Regular Session, 2010

HOUSE BILL NO. 575

### BY REPRESENTATIVE BALDONE

# MTR VEHICLE/DISMANTLERS: Provides relative to salvaged vehicles with tires and gas tanks

1	AN ACT
2	To enact R.S. 32:809, relative to the sale of salvaged vehicles; to prohibit a dismantler and
3	parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor from requiring the
4	seller of a motor vehicle to remove the gas tank or tires; to authorize the dismantler
5	and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor to deduct from
6	the purchase price an amount equal to the actual cost of disposal of the gas tank or
7	tires; to authorize a dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap
8	metal processor who purchases a motor vehicle without a gas tank or tires to deduct
9	from the purchase price an amount equal to twice the actual cost of disposal of the
10	gas tank or tires; and to provide for related matters.
11	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
12	Section 1. R.S. 32:809 is hereby enacted to read as follows:
13	<u>§809. Sale of motor vehicle with gas tank or tires</u>
14	A. No dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal
15	processor shall require the seller of a motor vehicle to remove the gas tank or tires
16	from the motor vehicle prior to the sale. The dismantler and parts recycler, motor
17	vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor may deduct from the purchase price an
18	amount equal to the actual cost of disposal of the gas tank or tires.
19	B. If the dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal
20	processor purchases a motor vehicle that is without a gas tank or tires at the time of

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- 1 sale, the dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal
- 2 processor may deduct from the purchase price an amount equal to twice the actual
- 3 <u>cost of disposal of the gas tank or tires.</u>

# DIGEST

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Abstract: Prohibits a dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor from requiring the seller of a motor vehicle to remove the gas tank or tires from the motor vehicle.

<u>Proposed law</u> prohibits a dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor from requiring the seller of a motor vehicle to remove the gas tank or tires from the motor vehicle prior to the sale.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor to deduct from the purchase price an amount equal to the actual cost of disposal of the gas tank or tires.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that if the dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor purchases a motor vehicle that is without a gas tank or tires at the time of sale, the dismantler and parts recycler, motor vehicle crusher, or scrap metal processor may deduct from the purchase price an amount equal to twice the actual cost of disposal of the gas tank or tires.

(Adds R.S. 32:809)