

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate House

Comm: RS 04/14/2011

The Committee on Budget Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development Appropriations (Latvala) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 2959 and 2960 insert:

Section 58. (1) Any governmental unit that is authorized to regulate the operation of vehicles for public hire within its geographic boundaries may adopt ordinances, rules, regulations, orders, or other acts that create a private property right or interest in a license to operate a vehicle for public hire within the geographic boundaries of the governmental unit.

(2) Upon the creation of such private property right, the

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owner of a vehicle for public hire operation may pledge, sell, assign, sublease, or otherwise transfer the license to another person. However, the owner must apply to the governmental unit before making such transfer and obtain its approval for the proposed action, except that a license may be transferred by operation of intestate succession or devise.

- (3) As used in this section, the term:
- (a) "License" includes any certificate, permit, medallion, or other evidence that authorizes a person to operate a vehicle for public hire within the geographic boundaries of a governmental unit.
- (b) "Governmental unit" includes a county, municipality, special district, commission, or other unit of state or local government.

======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 224 and insert:

> future expiration of the pilot program; authorizing governmental units that regulate the operation of vehicles for public hire to create a private property right in the license to operate a vehicle for public hire; providing for the transfer of such property right; providing definitions; providing an