

1-1 By: Wentworth S.B. No. 1632
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 8, 2007; March 21, 2007, read
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Transportation and Homeland
1-4 Security; April 23, 2007, reported adversely, with favorable
1-5 Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0;
1-6 April 23, 2007, sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 1632 By: Wentworth

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to the authority of a dealer to conduct certain motor
1-11 vehicle sales outside of a dealership.

1-12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-13 SECTION 1. Subchapter H, Chapter 2301, Occupations Code, is
1-14 amended by adding Section 2301.361 to read as follows:

1-15 Sec. 2301.361. OFFSITE SALES. (a) Except as provided by
1-16 Subsection (b), a dealer may only sell or offer to sell a motor
1-17 vehicle from an established and permanent place of business:

1-18 (1) that is approved by the division; and

1-19 (2) for which a general distinguishing number has been
1-20 issued.

1-21 (b) A dealer may sell or offer to sell a motor vehicle online
1-22 through an advertisement on the Internet to a buyer who never
1-23 personally appears at the dealer's established and permanent place
1-24 of business.

1-25 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-26 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-27 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
1-28 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
1-29 Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

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