Honorable Chairman Gary Hayzlett,
and members of the House Transportation Committee

This bill establishes state licensing for armored car carriers. These companies provide secured transportation of valuables in bullet-resistant armored vehicles and the items transported are protected by armored car guards. These guards carry a firearm or are authorized by the employer to access a firearm when providing armored car services.

I introduced this bill, HB2700, at the request of a constituent. My constituent said that they are licensed by each city where they operate, and that they are required to make separate applications to each city. This bill will establish state-wide licensing for the companies and the guards. The attorney general will have the authority to grant these licenses.

Respectfully,

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Representative Mario Goico