

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to proceeds funding motorcycle safety
 3 education; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; removing
 4 authorization for motorcycle safety education fee
 5 proceeds to fund the general operations of the
 6 Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles;
 7 requiring an annual report to the Legislature;
 8 providing an effective date.

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 10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 12 Section 1. Paragraph (c) of subsection (1) of section
 13 320.08, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

14 320.08 License taxes.—Except as otherwise provided herein,
 15 there are hereby levied and imposed annual license taxes for the
 16 operation of motor vehicles, mopeds, tri-vehicles as defined in
 17 s. 316.003, and mobile homes as defined in s. 320.01, which
 18 shall be paid to and collected by the department or its agent
 19 upon the registration or renewal of registration of the
 20 following:

21 (1) MOTORCYCLES AND MOPEDS.—

22 (c) Upon registration of a motorcycle, motor-driven cycle,
 23 or moped, in addition to the license taxes specified in this
 24 subsection, a nonrefundable motorcycle safety education fee in
 25 the amount of \$2.50 shall be paid. The proceeds of such

26 | additional fee shall be deposited in the Highway Safety
 27 | Operating Trust Fund to fund a motorcycle driver improvement
 28 | program implemented pursuant to s. 322.025 or~~r~~ the Florida
 29 | Motorcycle Safety Education Program established in s. 322.0255~~r~~
 30 | ~~or the general operations of the department.~~ The department
 31 | shall submit an annual report to the President of the Senate and
 32 | the Speaker of the House of Representatives outlining the
 33 | revenues collected by the fee, funds and methods used to
 34 | administer motorcycle safety and awareness programs, and an
 35 | estimate of the number of persons exposed to such efforts.

36 | Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2023.