

1 left of center of the windshield if the materials do not extend downward more than four inches
2 from the top edge of the windshield; or

3 (b) in the lower left-hand corner of the rear window provided they do not extend more than
4 three inches to the right of the left edge or more than four inches above the bottom edge of the
5 window.

6 (3) A windshield or other window is considered to comply with the requirements of
7 Subsection (1) if the windshield or other window meets the federal statutes and regulations for
8 motor vehicle window composition, covering, light transmittance, and treatment [~~at the time the~~
9 ~~windshield or other window is manufactured if the amount of light the windshield or other window~~
10 ~~transmits is not altered after manufacture~~].

11 (4) Except for material on the windshield or rear window used in compliance with
12 Subsection (2), a motor vehicle with tinting on any window shall be equipped with rear-view
13 mirrors mounted on the left side and on the right side of the motor vehicle to reflect to the driver
14 a view of the highway to the rear of the motor vehicle.

15 (5) (a) The windshield on every motor vehicle shall be equipped with a device for cleaning
16 rain, snow, or other moisture from the windshield. The device shall be constructed to be operated
17 by the driver.

18 (b) Every windshield wiper on a motor vehicle shall be maintained in good working order.

19 (6) (a) A person may not have for sale, sell, offer for sale, install, cover, or treat a
20 windshield or window in violation of this section.

21 (b) A person who violates this section is guilty of a class C misdemeanor.

22 (7) Notwithstanding this section, any person subject to the federal Motor Vehicle Safety
23 Standards, including motor vehicle manufacturers, distributors, dealers, importers, and repair
24 businesses, shall comply with the federal standards on motor vehicle window tinting.

25 **Section 2. Effective date.**

26 If approved by two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, this act takes effect
27 upon approval by the governor, or the day following the constitutional time limit of Utah
28 Constitution Article VII, Section 8, without the governor's signature, or in the case of a veto, the
29 date of veto override.

Legislative Review Note
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A limited legal review of this bill raises no obvious constitutional or statutory concerns.

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Committee Note

The Transportation Interim Committee recommended this bill.