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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to final stage manufacturing of vehicles, and
2 making penalties applicable and providing an effective date.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 321.1, subsection 40, unnumbered
2 paragraphs 3 and 4, Code 1989, are amended by striking the
3 paragraphs and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

4 "Final stage manufacturer" means a person who performs such
5 manufacturing operations on an incomplete vehicle that it
6 becomes a completed vehicle.

7 "Incomplete vehicle" means an assemblage, as a minimum,
8 consisting of a frame and chassis structure, power train,
9 steering system, suspension system, and braking system, to the
10 extent that those systems are to be a part of the completed
11 vehicle, that requires further manufacturing operations, other
12 than the addition of readily attachable equipment, components,
13 or minor finishing operations.

14 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 321.23A IDENTIFICATION BY FINAL
15 STAGE MANUFACTURER.

16 A final stage manufacturer shall furnish to the department
17 a document which identifies that the vehicle was incomplete
18 prior to that manufacturing operation. The identification
19 shall include the name of the incomplete vehicle manufacturer,
20 the date of manufacture, the vehicle identification number to
21 ascertain that the document applies to a particular incomplete
22 vehicle, and such other information as the department may
23 require.

24 Sec. 3. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
25 takes effect upon its enactment.

26 EXPLANATION

27 This bill reenacts current language in the Code which has
28 been subject to question concerning its proper inclusion in an
29 enacted Code editor's bill. Some additional language has been
30 added, however.

31 This bill requires final stage manufacturers to furnish a
32 document which identifies manufactured vehicles and states
33 that the vehicles were incomplete prior to their manufacturing
34 operation and requires the final stage manufacturer to furnish
35 such other information as required by the state department of

1 transportation. A violation of this bill is a simple
2 misdemeanor.

3 This bill takes effect upon enactment.

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