

SENATE BILL NO. 503—COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

(ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION)

MARCH 25, 2013

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Revises provisions relating to drivers' licenses and identification cards. (BDR 43-1159)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.  
Effect on the State: Yes.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; providing for the issuance of drivers' licenses, identification cards, commercial drivers' licenses and motorcycle drivers' licenses that are federally qualified; providing for the issuance of drivers' licenses, identification cards and commercial drivers' licenses valid for a period other than 4 years; providing for the issuance of certain nonresident commercial drivers' licenses; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

Existing law requires a person who applies for a driver's license, identification card, commercial driver's license or motorcycle driver's license to provide certain information to the Department of Motor Vehicles and meet certain requirements. (NRS 483.290, 483.340, 483.850, 483.860, 483.928, 486.081) **Sections 5, 6, 12-14, 20 and 27** of this bill require the Department to issue a license or identification card that is federally qualified to a person who: (1) wishes to obtain a license or identification card that is federally qualified; and (2) provides proof of the person's lawful status. **Sections 8 and 15** of this bill require a person to provide proof acceptable to the Department when certain information on a license or identification card changes.

Certain sections of NRS previously provided that a driver's license, identification card or motorcycle driver's license expired on the fourth anniversary of the holder's birthday from the birthday nearest the date of issuance or renewal. These provisions expired by limitation on the date of expiration of any extension of time granted to this State by the Secretary of Homeland Security to comply with the provisions of the Real ID Act of 2005, which occurred on January 15, 2013. These provisions were replaced by provisions that require the Department to adopt



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regulations prescribing when a license or identification card expires. (NRS 483.380, 483.875, 486.161) **Sections 9-11 and 18** of this bill allow the Department to issue licenses and identification cards valid for a period other than 4 years by charging a fee equal to the yearly cost of a license or identification card valid for a period of 4 years multiplied by the number of years that the license or identification card is valid.

Various other sections of NRS expired by limitation or were replaced by new sections effective upon this expiration on January 15, 2013, of the extension of time granted to this State by the Secretary of Homeland Security to comply with the provisions of the Real ID Act of 2005. (NRS 481.052, 483.290, 483.340, 483.345, 483.380, 483.840, 483.850, 483.860, 483.875, 486.081, 486.161) These provisions will be removed or changed as appropriate upon the next codification of NRS.

Existing law allows for the issuance of a commercial driver's license to nonresidents in certain circumstances. (NRS 483.934, 483.936) Federal regulations additionally allow for a nonresident to obtain a commercial driver's license or commercial learner's permit if the person is a resident of a state that is prohibited from issuing commercial driver's licenses pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 384.405. (49 C.F.R. § 383.78) **Sections 21 and 22** of this bill provide for the issuance of a nonresident commercial driver's license or nonresident commercial learner's permit to such a person.

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

**Section 1.** Chapter 483 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto the provisions set forth as sections 2 and 3 of this act.

**Sec. 2.** *“Federally qualified” means a license or identification card which complies with the provisions of the Real ID Act of 2005, Public Law 109-13, Division B, Title II, 119 Stat. 302, 49 U.S.C. § 30301, and any regulations adopted pursuant thereto and which may be accepted by a federal agency for any official purpose.*

**Sec. 3.** *“Lawful status” has the meaning ascribed to it in 6 C.F.R. § 37.3.*

**Sec. 4.** NRS 483.020 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
483.020 As used in NRS 483.010 to 483.630, inclusive, *and sections 2 and 3 of this act*, unless the context otherwise requires, the words and terms defined in NRS 483.030 to 483.190, inclusive, *and sections 2 and 3 of this act* have the meanings ascribed to them in those sections.

**Sec. 5.** NRS 483.290 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
483.290 1. Every application for an instruction permit or for a driver's license must:

- (a) Be made upon a form furnished by the Department.
- (b) Be verified by the applicant before a person authorized to administer oaths. Officers and employees of the Department may administer those oaths without charge.
- (c) Be accompanied by the required fee.



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(d) State the full legal name, date of birth, sex, address of principal residence and mailing address, if different from the address of principal residence, of the applicant and briefly describe the applicant.

(e) State whether the applicant has theretofore been licensed as a driver, and, if so, when and by what state or country, and whether any such license has ever been suspended or revoked, or whether an application has ever been refused, and, if so, the date of and reason for the suspension, revocation or refusal.

(f) *State whether the application is for a driver's license that is federally qualified.*

(g) Include such other information as the Department may require to determine the competency and eligibility of the applicant.

2. Every applicant must furnish proof of his or her full legal name, ~~and~~ age ~~[by displaying an original or certified copy of the required documents as prescribed by regulation.]~~, *address of principal residence, social security number or ineligibility to receive a social security number and, if the applicant is applying for a driver's license that is federally qualified, lawful status.*

3. The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing the documents *or other means by which* an applicant may ~~use to~~ furnish proof ~~[of his or her full legal name and age]~~ *pursuant to subsection 2* to the Department.

4. At the time of applying for a driver's license, an applicant may, if eligible, register to vote pursuant to NRS 293.524.

5. ~~[Every applicant who has been assigned a social security number must furnish proof of his or her social security number by displaying:~~

~~—(a) An original card issued to the applicant by the Social Security Administration bearing the social security number of the applicant; or~~

~~—(b) Other proof acceptable to the Department, including, without limitation, records of employment or federal income tax returns.~~

~~6.]~~ The Department may refuse to accept a driver's license issued by another state, the District of Columbia or any territory of the United States if the Department determines that the other state, the District of Columbia or the territory of the United States has less stringent standards than the State of Nevada for the issuance of a driver's license.

~~[7.]~~ 6. With respect to any document presented by a person who was born outside of the United States to prove his or her full legal name, ~~and~~ age ~~[.]~~ *or lawful status*, the Department:

(a) May, if the document has expired, refuse to accept the document or refuse to issue a driver's license to the person presenting the document, or both; and



(b) Shall issue to the person presenting the document a driver's license that is valid only during the time the applicant is authorized to stay in the United States, or if there is no definite end to the time the applicant is authorized to stay, the driver's license is valid for 1 year beginning on the date of issuance.

~~18-1~~ 7. The Administrator shall adopt regulations setting forth criteria pursuant to which the Department will issue or refuse to issue a driver's license in accordance with this section to a person who is a citizen of any state, the District of Columbia, any territory of the United States or a foreign country. The criteria pursuant to which the Department shall issue or refuse to issue a driver's license to a citizen of a foreign country must be based upon the purpose for which that person is present within the United States.

~~19-1~~ 8. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, the Department shall not accept a consular identification card as proof of the age or identity of an applicant for an instruction permit or for a driver's license. As used in this subsection, "consular identification card" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 232.006.

**Sec. 6.** NRS 483.340 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.340 1. The Department shall, upon payment of the required fee, issue to every qualified applicant a driver's license indicating the type or class of vehicles the licensee may drive ~~H~~ *and whether the driver's license is federally qualified.*

2. The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing the information that must be contained on a driver's license.

3. The Department may issue a driver's license for purposes of identification only for use by officers of local police and sheriffs' departments, agents of the Investigation Division of the Department of Public Safety while engaged in special undercover investigations relating to narcotics or prostitution or for other undercover investigations requiring the establishment of a fictitious identity, federal agents while engaged in undercover investigations, investigators employed by the Attorney General while engaged in undercover investigations, criminal investigators employed by the Secretary of State while engaged in undercover investigations and agents of the State Gaming Control Board while engaged in investigations pursuant to NRS 463.140. An application for such a license must be made through the head of the police or sheriff's department, the Chief of the Investigation Division of the Department of Public Safety, the director of the appropriate federal agency, the Attorney General, the Secretary of State or his or her designee or the Chair of the State Gaming Control Board. Such a license is exempt from the fees required by NRS 483.410. The Department, by regulation, shall provide for the cancellation of any



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1 such driver's license upon the completion of the special  
2 investigation for which it was issued.

3 4. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 239.0115, information  
4 pertaining to the issuance of a driver's license pursuant to  
5 subsection 3 is confidential.

6 5. It is unlawful for any person to use a driver's license issued  
7 pursuant to subsection 3 for any purpose other than the special  
8 investigation for which it was issued.

9 6. At the time of the issuance or renewal of the driver's license,  
10 the Department shall:

11 (a) Give the holder the opportunity to have indicated on his or  
12 her driver's license that the holder wishes to be a donor of all or part  
13 of his or her body pursuant to NRS 451.500 to 451.598, inclusive, or  
14 to refuse to make an anatomical gift of his or her body or part  
15 thereof.

16 (b) Give the holder the opportunity to have indicated whether he  
17 or she wishes to donate \$1 or more to the Anatomical Gift Account  
18 created by NRS 460.150.

19 (c) Provide to each holder who is interested in becoming a donor  
20 information relating to anatomical gifts, including the procedure for  
21 registering as a donor with the donor registry with which the  
22 Department has entered into a contract pursuant to this paragraph.  
23 To carry out this paragraph, the Department shall, on such terms as  
24 it deems appropriate, enter into a contract with a donor registry that  
25 is in compliance with the provisions of NRS 451.500 to 451.598,  
26 inclusive.

27 (d) If the Department has established a program for imprinting a  
28 symbol or other indicator of a medical condition on a driver's  
29 license pursuant to NRS 483.3485, give the holder the opportunity  
30 to have a symbol or other indicator of a medical condition imprinted  
31 on his or her driver's license.

32 7. If the holder wishes to make a donation to the Anatomical  
33 Gift Account, the Department shall collect the donation and deposit  
34 the money collected in the State Treasury for credit to the  
35 Anatomical Gift Account.

36 8. The Department shall submit to the donor registry with  
37 which the Department has entered into a contract pursuant to  
38 paragraph (c) of subsection 6 information from the records of the  
39 Department relating to persons who have drivers' licenses that  
40 indicate the intention of those persons to make an anatomical gift.  
41 The Department shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions  
42 of this subsection.



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**Sec. 7.** NRS 483.380 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.380 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.283 ~~†~~ *and paragraph (b) of subsection 6 of NRS 483.290*, every driver's license expires as prescribed by regulation.

2. The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing when a driver's license expires. The Department may, by regulation, defer the expiration of the driver's license of a person who is on active duty in the Armed Forces *of the United States* upon such terms and conditions as it may prescribe. The Department may similarly defer the expiration of the license of the spouse or dependent son or daughter of that person if the spouse or child is residing with the person.

**Sec. 8.** NRS 483.390 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.390 1. Whenever any person after applying for or receiving a driver's license moves from the address named in the application or in the license issued to the person, or when the name of a licensee is changed, that person shall within 30 days thereafter notify the Department of his or her new and old addresses, or of such former and new names, and of the number of any license then held by the person ~~†~~ *and provide proof acceptable to the Department of his or her new address or name.*

2. *The Department shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions of this section.*

**Sec. 9.** NRS 483.410 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.410 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection ~~†~~ 7 and NRS 483.417, for every driver's license, including a motorcycle driver's license, issued and service performed, the following fees must be charged:

|                                                                                                                                                                                                             |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| An original or renewal license issued to a person 65 years of age or older.....                                                                                                                             | \$13.50 |
| An original or renewal license issued to any person less than 65 years of age.....                                                                                                                          | 18.50   |
| Administration of the examination required by NRS 483.330 for a noncommercial driver's license .....                                                                                                        | 25.00   |
| Each readministration to the same person of the examination required by NRS 483.330 for a noncommercial driver's license .....                                                                              | 10.00   |
| Reinstatement of a license after suspension, revocation or cancellation, except a revocation for a violation of NRS 484C.110, 484C.120, 484C.130 or 484C.430, or pursuant to NRS 484C.210 and 484C.220..... | 75.00   |
| Reinstatement of a license after revocation for a violation of NRS 484C.110, 484C.120,                                                                                                                      |         |



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|---|---------------------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | 484C.130 or 484C.430, or pursuant to NRS    |          |
| 2 | 484C.210 and 484C.220.....                  | \$120.00 |
| 3 | A new photograph, change of name, change of |          |
| 4 | other information, except address, or any   |          |
| 5 | combination.....                            | 5.00     |
| 6 | A duplicate license .....                   | 14.00    |

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8     2. *If the Department issues a driver's license that is valid for*  
9 *a period other than 4 years, the Department shall charge a fee*  
10 *determined by dividing the fee assessed pursuant to subsection 1*  
11 *by 4 and multiplying the result by the number of years for which*  
12 *the driver's license is valid. If the division and multiplication*  
13 *described in this subsection would yield a fee with a fractional*  
14 *number of cents, the fee must be rounded down to the nearest*  
15 *whole cent.*

16     3. For every motorcycle endorsement to a driver's license, a  
17 fee of \$5 must be charged.

18     ~~13-1~~ 4. If no other change is requested or required, the  
19 Department shall not charge a fee to convert the number of a license  
20 from the licensee's social security number, or a number that was  
21 formulated by using the licensee's social security number as a basis  
22 for the number, to a unique number that is not based on the  
23 licensee's social security number.

24     ~~14-1~~ 5. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.417, the  
25 increase in fees authorized by NRS 483.347 and the fees charged  
26 pursuant to NRS 483.415 must be paid in addition to the fees  
27 charged pursuant to subsections 1 ~~and 2.~~  
28 ~~—5-1, 2 and 3.~~

29     6. A penalty of \$10 must be paid by each person renewing a  
30 license after it has expired for a period of 30 days or more as  
31 provided in NRS 483.386 unless the person is exempt pursuant to  
32 that section.

33     ~~16-1~~ 7. The Department may not charge a fee for the  
34 reinstatement of a driver's license that has been:

- 35         (a) Voluntarily surrendered for medical reasons; or  
36         (b) Cancelled pursuant to NRS 483.310.

37     ~~17-1~~ 8. All fees and penalties are payable to the Administrator  
38 at the time a license or a renewal license is issued.

39     ~~18-1~~ 9. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.340,  
40 subsection 3 of NRS 483.3485, NRS 483.415 and 483.840, and  
41 subsection 3 of NRS 483.863, all money collected by the  
42 Department pursuant to this chapter must be deposited in the State  
43 Treasury for credit to the Motor Vehicle Fund.



**Sec. 10.** NRS 483.415 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.415 1. The Department of Motor Vehicles shall charge and collect a fee of 50 cents, in addition to the fees set forth in NRS 483.410, for every driver's license, including a motorcycle driver's license, issued or renewed.

2. *If the Department issues or renews a driver's license that is valid for a period other than 4 years, the Department shall charge a fee determined by dividing the fee assessed pursuant to subsection 1 by 4 and multiplying the result by the number of years for which the driver's license is valid. If the division and multiplication described in this subsection would yield a fee with a fractional number of cents, the fee must be rounded down to the nearest whole cent.*

3. The Department of Motor Vehicles shall deposit the money into the Highway and Safety Administrative Account which is hereby created in the State Highway Fund. The money in the Account may be used only by the Department of Transportation for:

(a) The support of the position of Motor Vehicle Recovery and Transportation Planner created pursuant to NRS 408.234; and

(b) The support of the position of Highway Safety Information and Outreach Coordinator created pursuant to NRS 408.228, and to carry out the provisions of that section.

**Sec. 11.** NRS 483.820 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.820 1. A person who applies for an identification card in accordance with the provisions of NRS 483.810 to 483.890, inclusive, and who is not ineligible to receive an identification card pursuant to NRS 483.861, is entitled to receive an identification card if the person is:

(a) A resident of this State and is 10 years of age or older and does not hold a valid driver's license or identification card from any state or jurisdiction; or

(b) A seasonal resident who does not hold a valid Nevada driver's license.

2. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.825, the Department shall charge and collect the following fees for the issuance of an original, duplicate or changed identification card:

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| An original or duplicate identification card issued to a person 65 years of age or older..... | \$4 |
| An original or duplicate identification card issued to a person under 18 years of age .....   | 3   |
| A renewal of an identification card for a person under 18 years of age .....                  | 3   |
| An original or duplicate identification card issued to any other person .....                 | 9   |



A renewal of an identification card for any person at  
least 18 years of age, but less than 65 years of  
age ..... \$9  
A new photograph or change of name, or both ..... 4

*3. If the Department issues an original or renewed identification card that is valid for a period other than 4 years, the Department shall charge a fee determined by dividing the fee assessed pursuant to subsection 2 by 4 and multiplying the result by the number of years for which the identification card is valid. This subsection does not apply to a duplicate identification card that is valid for a period other than 4 years. If the division and multiplication described in this subsection would yield a fee with a fractional number of cents, the fee must be rounded down to the nearest whole cent.*

4. The Department shall not charge a fee for:

- (a) An identification card issued to a person who has voluntarily surrendered his or her driver's license pursuant to NRS 483.420; or
- (b) A renewal of an identification card for a person 65 years of age or older.

~~4.5.~~ 5. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.825, the increase in fees authorized in NRS 483.347 must be paid in addition to the fees charged pursuant to this section.

~~5.5.~~ 6. As used in this section, "photograph" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 483.125.

**Sec. 12.** NRS 483.840 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.840 1. The form of the identification cards must be similar to that of drivers' licenses but distinguishable in color or otherwise.

2. Identification cards do not authorize the operation of any motor vehicles.

*3. Each identification card issued by the Department must contain an indicator of whether the identification card is federally qualified. As used in this subsection, "federally qualified" has the meaning ascribed to it in section 2 of this act.*

4. The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing the information that must be contained on an identification card.

~~4.5.~~ 5. At the time of the issuance or renewal of the identification card, the Department shall:

- (a) Give the holder the opportunity to have indicated on his or her identification card that the holder wishes to be a donor of all or part of his or her body pursuant to NRS 451.500 to 451.598, inclusive, or to refuse to make an anatomical gift of his or her body or part thereof.



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(b) Give the holder the opportunity to indicate whether he or she wishes to donate \$1 or more to the Anatomical Gift Account created by NRS 460.150.

(c) Provide to each holder who is interested in becoming a donor information relating to anatomical gifts, including the procedure for registering as a donor with the donor registry with which the Department has entered into a contract pursuant to this paragraph. To carry out this paragraph, the Department shall, on such terms as it deems appropriate, enter into a contract with a donor registry that is in compliance with the provisions of NRS 451.500 to 451.598, inclusive.

(d) If the Department has established a program for imprinting a symbol or other indicator of a medical condition on an identification card pursuant to NRS 483.863, give the holder the opportunity to have a symbol or other indicator of a medical condition imprinted on his or her identification card.

~~15-1~~ 6. If the holder wishes to make a donation to the Anatomical Gift Account, the Department shall collect the donation and deposit the money collected in the State Treasury for credit to the Anatomical Gift Account.

~~16-1~~ 7. The Department shall submit to the donor registry with which the Department has entered into a contract pursuant to paragraph (c) of subsection ~~14-1~~ 5 information from the records of the Department relating to persons who have identification cards issued by the Department that indicate the intention of those persons to make an anatomical gift. The Department shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions of this subsection.

**Sec. 13.** NRS 483.850 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.850 1. Every application for an identification card must be made upon a form provided by the Department and include, without limitation:

(a) The applicant's:

(1) Full legal name.

(2) Date of birth.

(3) State of legal residence.

(4) Current address of principal residence and mailing address, if different from his or her address of principal residence, in this State, unless the applicant is on active duty in the military service of the United States.

(b) A statement from:

(1) A resident stating that he or she does not hold a valid driver's license or identification card from any state or ~~jurisdiction-~~ *territory of the United States;* or

(2) A seasonal resident stating that he or she does not hold a valid Nevada driver's license.



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(c) *A statement of whether the application is for an identification card that is federally qualified. As used in this paragraph, "federally qualified" has the meaning ascribed to it in section 2 of this act.*

(d) *Such other information as the Department may require to determine the eligibility of the applicant.*

2. When the form is completed, the applicant must sign the form and verify the contents before a person authorized to administer oaths.

3. ~~[An applicant who has been issued a social security number must provide to the Department for inspection:~~

~~—(a) An original card issued to the applicant by the Social Security Administration bearing the social security number of the applicant; or~~

~~—(b) Other proof acceptable to the Department bearing the social security number of the applicant, including, without limitation, records of employment or federal income tax returns.~~

~~—4.]~~ At the time of applying for an identification card, an applicant may, if eligible, register to vote pursuant to NRS 293.524.

~~[5.]~~ 4. A person who possesses a driver's license or identification card issued by another state, *the District of Columbia* or ~~jurisdiction~~ *a territory of the United States and* who wishes to apply for an identification card pursuant to this section shall surrender to the Department the driver's license or identification card issued by the other state, *the District of Columbia* or ~~jurisdiction~~ *territory* at the time the person applies for an identification card pursuant to this section. *The Department shall notify the other state, the District of Columbia or territory of the United States of the surrender of the driver's license or identification card.*

Sec. 14. NRS 483.860 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.860 1. Every applicant for an identification card must furnish proof of his or her full legal name, ~~[and]~~ age ~~[by presenting an original or certified copy of the required documents as prescribed by regulation.]~~, *address of principal residence, social security number or ineligibility to receive a social security number and, if the applicant is applying for an identification card that is federally qualified, lawful status.*

2. The Director shall adopt regulations:

(a) Prescribing the documents *or other means by which* an applicant may ~~use to~~ furnish proof ~~[of his or her full legal name and age]~~ *pursuant to subsection 1* to the Department; and

(b) Setting forth criteria pursuant to which the Department will issue or refuse to issue an identification card in accordance with this section to a person who is a citizen of a state, the District of



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1 Columbia, any territory of the United States or a foreign country.  
2 The criteria pursuant to which the Department shall issue or refuse  
3 to issue an identification card to a citizen of a foreign country must  
4 be based upon the purpose for which that person is present within  
5 the United States.

6 3. *With respect to any document presented by a person who*  
7 *was born outside of the United States to prove his or her full legal*  
8 *name, age or lawful status, the Department:*

9 (a) *May, if the document has expired, refuse to accept the*  
10 *document or refuse to issue an identification card to the person*  
11 *presenting the document, or both; and*

12 (b) *Shall issue to the person presenting the document an*  
13 *identification card that is valid only during the time the applicant*  
14 *is authorized to stay in the United States, or if there is no definite*  
15 *end to the time the applicant is authorized to stay, the*  
16 *identification card is valid for 1 year beginning on the date of*  
17 *issuance.*

18 4. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, the  
19 Department shall not accept a consular identification card as proof  
20 of the age or identity of an applicant for an identification card. As  
21 used in this subsection, "consular identification card" has the  
22 meaning ascribed to it in NRS 232.006.

23 5. *As used in this section:*

24 (a) *"Federally qualified" has the meaning ascribed to it in*  
25 *section 2 of this act.*

26 (b) *"Lawful status" has the meaning ascribed to it in section 3*  
27 *of this act.*

28 **Sec. 15.** NRS 483.870 is hereby amended to read as follows:

29 483.870 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.875, an  
30 identification card that is issued to:

31 (a) A seasonal resident remains valid until its expiration date so  
32 long as the person does not become licensed in Nevada to drive a  
33 motor vehicle and the facts and circumstances declared in the  
34 application and stated on the card do not change. An identification  
35 card must be surrendered by a seasonal resident upon issuance of a  
36 Nevada driver's license.

37 (b) A resident remains valid until its expiration date so long as  
38 the person does not become licensed in any state or jurisdiction to  
39 drive a motor vehicle and the facts and circumstances declared in  
40 the application and stated on the card do not change. An  
41 identification card must be surrendered by a resident upon issuance  
42 of a driver's license from any state or jurisdiction.

43 2. The holder of an identification card shall promptly report  
44 any change in the information declared in the application and stated



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1 in the card to the Department ~~H~~ *and provide proof acceptable to*  
2 *the Department of the change in the information.*

3 3. Any change occurring in the holder's address or name as the  
4 result of marriage or otherwise or any loss of an identification card  
5 must be reported within 30 days after the occurrence to the  
6 Department ~~H~~ , *and the holder shall provide proof acceptable to*  
7 *the Department of his or her new address or name, if applicable.*

8 4. *The Department shall adopt regulations to carry out the*  
9 *provisions of this section.*

10 **Sec. 16.** NRS 483.875 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
11 483.875 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS **483.860**,  
12 483.861 and 483.870, an identification card and a renewal of an  
13 identification card issued pursuant to NRS 483.810 to 483.890,  
14 inclusive, expires as prescribed by regulation.

15 2. The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing when an  
16 identification card expires.

17 3. An identification card is renewable at any time before its  
18 expiration upon application and payment of the required fee.

19 4. The Department shall issue an identification card that is  
20 valid only during the time the applicant is authorized to stay in the  
21 United States, or if there is no definite end to the time the applicant  
22 is authorized to stay, the identification card is valid for 1 year  
23 beginning on the date of issuance.

24 **Sec. 17.** NRS 483.904 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
25 483.904 As used in NRS 483.900 to 483.940, inclusive, unless  
26 the context otherwise requires:

27 1. "Commercial driver's license" means a license issued to a  
28 person which authorizes the person to drive a class or type of  
29 commercial motor vehicle.

30 2. "Commercial Driver's License Information System" means  
31 the information system maintained by the Secretary of  
32 Transportation pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 31309 to serve as a  
33 clearinghouse for locating information relating to the licensing,  
34 identification and disqualification of operators of commercial motor  
35 vehicles.

36 3. *"Federally qualified" has the meaning ascribed to it in*  
37 *section 2 of this act.*

38 4. *"Lawful status" has the meaning ascribed to it in section 3*  
39 *of this act.*

40 5. "Out-of-service order" means a temporary prohibition  
41 against:

42 (a) A person operating a commercial motor vehicle as such a  
43 prohibition is described in 49 C.F.R. § 395.13; or

44 (b) The operation of a commercial motor vehicle as such a  
45 prohibition is described in 49 C.F.R. § 396.9(c).



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**Sec. 18.** NRS 483.910 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
483.910 1. The Department shall charge and collect the following fees:

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| For an original commercial driver's license <del>which requires the Department to administer a driving skills test</del> .....                                                                                                                                                                                                          | \$84 |
| <del>For an original commercial driver's license which does not require the Department to administer a driving skills test</del> <i>or nonresident commercial driver's license</i> .....                                                                                                                                                | 54   |
| For renewal of a commercial driver's license <del>which requires the Department to administer a driving skills test</del> .....                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 84   |
| <del>For renewal of a commercial driver's license which does not require the Department to administer a driving skills test</del> <i>or nonresident commercial driver's license</i> .....                                                                                                                                               | 54   |
| For reinstatement of a commercial driver's license after suspension or revocation of the license for a violation of NRS 484C.110, 484C.120, 484C.130 or 484C.430, or pursuant to NRS 484C.210 and 484C.220, or pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 383.51(b)(2)(i) or (ii) .....                                                                    | 145  |
| For reinstatement of a commercial driver's license after suspension, revocation, cancellation or disqualification of the license, except a suspension or revocation for a violation of NRS 484C.110, 484C.120, 484C.130 or 484C.430, or pursuant to NRS 484C.210 and 484C.220, or pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 383.51(b)(2)(i) or (ii) ..... | 110  |
| <del>For the transfer of a commercial driver's license from another jurisdiction, which requires the Department to administer a driving skills test</del> .....                                                                                                                                                                         | 84   |
| <del>For the transfer of a commercial driver's license from another jurisdiction, which does not require the Department to administer a driving skills test</del> .....                                                                                                                                                                 | 54   |
| For a duplicate commercial driver's license .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 19   |
| For any change of information on a commercial driver's license .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 9    |
| For each endorsement added after the issuance of an original commercial driver's license .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 14   |
| For the administration of a driving skills test <i>for the issuance, renewal or transfer of a commercial driver's license or</i> to change any information on,                                                                                                                                                                          |      |



or add an endorsement to, an existing  
commercial driver's license ..... \$30

*For an original commercial learner's permit or  
nonresident commercial learner's permit or for  
renewal of a commercial learner's permit or  
nonresident commercial learner's permit ..... 33*

2. *If the Department issues a commercial driver's license, nonresident commercial driver's license, commercial learner's permit or nonresident commercial learner's permit that is valid for a period other than 4 years, the Department must charge a fee determined by dividing the fee assessed by subsection 1 by 4 and multiplying the result by the number of years for which the commercial driver's license, nonresident commercial driver's license, commercial learner's permit or nonresident commercial learner's permit is valid. If the division and multiplication described in this subsection would yield a fee with a fractional number of cents, the fee must be rounded down to the nearest whole cent.*

3. The Department shall charge and collect an annual fee of \$555 from each person who is authorized by the Department to administer a driving skills test pursuant to NRS 483.912.

~~13-1~~ 4. An additional charge of \$3 must be charged for each knowledge test administered to a person who has twice failed the test.

~~14-1~~ 5. An additional charge of \$25 must be charged for each driving skills test administered to a person who has twice failed the test.

~~15-1~~ 6. The increase in fees authorized in NRS 483.347 must be paid in addition to the fees charged pursuant to this section.

~~16-1~~ 7. The Department shall charge an applicant for a hazardous materials endorsement an additional fee for the processing of fingerprints. The Department shall establish the additional fee by regulation, except that the amount of the additional fee must not exceed the sum of the amount charged by the Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History and each applicable federal agency to process the fingerprints for a background check of the applicant in accordance with Section 1012 of the Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act (USA PATRIOT ACT) of 2001, 49 U.S.C. § 5103a.

**Sec. 19.** NRS 483.926 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.926 1. Any person to whom a valid commercial driver's license has been issued may exercise the privilege thereby granted upon all streets and highways of this State and shall not be required



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1 to obtain any other license to exercise the privilege by any county,  
2 municipal or local board or body having authority to adopt local  
3 police regulations.

4 2. Except persons expressly exempted in regulations adopted  
5 by the Department pursuant to NRS 483.908, a person shall not  
6 steer or exercise any degree of physical control of a vehicle being  
7 towed by a motor vehicle upon a highway unless the person has a  
8 license to drive the type or class of vehicle being towed.

9 3. The Department shall not issue a commercial driver's  
10 license to a person until the person surrenders to the Department all  
11 valid licenses *or identification cards* in his or her possession issued  
12 to the person by this or any other ~~jurisdiction. Surrendered licenses~~  
13 ~~issued by another jurisdiction must be returned by the Department to~~  
14 ~~that jurisdiction.~~ *state, District of Columbia or territory of the*  
15 *United States. The Department shall notify the other state, District*  
16 *of Columbia or territory of the United States of the surrender of*  
17 *the license or identification card.*

18 4. A person shall not have more than one valid driver's license.

19 **Sec. 20.** NRS 483.928 is hereby amended to read as follows:

20 483.928 1. A person who wishes to be issued a commercial  
21 driver's license by this State must:

22 ~~1-1~~ (a) Apply to the Department for a commercial driver's  
23 license;

24 ~~1-2~~ (b) In accordance with standards contained in regulations  
25 adopted by the Department:

26 ~~1-3~~ (1) Pass a knowledge test for the type of motor vehicle the  
27 person operates or expects to operate; and

28 ~~1-4~~ (2) Pass a driving skills test for driving a commercial  
29 motor vehicle taken in a motor vehicle which is representative of the  
30 type of motor vehicle the person operates or expects to operate;

31 ~~1-5~~ (c) Comply with all other requirements contained in the  
32 regulations adopted by the Department pursuant to NRS 483.908;

33 ~~1-6~~ (d) Not be ineligible to be issued a commercial driver's  
34 license pursuant to NRS 483.929; ~~and~~

35 ~~5-1~~ (e) For the issuance of a commercial driver's license with an  
36 endorsement for hazardous materials, submit a complete set of  
37 fingerprints and written permission authorizing the Department to  
38 forward the fingerprints to the Central Repository for Nevada  
39 Records of Criminal History and all applicable federal agencies to  
40 process the fingerprints for a background check of the applicant in  
41 accordance with Section 1012 of the Uniting and Strengthening  
42 America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and  
43 Obstruct Terrorism Act (USA PATRIOT ACT) of 2001, 49 U.S.C.  
44 § 5103a ~~1-1~~ ; and



1       (f) *State whether the person wishes to be issued a commercial*  
2 *driver's license that is federally qualified.*

3       2. *Every person who wishes to be issued a commercial*  
4 *driver's license by this State must furnish proof of his or her full*  
5 *legal name, age, address of principal residence, social security*  
6 *number or ineligibility to receive a social security number and, if*  
7 *the applicant is applying for a commercial driver's license that is*  
8 *federally qualified, lawful status.*

9       3. *The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing the*  
10 *documents or other means by which a person who wishes to be*  
11 *issued a commercial driver's license by this State may furnish*  
12 *proof pursuant to subsection 2 to the Department.*

13       4. *As used in this section:*

14       (a) *"Federally qualified" has the meaning ascribed to it in*  
15 *section 2 of this act.*

16       (b) *"Lawful status" has the meaning ascribed to it in section 3*  
17 *of this act.*

18       **Sec. 21.** NRS 483.934 is hereby amended to read as follows:

19       483.934 Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.936, the  
20 Department may not issue a commercial driver's license *or*  
21 *commercial learner's permit* to a person unless the person is a  
22 resident of this State.

23       **Sec. 22.** NRS 483.936 is hereby amended to read as follows:

24       483.936 A person who is a resident of a foreign jurisdiction  
25 which the Federal Highway Administrator has determined does not  
26 test drivers and issue commercial drivers' licenses in accordance  
27 with federal standards *or who is a resident of a state while that*  
28 *state is prohibited from issuing commercial drivers' licenses*  
29 *pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 384.405* and who wishes to be issued a  
30 nonresident commercial driver's license *or nonresident commercial*  
31 *learner's permit* by this State must:

32       1. Apply to the Department for a nonresident commercial  
33 driver's license ~~H~~ *or nonresident commercial learner's permit;*  
34 and

35       2. Comply with all other requirements contained in the  
36 regulations adopted by the Department pursuant to NRS 483.908.

37       **Sec. 23.** Chapter 486 of NRS is hereby amended by adding  
38 thereto the provisions set forth as sections 24 and 25 of this act.

39       **Sec. 24.** *"Federally qualified" has the meaning ascribed to it*  
40 *in section 2 of this act.*

41       **Sec. 25.** *"Lawful status" has the meaning ascribed to it in*  
42 *section 3 of this act.*

43       **Sec. 26.** NRS 486.011 is hereby amended to read as follows:

44       486.011 As used in NRS 486.011 to 486.381, inclusive, *and*  
45 *sections 24 and 25 of this act*, unless the context otherwise requires,



1 the words and terms defined in NRS 486.031 to 486.057, inclusive,  
2 *and sections 24 and 25 of this act* have the meanings ascribed to  
3 them in those sections.

4 **Sec. 27.** NRS 486.081 is hereby amended to read as follows:

5 486.081 1. Every application for a motorcycle driver's  
6 license must be made upon a form furnished by the Department and  
7 must be verified by the applicant before a person authorized to  
8 administer oaths. Officers and employees of the Department may  
9 administer those oaths without charge.

10 2. Every application must:

11 (a) State the full legal name, date of birth, sex, address of  
12 principal residence and mailing address, if different from the  
13 address of principal residence;

14 (b) Briefly describe the applicant;

15 (c) State whether the applicant has previously been licensed as a  
16 driver, and, if so, when and by what state or country;

17 (d) State whether any such license has ever been suspended or  
18 revoked, or whether an application has ever been refused, and, if so,  
19 the date of and reason for such suspension, revocation or refusal;

20 ~~and~~

21 (e) *State whether the application is for a motorcycle driver's*  
22 *license that is federally qualified; and*

23 (f) Give such other information as the Department requires to  
24 determine the competency and eligibility of the applicant.

25 3. Every applicant ~~shall~~ *must* furnish proof of his or her full  
26 legal name , ~~and~~ age ~~by displaying an original or certified copy of~~  
27 ~~the required documents as prescribed by regulation.~~ , *address of*  
28 *principal residence, social security number or ineligibility to*  
29 *receive a social security number and, if the applicant is applying*  
30 *for a motorcycle driver's license that is federally qualified, lawful*  
31 *status.*

32 4. The Department shall adopt regulations prescribing the  
33 documents *or other means by which* an applicant may ~~use to~~  
34 furnish proof ~~of his or her full legal name and age~~ *pursuant to*  
35 *subsection 3* to the Department.

36 5. ~~Every applicant who has been assigned a social security~~  
37 ~~number must furnish proof of the social security number by~~  
38 ~~displaying:~~

39 ~~—(a) An original card issued to the applicant by the Social~~  
40 ~~Security Administration bearing the social security number of the~~  
41 ~~applicant; or~~

42 ~~—(b) Other proof acceptable to the Department, including, without~~  
43 ~~limitation, records of employment or federal income tax returns.~~

44 ~~6.~~ The Department may refuse to accept a driver's license  
45 issued by another state, the District of Columbia or any territory of



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1 the United States if the Department determines that the other state,  
2 the District of Columbia or the territory of the United States has less  
3 stringent standards than the State of Nevada for the issuance of a  
4 driver's license.

5 ~~17-1~~ 6. With respect to any document that has expired:

6 (a) The Department may refuse to accept the document or refuse  
7 to issue a driver's license to the person presenting the document, or  
8 both; and

9 (b) If the document indicates that the person is authorized to  
10 stay in the United States, the Department shall issue to the person  
11 presenting the document a driver's license that is valid only during  
12 the time the applicant is authorized to stay in the United States, or if  
13 there is no definite end to the time the applicant is authorized to  
14 stay, the driver's license is valid for 1 year beginning on the date of  
15 issuance.

16 ~~18-1~~ 7. The Director shall adopt regulations setting forth  
17 criteria pursuant to which the Department will issue or refuse to  
18 issue a driver's license in accordance with this section to a person  
19 who is a citizen of a state, the District of Columbia, any territory of  
20 the United States or a foreign country. The criteria pursuant to  
21 which the Department shall issue or refuse to issue a driver's license  
22 to a citizen of a foreign country must be based upon the purpose for  
23 which that person is present within the United States.

24 ~~19-1~~ 8. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, the  
25 Department shall not accept a consular identification card as proof  
26 of the age or identity of an applicant for a motorcycle driver's  
27 license. As used in this subsection, "consular identification card"  
28 has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 232.006.

29 **Sec. 28.** The Department of Motor Vehicles shall adopt the  
30 regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of this act on or  
31 before January 1, 2014.

32 **Sec. 29.** 1. This section and sections 1 to 8, inclusive, 12 to  
33 17, inclusive, 19, 20 and 23 to 28, inclusive, of this act become  
34 effective upon passage and approval.

35 2. Sections 9, 10 and 11 of this act become effective on  
36 January 1, 2014.

37 3. Sections 18, 21 and 22 of this act become effective on  
38 July 8, 2014.

