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HOUSE BILL *370-FN*

AN ACT relative to after market window tinting on motor vehicles for drivers with medical conditions.

SPONSORS: Rep. Yokela, Rock. 32; Rep. Bouldin, Hills. 25; Rep. A. Lekas, Hills. 38; Rep. Ankarberg, Straf. 7

COMMITTEE: Transportation

ANALYSIS

This bill authorizes persons with medical conditions to apply for a special permit to waive the prohibition on automobile after market window tinting on the left and right side of the driver.

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Explanation: Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics.***
Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struckthrough.~~]
Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty Four

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Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

48:1 Tinted Glass. Amend RSA 266:58-a, III-a to read as follows:

III-a. Persons who require for medical reasons after market tinting on the windshield ***or on the windows to the left and right of the driver*** may apply for a special permit pursuant to RSA 266:61-a, IX.

48:2 Equipment Waiver for Disabled. Amend RSA 266:61-a to read as follows:

IX. The commissioner may waive the requirements of RSA 266:58-a and issue a special permit to a person who for bona fide medical reasons requires after market tinting on the windshield ***or on the windows to the left and right of the driver*** and who applies for such permit. Such waiver shall be granted in accordance with this section and shall only authorize the use of after market tinted windows with a light transmittance of not less than [~~70~~] ***35*** percent. In reviewing the application for a permit under this paragraph, the commissioner may seek the advice and recommendation of a medical review board designated by him or her for such purpose.

48:3 Effective Date. This act shall take effect 90 days after its passage.

Approved: June 14, 2024
Effective Date: September 12, 2024