1	H.291
2	Introduced by Representatives McCormack of Burlington and Copeland
3	Hanzas of Bradford
4	Referred to Committee on
5	Date:
6	Subject: Motor vehicles; dealers
7	Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to amend the
8	definition of dealer in new or used cars or motor trucks to include dealers that
9	engage in total retail sales of a certain threshold.
10	An act relating to dealers in new or used cars or motor trucks
11	It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:
12	Sec. 1. 23 V.S.A. § 4(8)(A) is amended to read:
13	(8)(A)(i) "Dealer" means a person, partnership, corporation, or other
14	entity engaged in the business of selling or exchanging new or used motor
15	vehicles, snowmobiles, motorboats, or all-terrain vehicles. A dealer may, as
16	part of or incidental to such business, repair such vehicles or motorboats, sell
17	parts and accessories, or lease or rent such vehicles or motorboats. "Dealer"
18	shall not include a finance or auction dealer or a transporter.
19	(ii)(I) For a dealer in new or used cars or motor trucks, "engaged
20	in the business" means:

1	(aa) having sold or exchanged at least 12 cars or motor
2	trucks, or a combination thereof of the two, in the immediately preceding year,
3	or 24 cars or motor trucks, or a combination of the two, in the two immediately
4	preceding years; or
5	(bb) having made \$75,000.00 or more in total retail sales of
6	cars and motor trucks in the immediately preceding year or \$150,000.00 or
7	more in total retail sales of cars and motor trucks in the two immediately
8	preceding years.
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10	Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE
11	This act shall take effect on January 1, 2022.