NOTE: This bill has been prepared for the signature of the appropriate legislative officers and the Governor. To determine whether the Governor has signed the bill or taken other action on it, please consult the legislative status sheet, the legislative history, or the Session Laws.



SENATE BILL 10-144

BY SENATOR(S) Scheffel, Cadman, Gibbs, Harvey, Kester, King K., Kopp, Lundberg, Schultheis, Schwartz, White, Whitehead, Williams; also REPRESENTATIVE(S) Rice, Looper, Massey, McFadyen, Priola.

CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF EQUIPMENT MOUNTED ON A MOTOR VEHICLE.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 42-1-102, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

- **42-1-102. Definitions.** As used in articles 1 to 4 of this title, unless the context otherwise requires:
- (72.2) "POWER TAKEOFF EQUIPMENT" MEANS EQUIPMENT THAT IS ATTACHED TO A MOTOR VEHICLE AND IS POWERED BY THE MOTOR THAT POWERS THE LOCOMOTION OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE.

SECTION 2. 42-3-106 (2) (e) and (3), Colorado Revised Statutes, are amended to read:

42-3-106. Tax imposed - classification - taxable value. (2) For

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the purpose of imposing graduated annual specific ownership taxes, the personal property specified in section 6 of article X of the state constitution is classified as follows:

- (e) Every item of mobile machinery and self-propelled construction equipment, EXCEPT POWER TAKEOFF EQUIPMENT, THAT IS required to be registered under this article shall be IS Class F personal property;
- (3) (a) It is unlawful for any AN owner of a vehicle to SHALL NOT permanently attach to such THE vehicle mounted equipment as defined in section 42-1-102 (60), unless:
- (I) Within twenty days after such attachment, The owner applies for registration of such THE mounted equipment to the authorized agent in the county where the equipment is required to be registered WITHIN TWENTY DAYS AFTER THE EQUIPMENT IS MOUNTED TO THE VEHICLE; OR
 - (II) THE MOUNTED EQUIPMENT IS POWER TAKEOFF EQUIPMENT.
- (b) Such THE application shall be on forms prescribed by the department and shall describe the equipment to be mounted, including serial number, make, model, year of manufacture, weight, and cost.
- **SECTION 3. Specified effective date applicability.** This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, and shall apply to registrations made on or after said date.

SECTION 4. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,

determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.	
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