

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 966

BY REPRESENTATIVE GEYMANN

MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC: Provides relative to required documentation for the issuance of driver's licenses and special identification cards

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 32:410(A)(3)(a)(ii) and R.S. 40:1321(A), relative to the issuance
3 of driver's licenses and special identification cards, required documents for such
4 issuance; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 32:410(A)(3)(a)(ii) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as
7 follows:

8 §410. Form of license; photograph, signature of licensee, anatomical gift statement,
9 declaration of life-sustaining procedures, and additional information on
10 license

11 A.

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13 (3)(a) Every license issued shall bear thereon:

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15 (ii) The applicant's full legal name, excluding the applicant's Social Security
16 number. For the purposes of this Item, an applicant's full legal name shall be defined
17 in compliance with the Real ID Act, if implemented. If and until such time as the
18 Real ID Act is implemented, the applicant's full legal name shall be defined as the
19 given name or names that appear on an official birth certificate together with the
20 surname as it appears on the official birth certificate, unless the surname is changed

1 in accordance with R.S. 9:292. No other name shall be permitted to be used unless
2 the applicant provides proof of name change granted by a district court in accordance
3 with the law. Should the Real ID Act be implemented, the full legal name shall be
4 defined as stated by the Real ID Act. The department shall promulgate rules and
5 regulations as are necessary to implement the provisions of this Item.

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7 Section 2. R.S. 40:1321(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §1321. Special identification cards; issuance; veteran designation; "I'm a Cajun"
9 designation; fees; expiration and renewal; exceptions; promulgation of rules;
10 promotion of use; persons less than twenty-one years of age; the Protect and
11 Save our Children Program; Selective Service Registration

12 A. Any Louisiana resident may obtain a special identification card from the
13 office of motor vehicles within the Department of Public Safety and Corrections,
14 hereinafter referred to as "OMV". The identifying information and documents of
15 identification required, including any alternative means of ensuring that the applicant
16 meets the requirements of certification developed by the OMV, to obtain a special
17 identification card shall be the same as those required to obtain a Louisiana driver's
18 license as stated in R.S. 32:409.1. However, if the applicant is seventeen years of
19 age, the signature of the custodial parent or guardian shall not be required, provided
20 the applicant has the necessary identifying information and documents.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for required documentation for the issuance of driver's licenses and special identification cards

Present law provides the inclusion of a license applicant full legal name on the driver's license.

Proposed law provides for the exclusion of the applicant's Social Security number printed on the driver's license.

Present law provides for identifying information and documents of identification required to obtain a special identification card.

Proposed law specifies that present law is also applicable to any alternative means of ensuring that the applicant meets the requirements of certification developed by the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections.

(Amends R.S. 32:410(A)(3)(a)(ii) and R.S. 40:1321(A))