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To: Subst. House Bill No. 6645

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE MOTOR VEHICLE EMISSIONS
INSPECTION PROGRAM."**

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- 1 In line 75, strike "shall" and insert "may" in lieu thereof
- 2 In line 144, strike the opening bracket
- 3 In line 147, strike the closing bracket and after the period insert the
- 4 following:"
- 5 "Such contractor or contractors, with the approval of the
- 6 commissioner, may operate inspection stations at suitable locations
- 7 owned or operated by other persons, firms or corporations, including
- 8 retail business establishments with adequate facilities to accommodate
- 9 and to perform inspections on motor vehicles."
- 10 In line 175, strike "of 1996 model year and newer vehicles"
- 11 In line 217, after "contractor" insert "or contractors"

12 In line 219, strike "of 1996 model year and newer motor vehicles"

13 In line 220, strike "using the on-board diagnostic test procedure and
14 standards"

15 After line 238, insert the following:

16 "~~[(f)]~~ (h) In order to provide for management and oversight of
17 emissions inspection facilities established in accordance with
18 subsection (e) of this section and to establish and maintain necessary
19 electronic data capture and reporting systems for such facilities and for
20 licensed dealers and repairers who may be authorized to perform
21 inspections in accordance with the provisions of subsection (f) of this
22 section, the commissioner may enter into a negotiated personal service
23 agreement or agreements, in accordance with the provisions of chapter
24 55a, with any qualified person, firm or corporation. The
25 responsibilities of any such contractor retained by the commissioner
26 shall include, but need not be limited to, the following: (1) Acquisition
27 and processing of data from all official emissions inspections
28 performed, (2) provision of program information and standards to
29 inspection facilities and locations, (3) provision to the commissioner of
30 regular reports, assessments and recommendations to maintain or
31 improve the effectiveness, efficiency, quality and integrity of such
32 inspection operations, and (4) identification of measures to enhance
33 public convenience, and compliance with the inspection requirements.
34 No such contractor retained in accordance with the provisions of this
35 subsection may be licensed as, or have any financial interest in any
36 firm engaged in the business of selling or repairing motor vehicles, or
37 may be a provider of emissions inspection equipment or facilities to
38 the state."

39 In line 239, strike "(h)" and insert "(i)" in lieu thereof

40 In line 269, strike "(i)" and insert "(j)" in lieu thereof

41 In line 310, after the period, insert "(3)"

- 42 In line 317, strike "The" and insert "On and after July 1, 2002, the"
- 43 In line 331, strike "(j)" and insert "(k)" in lieu thereof
- 44 In line 335, strike "(k)" and insert "(l)" in lieu thereof
- 45 In line 339, strike "(l)" and insert "(m)" in lieu thereof
- 46 Strike section 7 in its entirety, and insert the following in lieu
47 thereof:
- 48 "Sec. 7. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001."