

House Bill 205

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 10-1-782 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to  
2 definitions relative to the "Georgia Lemon Law," so as to revise the definition of the term  
3 "consumer" for purposes of such law; to provide an effective date; to provide for  
4 applicability; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

7 Code Section 10-1-782 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to definitions  
8 relative to the "Georgia Lemon Law," is amended by revising paragraph (5) as follows:

9 "(5) 'Consumer' means ~~each~~ any of the following:

10 (A) A person who purchases or leases a new motor vehicle for personal, family, or  
11 household use and not for the purpose of selling or leasing the new motor vehicle to  
12 another person; ~~and~~

13 (B) A person who purchases or leases ten or fewer new motor vehicles a year for  
14 business purposes other than limousine rental services; or

15 (C) Any branch, department, agency, board, bureau, or commission of Georgia state  
16 government; any political subdivision of this state; or any state or local government  
17 authority in this state which purchases or leases a new motor vehicle for official use."

18 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 2.**

19 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law  
20 without such approval and shall apply to new motor vehicles purchased or leased on or after  
21 such date.

22 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 3.**

23 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.