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FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 1211 (Delegate Murphv. *et al.*)

Commerce and Government Matters

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Vehicle Laws - Unattended Motor Vehicle - Private Property

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This bill provides that the prohibition against leaving a vehicle unattended until the engine is stopped, the ignition is locked, the key is removed, and the brake is effectively set does not apply when a vehicle is locked and on private property.

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Fiscal Summary

**State Effect:** Since the bill would apply in a limited number of cases, State finances would not be affected. There were three violations of the current prohibition in FY 1999.

**Local Effect:** None.

**Small Business Effect:** None.

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Analysis

**Current Law:** An individual may not leave a vehicle unattended until the engine is stopped, the ignition is locked, the key is removed, and the brake is effectively set.

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Additional Information

**Prior Introductions:** None.

**Cross File:** None.

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