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HOUSE BILL NO. 508

BY REPRESENTATIVE LANDRY

TAX/SALES-USE, STATE: Authorizes a state sales and use tax exemption for the purchase and installation of certain adaptive devices for persons with orthopedic disabilities

1 AN ACT 2 To enact R.S. 47:305.66, relative to state sales and use tax; to authorize an exemption for the 3 purchase and installation of certain adaptive devices in motor vehicles for the benefit 4 of persons with orthopedic disabilities; to provide for certain limitations and 5 requirements; and to provide for related matters. 6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 7 Section 1. R.S. 47:305.66 is hereby enacted to read as follows: 8 §305.66. Exemption; installation of adaptive devices in motor vehicles for persons 9 with orthopedic disabilities 10 The sales and use tax imposed by the state of Louisiana and its political 11 subdivisions whose boundaries are coterminous with the state shall not apply to 12 equipment, materials, and services related to the purchase and installation of adaptive 13 devices in a motor vehicle for a person with an orthopedic disability. This 14 exemption does not extend to travel trailers or other vehicles which are not designed 15 to transport people. For purposes of this Section, "equipment" shall include but not 16 be limited to hand controls, left side accelerator pedals, raised ceilings, and 17 wheelchair ramps and lifts.

## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Exempts from state sales and use tax equipment, materials, and services related to the purchase and installation of certain adaptive devices in a motor vehicle for the benefit of persons with orthopedic disabilities.

<u>Proposed law</u> exempts from state sales and use tax equipment, materials, and services related to the purchase and installation of adaptive devices in a motor vehicle for a person with an orthopedic disability. The exemption does not apply to travel trailers or other vehicles which are not designed to transport people. For purposes of <u>proposed law</u>, "equipment" shall include but not be limited to hand controls, left side accelerator pedals, raised ceilings, and wheelchair ramps and lifts.

(Adds R.S. 47:305.66)