

HB 3001 -1, -2 STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

House Committee On Business and Labor

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Applies the same airport fees and state and local laws to peer-to-peer car rental programs that apply to car rental companies. Takes effect 91st day following adjournment sine die.

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

-1 Allows commercial airport authority to require peer-to-peer car rental program to enter into agreement as condition for operating within airport's jurisdiction. Specifies what agreement may include.

-2 Specifies airport fees and state and local laws, including laws imposing taxes and fees, that apply to car rental companies shall also apply to peer-to-peer rental programs. Specifies only state government and ports may impose taxes and fees that apply solely to peer-to-peer car rental programs. Allows commercial airport authority to require peer-to-peer car rental program to enter into agreement as condition for operating within airport's jurisdiction. Specifies what agreement may include.

BACKGROUND:

Peer-to-peer car rental programs are similar to the Airbnb model that exists for short-term rental of private residences. Unlike a car rental company that owns a fleet of vehicles for rent to the public, a peer-to-peer car rental program connects an individual who needs the short-term use of a vehicle with a person willing to rent out their personal vehicle.

House Bill 3001 subjects peer-to-peer car rental programs to the same airport fees and state and local laws that apply to car rental companies.