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# **SB 1444**

Introduced by  
Senators Sundareshan: Gabaldón; Representative Travers

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 4, ARTICLE 7, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY  
ADDING SECTION 41-795; RELATING TO ELECTRIC VEHICLES.

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1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 41, chapter 4, article 7, Arizona Revised  
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 41-795, to read:

4 41-795. Zero emission vehicle plan; definition

5 A. IN COORDINATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY AND  
6 THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION, THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL  
7 DEVELOP A ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE PLAN DESIGNED TO:

8 1. INCREASE THE NUMBER OF REGISTERED ZERO EMISSION VEHICLES IN THIS  
9 STATE.

10 2. HELP ESTABLISH INTERSTATE AND INTRASTATE ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE  
11 CORRIDORS.

12 3. COORDINATE AND INCREASE THE INSTALLATION OF ZERO EMISSION  
13 VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE.

14 B. WITHIN SIX MONTHS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION, THE  
15 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SHALL SUBMIT A DRAFT OF THE ZERO EMISSION  
16 VEHICLE PLAN TO THE GOVERNOR, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER  
17 OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

18 C. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "ZERO EMISSION VEHICLE" MEANS  
19 A VEHICLE THAT DOES NOT EMIT EXHAUST GAS OR OTHER POLLUTANTS FROM THE  
20 ONBOARD SOURCE OF POWER.