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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2019

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RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- RECIPROCITY AGREEMENTS

Introduced By: Representative Anastasia P. Williams

Date Introduced: February 14, 2019

Referred To: House Corporations

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Sections 31-29-2 and 31-29-5 of the General Laws in Chapter 31-29
2 entitled "Reciprocity Agreements" are hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **31-29-2. Entry into reciprocal agreements -- Scope of agreements.**

4 The governor is authorized, with the advice of the board, to enter into reciprocal
5 agreements on behalf of the state, with the appropriate authorities of any state in the United States
6 of America, or of the District of Columbia, or of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, or of any
7 province in the dominion of Canada, with respect to all fees or taxes imposed by this state and by
8 any other state, or the District of Columbia, or of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, or any
9 province of Canada, on motor vehicles, or on the operation of motor vehicles, or upon any
10 transaction incident to the operation of motor vehicles. It shall be the duty of the board to study
11 and advise the governor with respect to all matters affecting any reciprocal agreements.

12 **31-29-5. Disability parking reciprocity agreements.**

13 The reciprocity board is authorized to enter into reciprocity agreements with any state in
14 the United States of America, or the District of Columbia, or the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico,
15 concerning parking privilege for individuals with disabilities.

16 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
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1 This act would specifically authorize the governor and the reciprocity board to enter into
2 motor vehicle and disability parking reciprocity agreements with the Commonwealth of Puerto
3 Rico.

4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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