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Governor's Bill No. 34

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Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by:

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AN ACT CONCERNING THE CERTIFICATION OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS CARRIERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 13b-392 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2014*):

3 In determining whether or not such a certificate shall be granted, the
4 Commissioner of Transportation shall take into consideration the
5 existing motor transportation facilities and the effect upon them of
6 granting such certificate, [the public need for the service the applicant
7 proposes to render,] the suitability of the applicant, or the suitability of
8 the management if the applicant is a corporation, the financial
9 responsibility and financial stability of the applicant, the ability of the
10 applicant efficiently to perform the service for which authority is
11 requested, the criminal history of the applicant, the condition of and
12 effect upon the highways involved and the safety of the public using

13 such highways. The commissioner shall take into consideration such
14 recommendations as to motor transportation facilities, or highways, or
15 the effect of granting such certificate upon either of them, or the safety
16 of the public using such highways. No such certificate shall be denied
17 solely on the ground that there is an existing rail or household goods
18 carrier service. When it appears that no household goods carrier
19 service is being supplied over the route or routes applied for, public
20 convenience and necessity shall be presumed to require operation of
21 such service.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2014</i>	13b-392

TRA *Joint Favorable*