shall have the ability to comply with online reporting as required by this section.

(6) Registration under this subsection may be suspended or revoked by a court having jurisdiction if the prosecuting attorney shows in a



civil action that the buyer of used catalytic converters has failed to comply with the requirements of this section.

(f)(1) A buyer of used catalytic converters who fails to file a daily electronic record of a catalytic convertor purchase required by this section is subject to the civil penalty under § 17-44-106(a) for the first offense.

(2) A second violation of the daily reporting requirement of this section is a Class A misdemeanor.

(3) A third or subsequent violation is a Class D felony."

The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative Rye

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