

1 H.388

2 Introduced by Representative Smith of New Haven

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Motor vehicles; driver's license certificates; nondriver identification  
6 cards

7 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require that  
8 driver's licenses and nondriver identification cards include the holder's  
9 physical address and full name including generational identifiers.

10 An act relating to amending the required contents of driver's licenses and  
11 nondriver identification cards

12 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

13 Sec. 1. 23 V.S.A. § 610 is amended to read:

14 § 610. LICENSE CERTIFICATES

15 (a) The ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner shall assign a distinguishing number  
16 to each licensee and shall furnish the licensee with a license certificate,  
17 showing the number, the licensee's full name without initials and including  
18 any generational identifier, date of birth, a brief physical description, ~~and~~  
19 ~~mailing residential and mailing~~ address, and a space for the signature of the  
20 licensee. The license shall be void until signed by the licensee.

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1 Sec. 2. 23 V.S.A. § 7 is amended to read:

2 § 7. ENHANCED DRIVER LICENSE; MAINTENANCE OF DATABASE  
3 INFORMATION; FEE

4 (a) The face of an enhanced license shall contain the individual's full name  
5 without initials and including any generational identifier, date of birth, gender,  
6 a unique identification number, full facial photograph or imaged likeness,  
7 residential and mailing address, signature, issuance and expiration dates, and  
8 citizenship. The back of the enhanced license shall have a machine-readable  
9 zone. A Gen 2 vicinity Radio Frequency Identification chip shall be embedded  
10 in the enhanced license in compliance with the security standards of the  
11 Department of Homeland Security. Any additional personal identity  
12 information not currently required by the Department of Homeland Security  
13 shall need the approval of either the ~~general assembly~~ General Assembly or the  
14 ~~legislative committee on administrative rules~~ Legislative Committee on  
15 Administrative Rules prior to the implementation of the requirements.

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17 Sec. 3. 23 V.S.A. § 115 is amended to read:

18 § 115. NONDRIVER IDENTIFICATION CARDS

19 (a) Any Vermont resident may make application to the ~~commissioner~~  
20 Commissioner and be issued an identification card which is attested by the  
21 ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner as to true name, correct age, and any other  
22 identifying data as the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner may require which shall

1 include, in the case of minor applicants, the written consent of the applicant's  
2 parent, guardian, or other person standing in loco parentis. Every application  
3 for an identification card shall be signed by the applicant and shall contain  
4 such evidence of age and identity as the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner may  
5 require. The ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner shall require payment of a fee of  
6 \$20.00 at the time application for an identification card is made.

7 (b) Every identification card shall expire, unless earlier canceled, on the  
8 fourth birthday of the applicant following the date of original issue, and may  
9 be renewed every four years upon payment of a \$20.00 fee. At least 30 days  
10 before an identification card will expire, the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner shall  
11 mail first class to the cardholder an application to renew the identification card.

12 (c) In the event an identification card is lost, destroyed, mutilated, or a new  
13 name is acquired, a replacement may be obtained upon furnishing satisfactory  
14 proof to the ~~commissioner~~ Commissioner and paying a \$15.00 fee.

15 (d) The identification card shall bear a distinguishing number; include a  
16 brief physical description of the cardholder and a space for his or her signature;  
17 show the cardholder's full name without initials and including any generational  
18 identifier, date of birth, and residential and mailing address of the licensee; and  
19 bear the following notice: "For identification purposes only."

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1 Sec. 4. 23 V.S.A. § 4111 is amended to read:

2 § 4111. COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE

3 (a) Contents of license. A commercial driver's license shall be marked  
4 "commercial driver license" or "CDL," and shall be, to the maximum extent  
5 practicable, tamper proof, and shall include, but not be limited to the following  
6 information:

7 (1) The full name without initials and including generational identifier  
8 and the residential and mailing address of the person.

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10 Sec. 5. EFFECTIVE DATE

11 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2013.