

## CHAPTER 98-90

### Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 368

An act relating to motorcycle safety education; amending s. 215.22, F.S.; providing an exemption from a required deduction for that portion of the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund funded by the motorcycle safety education fee; amending s. 322.0255, F.S.; deleting a limitation on the reimbursement of certain fees; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (t) is added to subsection (1) of section 215.22, Florida Statutes, to read:

215.22 Certain income and certain trust funds exempt.—

(1) The following income of a revenue nature or the following trust funds shall be exempt from the deduction required by s. 215.20(1):

(t) That portion of the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund funded by the Motorcycle Safety Education fee collected pursuant to s. 320.08(1)(d).

Section 2. Subsection (5) of section 322.0255, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

322.0255 Florida Motorcycle Safety Education Program.—

(5) The department shall, subject to the availability of funds, reimburse each organization that provides an approved motorcycle safety education course ~~an amount not to exceed \$50 for each student who begins the on-cycle portion of the successfully completes such course.~~ This shall include any student not required to attend a motorcycle safety education course prior to licensure as required in s. 322.12. The amount to be reimbursed per student to each course provider shall be determined by the department. In order to facilitate such determination, each course provider shall be required to submit proof satisfactory to the department of the expected cost per student to be incurred by such course provider. In no event shall the amount to be reimbursed per student to any course provider exceed the expected cost per student ~~or \$50, whichever is less.~~ In addition to the amount of any reimbursement, each course provider that conducts such a course may charge each student a tuition fee sufficient to defray the cost of conducting the course. The department shall fund the payments required under this subsection from the motorcycle safety education fee, as provided in ss. 320.08 and 322.025.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1998.

Became a law without the Governor's approval May 22, 1998.

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