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Sponsor(s): Senate Committee on Transportation (originally sponsored by Senators Costa, Swecker, Kastama, Fairley, Oke, Gardner, Haugen and Eide)

Brief Description: Regulating motorized scooters. (REVISED FOR ENGROSSED: Regulating motorized foot scooters.)

SB 5113-S.E - DIGEST

(AS OF SENATE 2ND READING 3/12/01)

Provides for the regulation of the use of motorized scooters. Declares that persons under twelve years of age may not operate a motorized foot scooter.

Provides that motorized foot scooters may not be operated at any time from a half hour after sunset to a half hour before sunrise without reflectors of a type approved by the state patrol.

Declares that no driver's license is required to operate a motorized foot scooter.

Provides that a motorized foot scooter that is powered by an electric motor will be treated and regulated as a bicycle.