



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

SB1667

Introduced 2/20/2015, by Sen. Chapin Rose

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-101.1 new
625 ILCS 45/3A-0.1 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that every owner of a watercraft for which no certificate of title has been issued shall make application to the Secretary of State for a certificate of title. Provides that the Secretary shall undertake all responsibilities related to the issuance and transfer of certificates of title, including rulemaking authority, for watercraft under the Boat Registration and Safety Act. Amends the Boat Registration and Safety Act. Provides that, notwithstanding any other provision of the Boat Registration and Safety Act, the Secretary of State shall issue all certificates of title and undertake all responsibilities related to the issuance and transfer of certificates of title, including rulemaking authority, for watercraft under that Act. Provides that the Department of Natural Resources shall not issue certificates of title or perform the responsibilities related to issuance or transfer of certificates of title.

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding
5 Section 3-101.1 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-101.1 new)

7 Sec. 3-101.1. Watercraft certificate of title.
8 Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Code or the Boat
9 Registration and Safety Act, every owner of a watercraft, as
10 defined in Section 1-2 of the Boat Registration and Safety Act,
11 for which no certificate of title has been issued shall make
12 application to the Secretary of State for a certificate of
13 title, and the Secretary shall undertake all responsibilities
14 related to the issuance and transfer of certificates of title,
15 including rulemaking authority, for watercraft under the Boat
16 Registration and Safety Act.

17 Section 10. The Boat Registration and Safety Act is amended
18 by adding Section 3A-0.1 as follows:

19 (625 ILCS 45/3A-0.1 new)

20 Sec. 3A-0.1. Certificates of title issued by the Secretary
21 of State. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, the

1 Secretary of State shall issue all certificates of title for
2 watercraft in this State for which no certificate of title has
3 been issued, and undertake all responsibilities related to the
4 issuance and transfer of certificates of title, including
5 rulemaking authority, for watercraft under this Act. The
6 Department of Natural Resources shall not issue or transfer
7 certificates of title or perform the responsibilities related
8 to issuance of certificates of title for watercraft.