

S.F. No. 31 – Registration, Transfer, and Operation of Snowmobiles Modernization

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Section 1 [Transfer of Off-Highway Motorcycles] allows current owners, not just registered owners, to apply for a transfer of ownership of an off-highway motorcycle.

Section 2 [Issuance of Snowmobile Registration Decal] requires a snowmobile registration number to be printed on a registration decal issued at the time of registration and requires the decal to be permanently affixed to the snowmobile in a clearly visible manner.

Section 3 [Display of Snowmobile Registration Decal] requires a snowmobile registration decal to be affixed to a particular part of the snowmobile, depending on when the snowmobile was made.

Section 4 [Snowmobile Manufacturer Requirements] makes statutory a requirement that is currently in rules (6100.5700, subp. 4) for snowmobile manufacturers to provide an area of certain dimensions on a snowmobile’s cowling for placement of a snowmobile registration decal.

Section 5 [Transfer of Snowmobiles] allows current owners, not just registered owners, to apply to transfer ownership of a snowmobile.

Section 6 [Conforming Changes] makes conforming changes to reflect changes made in another section of the bill.

Section 7 [Crossing of Highways by Snowmobiles] allows road authorities to approve safe locations for the crossing of highways by snowmobiles.

Section 8 [Registration Decal Format Transition] facilitates the transition from older format snowmobile registration decals to those required under the changes made in the bill.

Section 9 [Repealer] repeals rules made obsolete by the bill.