

1 S.72

2 Introduced by Senator Rodgers

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Commerce and trade; new motor vehicle arbitration; eligibility;
6 trucks

7 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to expand
8 eligibility under the new motor vehicle arbitration law to trucks with a gross
9 motor vehicle weight rating of up to 19,999 pounds.

10 An act relating to expanding eligibility under the new motor vehicle
11 arbitration law

12 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

13 Sec. 1. 9 V.S.A. § 4171 is amended to read:

14 § 4171. DEFINITIONS

15 As used in this chapter:

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17 (6) "Motor vehicle" means a ~~passenger~~ motor vehicle which is
18 purchased, leased, or registered in the ~~state~~ State of Vermont and shall not
19 include tractors, motorized highway building equipment, road-making
20 appliances, snowmobiles, motorcycles, motor-driven cycles, or the living

1 portion of recreation vehicles, or trucks with a gross vehicle weight rating over
2 ~~12,000~~ 19,999 pounds.

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4 (9) A “new motor vehicle” means a ~~passenger~~ motor vehicle which is
5 still under the manufacturer’s express warranty.

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7 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

8 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2013.