

CHAPTER 2022-93

Senate Bill No. 474

An act relating to recreational off-highway vehicles; amending ss. 261.03 and 317.0003, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “ROV” to increase the weight limit of a specified vehicle; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Subsection (8) of section 261.03, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

261.03 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

(8) “ROV” means any motorized recreational off-highway vehicle 80 inches or less in width which has a dry weight of 3,500 ~~2,500~~ pounds or less, is designed to travel on four or more nonhighway tires, and is manufactured for recreational use by one or more persons. The term does not include a golf cart as defined in ss. 316.003 and 320.01 or a low-speed vehicle as defined in s. 320.01.

Section 2. Subsection (9) of section 317.0003, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

317.0003 Definitions.—As used in this chapter, the term:

(9) “ROV” means any motorized recreational off-highway vehicle 80 inches or less in width which has a dry weight of 3,500 ~~2,500~~ pounds or less, is designed to travel on four or more nonhighway tires, and is manufactured for recreational use by one or more persons. The term does not include a golf cart as defined in ss. 316.003 and 320.01 or a low-speed vehicle as defined in s. 320.01.

Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022.

Approved by the Governor May 6, 2022.

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