

1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to vehicle and vessel registration  
3           data and functionality; amending ss. 320.03 and  
4           328.73, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway  
5           Safety and Motor Vehicles to provide tax collectors  
6           and their approved agents and vendors with real-time  
7           access to certain vehicle and vessel registration data  
8           and functionality in the same manner as provided to  
9           other third parties; providing an effective date.

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11   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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13           Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (4) of section  
14   320.03, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

15           320.03 Registration; duties of tax collectors;  
16   International Registration Plan.—

17           (4)

18           (b) The Florida Real Time Vehicle Information System shall  
19   be installed in every tax collector's and license tag agent's  
20   office in accordance with a schedule established by the  
21   department in consultation with the tax collectors and  
22   contingent upon funds being made available for the system by the  
23   state. For the purpose of enhancing customer services provided  
24   by tax collectors on behalf of the department, the department  
25   shall provide tax collectors and their approved agents and

26 | vendors with real-time access to the same data and functionality  
 27 | that all other third parties receive from the department related  
 28 | to motor vehicle and mobile home registration certificates,  
 29 | registration license plates, and validation stickers, including,  
 30 | but not limited to, each applicant's current residential address  
 31 | and each applicant's current electronic mail address collected  
 32 | pursuant to s. 320.95.

33 | Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 328.73, Florida  
 34 | Statutes, is amended to read:

35 | 328.73 Registration; duties of tax collectors.—

36 | (1) The tax collectors in the counties of the state, as  
 37 | authorized agents of the department, shall issue registration  
 38 | certificates and vessel numbers and decals to applicants,  
 39 | subject to the requirements of law and in accordance with rules  
 40 | of the department. For the purpose of enhancing customer  
 41 | services provided by tax collectors on behalf of the department,  
 42 | the department shall provide tax collectors and their approved  
 43 | agents and vendors with real-time access to the same data and  
 44 | functionality that all other third parties receive from the  
 45 | department related to vessel registration certificates and  
 46 | vessel numbers and decals, including, but not limited to, each  
 47 | applicant's current residential address and each applicant's  
 48 | current electronic mail address collected pursuant to s. 328.30.

49 | Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.