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A BILL FOR AN ACT
CONCERNING AUTHORIZATION FOR THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION TO USE LOCATION INFORMATION FROM AN
ELECTRONIC DEVICE.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://leg.colorado.gov.)

Current law generally requires a state or local agency to get a search warrant before obtaining location information from an electronic device. The bill authorizes the Colorado department of transportation to use highway infrastructure technology to communicate with motor vehicles to facilitate transportation or manage traffic.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado: 2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 42-4-242, add (6) as 3 follows: 4 42-4-242. Automated driving systems - safe harbor - location 5 **information - legislative declaration and intent.** (6) (a) THE GENERAL 6 ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES THAT THE ADVENT OF AUTOMATED 7 DRIVING SYSTEMS AND THE INCREASING USE OF TECHNOLOGY TO MANAGE 8 TRAFFIC AND FACILITATE TRAVEL HOLD GREAT PROMISE TO INCREASE THE 9 EFFICIENCY OF COLORADO'S TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM. SECTION 10 16-3-303.5, HOWEVER, LIMITS THE USE BY GOVERNMENT ENTITIES OF 11 LOCATION INFORMATION OF ELECTRONIC DEVICES. THE INTENT OF THIS 12 SUBSECTION (6) IS TO AUTHORIZE THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF 13 TRANSPORTATION TO IMPLEMENT HIGHWAY INFRASTRUCTURE 14 TECHNOLOGY THAT COMMUNICATES WITH MOTOR VEHICLES, BUT NOT FOR 15 THE PURPOSES CONTEMPLATED BY SECTION 16-3-303.5. 16 (b) Notwithstanding section 16-3-303.5, the Colorado 17 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MAY OBTAIN AND USE THE LOCATION 18 INFORMATION OF AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE IN A MOTOR VEHICLE DERIVED 19 FROM COMMUNICATION WITH INFRASTRUCTURE TECHNOLOGY FOR THE 20 PURPOSE OF FACILITATING TRANSPORTATION OR MANAGING TRAFFIC. 21 (c) NOTHING IN SUBSECTION (6)(b) OF THIS SECTION ALLOWS THE 22 COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO OBTAIN AND USE 23 NONPUBLIC INFORMATION DERIVED FROM A MOTOR VEHICLE THAT IS 24 COMMUNICATED BETWEEN MOTOR VEHICLES OR BETWEEN A MOTOR 25 VEHICLE AND THE MOTOR VEHICLE MANUFACTURER WITHOUT A LEGAL 26 ORDER.

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SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act
takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August
8, 2018, if adjournment sine die is on May 9, 2018); except that, if a
referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the
state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act
within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect
unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
November 2018 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

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