103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2023 and 2024

HB3772

Introduced 2/17/2023, by Rep. Jaime M. Andrade, Jr.

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/12-614 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Defines "relay box". Provides that no person may possess a relay box in this State except for: (1) a mechanic; (2) a new vehicle dealer or used vehicle dealer licensed under the Code; (3) a locksmith licensed under the Private Detective, Private Alarm, Private Security, Fingerprint Vendor, and Locksmith Act of 2004; (4) a repossession agent; or (5) a State or local law enforcement officer. Provides that a person who commits a violation of the new provisions is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. Effective immediately.

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AN ACT concerning transportation.

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Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding
 Section 12-614 as follows:
- (625 ILCS 5/12-614 new) 6 7 Sec. 12-614. Relay box. (a) In this Section, "relay box" means a device designed 8 9 to capture a signal from the key fob of a motor vehicle to unlock and start the motor vehicle without the use or 10 possession of the motor vehicle key. 11 (b) No person may possess a relay box in this State except 12 for the following persons: 13 14 (1) a mechanic; (2) a new vehicle dealer or used vehicle dealer 15 16 licensed under Section 5-101 or 5-102; (3) a locksmith licensed under the Private Detective, 17 18 Private Alarm, Private Security, Fingerprint Vendor, and Locksmith Act of 2004; 19 20 (4) a repossession agent; or 21 (5) a State or local law enforcement officer. (c) A person who commits a violation of this Section is 22 quilty of a Class A misdemeanor. 23

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Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
 becoming law.