



1           (3) a rear window, if the motor vehicle is equipped  
2 with an outside mirror on each side of the vehicle that reflects to  
3 the vehicle operator a view of the highway for a distance of at  
4 least 200 feet from the rear;

5           (4) a rearview mirror;

6           (5) an adjustable nontransparent sun visor that is  
7 mounted in front of a side window and not attached to the glass;

8           (6) a direction, destination, or termination sign on a  
9 passenger common carrier motor vehicle, if the sign does not  
10 interfere with the vehicle operator's view of approaching traffic;

11          (7) a rear window wiper motor;

12          (8) a rear trunk lid handle or hinge;

13          (9) a luggage rack attached to the rear trunk;

14          (10) a side window that is to the rear of the vehicle  
15 operator on a multipurpose vehicle;

16          (11) a window that has a United States, state, or local  
17 certificate placed on or attached to it as required by law;

18          (12) a motor vehicle that is not registered in this  
19 state;

20          (13) a window that complies with federal standards for  
21 window materials, including a factory-tinted or a pretinted window  
22 installed by the vehicle manufacturer, or a replacement window  
23 meeting the specifications required by the vehicle manufacturer [~~a~~  
24 ~~motor vehicle with a manufacturer's model year before 1988~~];

25          (14) a vehicle that is:

26               (A) used regularly to transport passengers for a  
27 fee; and

1 (B) authorized to operate under license or permit  
2 by a local authority; or

3 (15) a vehicle that is maintained by a law enforcement  
4 agency and used for law enforcement purposes.

5 (c) A manufacturer shall certify to the department that the  
6 sunscreening device made or assembled by the manufacturer complies  
7 with the light transmission and luminous reflectance  
8 specifications established by Subsection (b) for sunscreening  
9 devices in combination with a window.

10 SECTION 2. The change in law made by this Act applies only  
11 to an offense committed on or after the effective date of this Act.  
12 An offense committed before the effective date of this Act is  
13 covered by the law in effect when the offense was committed, and the  
14 former law is continued in effect for that purpose. For purposes of  
15 this section, an offense was committed before the effective date of  
16 this Act if any element of the offense occurred before that date.

17 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.

David Newkum

President of the Senate

John Corbett

Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 345 passed the Senate on April 10, 2003, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0. \_\_\_\_\_

Patry Spaw  
Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 345 passed the House on May 10, 2003, by a non-record vote. \_\_\_\_\_

Robert Honey  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

27 MAY '03

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Rick Perry  
Governor

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