

HB1262



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 1/28/2025, by Rep. John M. Cabello

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

30 ILCS 500/25-75

Amends the Illinois Procurement Code. Provides that authorized emergency vehicles are excluded from the definitions of "flexible fuel vehicles" and "fuel efficient hybrid vehicles".

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning finance.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Procurement Code is amended by
5 changing Section 25-75 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 500/25-75)

7 Sec. 25-75. Purchase of motor vehicles.

8 (a) Beginning on the effective date of this amendatory Act
9 of the 94th General Assembly, all gasoline-powered vehicles
10 purchased from State funds must be flexible fuel vehicles.
11 Beginning July 1, 2007, all gasoline-powered vehicles
12 purchased from State funds must be flexible fuel or fuel
13 efficient hybrid vehicles. For purposes of this Section,
14 "flexible fuel vehicles" are automobiles or light trucks that
15 operate on either gasoline or E-85 (85% ethanol, 15% gasoline)
16 fuel, excluding authorized emergency vehicles, and "Fuel
17 efficient hybrid vehicles" are automobiles or light trucks
18 that use a gasoline or diesel engine and an electric motor to
19 provide power and gain at least a 20% increase in combined
20 US-EPA city-highway fuel economy over the equivalent or
21 most-similar conventionally-powered model, excluding
22 authorized emergency vehicles.

23 (b) On and after the effective date of this amendatory Act

1 of the 94th General Assembly, any vehicle purchased from State
2 funds that is fueled by diesel fuel shall be certified by the
3 manufacturer to run on 5% biodiesel (B5) fuel.

4 (b-5) On and after January 1, 2016, 15% of passenger
5 vehicles, other than Department of Corrections vehicles,
6 Secretary of State vehicles (except for mid-sized sedans), and
7 Illinois State Police patrol vehicles, purchased with State
8 funds shall be vehicles fueled by electricity, electricity and
9 gasohol (hybrids or plug-in hybrids), compressed natural gas,
10 liquid petroleum gas, or liquid natural gas, including
11 dedicated or non-dedicated fuel type vehicles.

12 (c) The Chief Procurement Officer may determine that
13 certain vehicle procurements are exempt from this Section
14 based on intended use or other reasonable considerations such
15 as health and safety of Illinois citizens.

16 (Source: P.A. 102-538, eff. 8-20-21.)