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AN ACT relating to the department of motor vehicles and public safety; expanding the methods of payment for which a service charge is assessed by the department if payment for certain fees is dishonored; increasing that service charge; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. NRS 481.079 is hereby amended to read as follows:

481.079 1. Except as otherwise provided by specific statute, all taxes, license fees and money collected pursuant to NRS 481.0475 must be deposited with the state treasurer to the credit of the motor vehicle fund.

2. If ~~any~~ *a* check *or any other method of payment* accepted by the department in payment of fees pursuant to NRS 481.0475 is dishonored upon presentation for payment:

(a) The drawer *or any other person responsible for payment of the fee* is subject to a service charge of ~~+\$10,+~~ *\$25*, in addition to any other penalties provided by law; and

(b) The department may require that future payments from the person be made by cashier's check, money order, traveler's check or cash.

3. The department may adjust the amount of a deposit made with the state treasurer to the credit of the motor vehicle fund for any cash shortage or overage resulting from the collection of fees.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.