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HB 19-1325

FISCAL NOTE

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Prime Sponsors:	Rep. Hansen; McKean Sen. Priola; Bridges	Bill Status:	House SVMA
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Bill Topic: ELECTRIC CAR MANUFACTURERS MAY SELL DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS

Summary of Fiscal Impact:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State Revenue (<i>minimal</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> TABOR Refund
<input type="checkbox"/> State Expenditure	<input type="checkbox"/> Local Government
<input type="checkbox"/> State Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Public Entity

The bill allows a motor vehicle manufacturer that only manufactures electric vehicles to sell directly to customers. The bill may increase state revenue beginning in FY 2019-20.

Appropriation Summary: No appropriation is required.

Fiscal Note Status: This fiscal note reflects the introduced bill.

Summary of Legislation

Under current law, motor vehicle manufacturers may not own, operate, or control a motor vehicle dealer or used motor vehicle dealer. The bill allows an a manufacturer that only manufactures electric vehicles to own, operate, or control a motor vehicle dealer. An electric motor vehicle is defined as a motor vehicle that operates entirely on electric power; does not include a fuel combustion engine; and has a least four wheels in contact with the ground during normal operations.

Background

Under current law, motor vehicle manufacturers are allowed to own, operate, or control motor vehicle under certain circumstances enumerated in law. In addition, one motor vehicle manufacturer was allowed to operate one motor vehicle dealer location to sell directly to customers.

State Revenue

To the extent that any electric motor vehicle manufacturers own, operate, or control a motor vehicle dealer location in Colorado, fee revenue will increase. For informational purposes, the current fee for an original motor vehicle dealer is \$581.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect August 2, 2019, if the General Assembly adjourns on May 3, 2019, as scheduled, and no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

Revenue