

Department of Finance and Administration

Legislative Impact Statement

Bill: SB365

Amendment Number: S3

Bill Subtitle: TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING AUTOCYCLES; AND TO INCLUDE AUTOCYCLES THAT OPERATE ON MOTOR FUEL.

Basic Change :

Sponsors: Senators Sample and Standridge

Amendment 3 (engrossed 3/2/2017) makes a minor change in the bill to remove the definition of "low pressure tire" by reason that the definition is no longer necessary.

Amendment 1 (engrossed 2/28/2017) provides that an autocycle is not required to be equipped with seat belts. This amendment also allows for a child to be a passenger if the autocycle is equipped with a fully-enclosed metal cab or metal-reinforced cab with glass and mirrors and complies with federal safety standards for child restraints.

Original Bill --- Under SB365, § 27-20-119 is repealed and § 27-20-301 is amended to be cited as the "Autocycle Act". The bill amends § 27-20-303 to provide a new definition of "autocycle" to mean motorized by electricity or motor fuel and has seating that does not require the operator to straddle or sit among other safety equipment requirements. SB365 removes the length, width and weight requirements.

Revenue Impact :

None.

Taxpayer Impact :

None.

Resources Required :

None.

Time Required :

Adequate time is provided for implementation.

Procedural Changes :

None.

Other Comments :

None.

Legal Analysis :

None.