

HB 278 -- MOBILITY MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS

SPONSOR: Meiners

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass by consent" by the Committee on Transportation by a vote of 13 to 0.

This bill allows mobility motor vehicle dealers to purchase new motor vehicles and equip them for retail sale as mobility motor vehicles.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2010, FY 2011, and FY 2012.

PROPOSERS: Supporters say that the bill will allow mobility motor vehicle dealers to show and advertise new wheelchair accessible vehicles on new car lots. Persons with disabilities will be able to shop for a new car like everyone else.

Testifying for the bill were Representative Meiners; Paraquad, Incorporated; Greg Greven; and Stephen Kinstler.

OPPOSERS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.