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**TITLE 7. VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC
SUBTITLE A. CERTIFICATES OF TITLE AND REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES
CHAPTER 501. CERTIFICATE OF TITLE ACT
SUBCHAPTER A. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

§ 501.001. Short Title

This chapter may be cited as the Certificate of Title Act.

Acts 1995, 74th Leg., ch. 165, § 1, eff. Sept. 1, 1995.

§ 501.002. Definitions

In this chapter:

(5) "First sale" means:

(A) the bargain, sale, transfer, or delivery of a motor vehicle that has not been previously registered or licensed, with intent to pass an interest in the motor vehicle, other than a lien, regardless of where the bargain, sale, transfer, or delivery occurred; and

(B) the registration or licensing of that vehicle.

(15) "New motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle that has not been the subject of a first sale.