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**HOUSE BILL 11-1157** 

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# A BILL FOR AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXEMPTION FROM THE HEAVY-DUTY DIESEL INSPECTION PROGRAM OF HEAVY-DUTY DIESEL VEHICLES BASED OUTSIDE THE PROGRAM AREA AS PART OF A FLEET REGISTERED IN THE PROGRAM AREA.

## **Bill Summary**

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries.)

The bill authorizes the owner of a heavy-duty diesel fleet registered in the program area of the diesel emission inspection program (program area) to certify that a diesel vehicle registered in the program area is physically based and principally operated from a terminal, division, or maintenance facility outside of the program area. A diesel vehicle that is certified is exempted from the heavy-duty diesel fleet emission inspection program. The bill authorizes the executive director of the department of revenue and the air quality control commission to promulgate rules for the administration of the bill.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado: 2 **SECTION 1.** 42-4-414, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended 3 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read: 4 42-4-414. Heavy-duty diesel fleet inspection and maintenance 5 **program - penalty - rules.** (2.5) AN OWNER OF A FLEET REGISTERED IN 6 THE PROGRAM AREA MAY CERTIFY TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR THE 7 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE, IN A FORM AND MANNER REQUIRED BY 8 THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, THAT A DIESEL VEHICLE REGISTERED IN THE 9 PROGRAM AREA IS PHYSICALLY BASED AND PRINCIPALLY OPERATED FROM 10 A TERMINAL, DIVISION, OR MAINTENANCE FACILITY OUTSIDE THE 11 PROGRAM AREA. ANY DIESEL VEHICLE REGISTERED IN THE PROGRAM 12 AREA, BUT CERTIFIED TO BE PHYSICALLY BASED AND PRINCIPALLY 13 OPERATED FROM A TERMINAL, DIVISION, OR MAINTENANCE FACILITY 14 OUTSIDE THE PROGRAM AREA, IS EXEMPT FROM THIS SECTION. THE 15 EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND THE COMMISSION MAY PROMULGATE RULES TO 16 ADMINISTER THIS SUBSECTION (2.5). 17 SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date -18 **applicability.** (1) This act shall take effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day 19 following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment 20 of the general assembly (August 10, 2011, if adjournment sine die is on 21 May 11, 2011); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to 22 section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an

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- item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part shall not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in November 2012 and shall take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.
  - (2) The provisions of this act shall apply to heavy-duty diesel fleet vehicles registered in the program area of the diesel emission inspection program on or after the applicable effective date of this act.

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