

The House Committee on Motor Vehicles offers the following substitute to HB 79:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

To amend Code Section 40-8-73.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the prohibition against affixing materials which reduce light transmission through windows or windshields of motor vehicles, so as to provide exemptions for certain vehicles; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

**SECTION 1.**

Code Section 40-8-73.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the prohibition against affixing materials which reduce light transmission through windows or windshields of motor vehicles, is amended in subsection (c) by striking "or" at the end of paragraph (6), striking the period at the end of paragraph (7) and inserting a semicolon in lieu thereof, and adding new paragraphs to read as follows:

"(8) Any vehicle that displays a valid special license plate issued to a government official under Code Section 40-2-61, 40-2-62, 40-2-63, or 40-2-64;

(9) Any vehicle owned or operated by the state or a political subdivision thereof and that displays a valid license plate issued pursuant to Code Section 40-2-37; or

(10) Any vehicle operated in the course of business by a person licensed or registered under Chapter 38 of Title 43, relating to private detective and private security businesses."

**SECTION 2.**

This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.

**SECTION 3.**

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.