

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 406

## 100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MESSENGER.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

### AN ACT

To amend chapter 301, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to motor vehicle licensing and registration fees.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 301, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 301.015, to read as follows:

**301.015. 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, beginning on January 1, 2021, the director of revenue shall increase all state license fees authorized under this chapter and chapters 136, 142, 302, and 430 for inflation, if any. Any fees adjusted under this section shall take effect on January first.**

**2. An initial adjustment shall be calculated using the annual average percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, as reported by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, of two and two-tenths percent per year over a six-year period beginning with year 2013, and this adjustment shall be effective on January 1, 2021.**

**3. Subsequent adjustments shall be calculated and implemented for each three-year period after the initial adjustment under subsection 2 of this section and shall be implemented on January first of the requisite year. Such adjustments shall be based on a fifteen-year average of the annual change in the consumer price index with the fifteen-year period encompassing the fifteen years immediately prior to the effective date of the adjustment under this subsection.**

**4. The director shall publish the adjusted fee amounts by October first of the requisite year that immediately precedes the date the fees take effect.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in bold-face type in the above bill is proposed language.