



# HOUSE BILL 294: Sale of Salvage Vehicles.

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<b>Introduced by:</b>	Reps. B. Jones, Bell	<b>Prepared by:</b>	Howard Marsilio
<b>Analysis of:</b>	Ratified		Staff Attorney

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**OVERVIEW:** *House Bill 294 would allow a motor vehicle dealer to sell a used vehicle that has been issued a salvage certificate of title without inspection if the dealer has no knowledge of vehicle alterations or repairs and discloses that the vehicle was not inspected by the dealer.*

*This bill was ratified by the General Assembly on November 30, 2021, and vetoed by the Governor on December 9, 2021.*

**CURRENT LAW:** A motor vehicle subject to a safety inspection, an emissions inspection, or both must be inspected as required by law. Current law, as amended by S.L. 2021-134 and S.L. 2021-147, requires that a used vehicle must be inspected (as applicable) by the motor vehicle dealer before it is offered for sale at retail in this State and the dealer must certify compliance to the purchaser of the vehicle.

**BILL ANALYSIS:** House Bill 294 would authorize a motor vehicle dealer to sell a used vehicle that has been issued a salvage certificate of title without inspection if the dealer has no knowledge of vehicle alterations or repairs after salvage title issuance and discloses to the purchaser that the vehicle was not inspected by the dealer.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This bill was ratified by the General Assembly on November 30, 2021, and vetoed by the Governor on December 9, 2021.

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