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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 471**

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1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to government; to prohibit certain  
2 restrictions by state agencies, state entities, counties, cities,  
3 and villages relating to the energy source of motor vehicles; and to  
4 prohibit certain actions of the Department of Environment and Energy  
5 relating to vehicle emission standards.  
6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           **Section 1.** No state agency or other state entity shall restrict the  
2 use of, purchase of, or sale of any motor vehicle as defined in section  
3 39-101 based on the energy source used to power any component of the  
4 motor vehicle, including any energy source used for propulsion of the  
5 motor vehicle or used for powering any function of the motor vehicle.

6           **Sec. 2.** No county, city, or village shall restrict the use of,  
7 purchase of, or sale of any motor vehicle as defined in section 39-101  
8 based on the energy source used to power any component of the motor  
9 vehicle, including any energy source used for propulsion of the motor  
10 vehicle or used for powering any function of the motor vehicle.

11           **Sec. 3.** The Department of Environment and Energy shall not seek, or  
12 cause to be sought, any waiver from the federal Clean Air Act to enact  
13 more stringent vehicle emission standards than required by the United  
14 States Environmental Protection Agency.