

STATE OF NEW YORK

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SENATE - ASSEMBLY

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IN SENATE -- Introduced by Sen. LAVALLE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Consumer Protection -- recommitted to the Committee on Consumer Protection in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

IN ASSEMBLY -- Introduced by M. of A. THIELE, McDONOUGH -- read once and referred to the Committee on Consumer Affairs and Protection -- recommitted to the Committee on Consumer Affairs and Protection in accordance with Assembly Rule 3, sec. 2 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to providing that new passenger-type motor vehicles shall be offered for sale with a spare tire and jack

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. The general business law is amended by adding a new section
2 198-d to read as follows:

3 § 198-d. Spare tire and jack required. (a) Every new passenger-type
4 motor vehicle, except a motorcycle, manufactured for sale in New York
5 state on or after January first, two thousand twenty shall be offered
6 for sale with a spare tire and jack. For purposes of this section:

7 (1) "passenger-type motor vehicle" shall mean any motor vehicle with a
8 seating capacity of not more than eight adults;

9 (2) "spare tire" shall mean a tire mounted on a wheel and inflated,
10 which is either attached to the outside of the motor vehicle or stowed
11 in a compartment within such motor vehicle. A spare tire may be a full-
12 size tire or a temporary tire, commonly referred to as a "donut"; and

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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1 (3) "jack" shall mean a device capable of raising or lifting a motor
2 vehicle for the purpose of changing any tire on such motor vehicle.

3 (b) Any violation of the provisions of this section by any manufactur-
4 er of motor vehicles shall constitute an offense and shall be punishable
5 by a civil fine of not more than seven hundred fifty dollars for each
6 offense.

7 (c) Any buyer of a motor vehicle that is subject to the provisions of
8 this section may waive the requirement set forth in subdivision (a) of
9 this section, provided that the waiver is made in writing and a copy of
10 such waiver containing the buyer's signature is provided to such buyer.

11 § 2. This act shall take effect immediately.