Department of Planning and Budget
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State Fiscal Impact Statement

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Bill Number: SB595ER **Patron:** DeSteph
Bill Title: Mechanics and storage liens; abandoned vehicles; vehicle records.

Bill Summary: Removes the requirement that the Department of Motor Vehicles, when searching for owner or lienholder information for a vehicle titled in another jurisdiction for (i) the enforcement of a mechanics or storage lien or (ii) determining ownership of an abandoned vehicle, ascertain such information by contacting the other jurisdiction. The bill retains the requirement that the Department ascertain such information upon initiation of a search by the bailee or person in possession of an abandoned vehicle.

Budget Amendment Necessary: No **Items Impacted:** None
Explanation: N/A

Fiscal Summary: There is no anticipated state fiscal impact associated with this bill. Any unanticipated state fiscal impact that may result from this bill is expected to be absorbed with existing resources.

Fiscal Analysis: See fiscal summary.