

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 662

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FUELS/GASOLINE: Provides for the fair pricing of gasoline

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 51:422.1(F); relative to the calculation of costs for retail sales of motor fuel;
3 to provide relative to discounts and financial savings; to provide relative to
4 passthrough values of renewable identification numbers; and to provide for related
5 matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 51:422.1(F) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §422.1. Unfair sales of motor fuel; impairment of competition; exemptions; records
9 to support exemptions

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11 F. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, no discount
12 or other financial savings shall be realized by a retailer as the result of any state or
13 federal regulation, including but not limited to the following:

14 (1) Discounts or other financial savings realized due to the purchase, sale,
15 or transfer of a renewable identification number, hereinafter referred to in this
16 Section as "RIN", or any other serial number assigned to a batch of biofuel for the
17 purpose of tracking its production, use, and trading as required by the United States
18 Environmental Protection Agency.

19 (2) A passthrough of the value of the RIN, or any percentage thereof, in the
20 purchase price of motor fuel.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides relative to discounts and financial savings with respect to retail sales of motor fuel.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, proposed law provides that no discount or other financial savings are to be realized by a retailer as the result of any state or a federal regulation, including but not limited the following:

- (1) Discounts or other financial savings realized due to the purchase, sale, or transfer of a renewable identification number (RIN) or any other serial number assigned to a batch of biofuel for the purpose of tracking its production, use, and trading as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.
- (2) A passthrough of the value of the renewable identification number, or any percentage thereof, in the purchase price of motor fuel.

(Adds R.S. 51:422.1(F))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Commerce to the original bill:

1. Make technical changes.