

Bill No.: HB0080 **Effective:** Immediately

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Enrolled Act No.: HEA No. 0084

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Prime Sponsor: Zwonitzer

Catch Title: Transportation network companies.

Subject: Companies providing transportation via a digital network.

Summary/Major Elements:

- This act provides a framework under which transportation network companies and transportation network company drivers must operate. A transportation network company is defined by the act as an entity that connects drivers and riders via a digital network.
- The act requires that a transportation network company must provide certain information to a rider, including an electronic receipt for a ride and information regarding the driver.
- The act provides requirements for drivers, including requiring disclosure to the transportation network company the driver's automobile insurance information, a copy of the driver's license, and a copy of the automobile's registration. Additionally, a driver must carry proof of insurance while driving and disclose to interested parties whether the driver was engaged in driving a transportation network company customer (or on the way to provide such a ride) at the time of an automobile crash.
- The act imposes insurance requirements for drivers beyond existing automobile insurance requirements. While a driver is providing a ride to a transportation network customer, the driver must have primary automobile liability insurance of at least one million dollars. The insurance policy may be maintained by the driver, the transportation network company, or through a combination of the two.
- The act provides that an automobile insurance company may exclude coverage for a vehicle used by a transportation network company driver while engaged in driving a transportation network company customer or on the way to provide such a ride.

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- The act requires a transportation network company to provide certain disclosures to drivers regarding automobile insurance.
- The act provides certain exclusions for transportation network companies and transportation network company drivers, including that the drivers are independent contractors if certain requirements are met and the driver and transportation network company agree to the arrangement in writing. The act also permits airports to regulate a transportation network company providing rides at the airport.
- The act provides that no municipality or local or state entity may require a transportation network company to obtain a license to operate or tax a transportation network company or transportation network company driver, with certain exceptions.

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