

Amendment No. 355

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 383	(BDR 43-743)
Proposed by: Assembly Committee on Transportation	
Amends: Summary: No Title: No Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

ASSEMBLY ACTION			Initial and Date	SENATE ACTION			Initial and Date		
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EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) *blue bold italics* is new language in the original bill; (2) variations of green bold underlining is language proposed to be added in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) orange double underlining is deleted language in the original bill proposed to be retained in this amendment.

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Date: 4/19/2015

A.B. No. 383—Revises provisions relating to drivers’ licenses. (BDR 43-743)



ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 383—ASSEMBLYMEN KIRKPATRICK
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MARCH 17, 2015

JOINT SPONSOR: SENATOR HAMMOND

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Revises provisions relating to drivers' licenses. (BDR 43-743)

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

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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 drivers' licenses; authorizing reciprocal agreements with certain other countries concerning the licensing of drivers; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to issue a Nevada driver's license to an applicant who has a valid driver's license from a state which has requirements for the issuance of drivers' licenses which are comparable to those of this State. Existing law also authorizes the Director of the Department, acting as the Administrator, to enter into reciprocal agreements with the appropriate officials of other states concerning the licensing of drivers of motor vehicles. (NRS 483.245) **Section 1** of this bill authorizes the Department to issue a Nevada driver's license to an applicant who has a valid driver's license from a country which has requirements for the issuance of drivers' licenses which are comparable to those of this State, and authorizes the Director to enter into reciprocal agreements with the appropriate officials of other countries. ~~[Section 2 of this bill makes a conforming change.]~~ **Section 3** of this bill requires the Director, in recognition of the 30th anniversary of the sister-state relationship between this State and the Republic of China (Taiwan), to begin negotiations as soon as practicable with the Director General of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in San Francisco for reciprocity in issuing drivers' licenses to: (1) residents of this State who reside in the Republic of China (Taiwan); and (2) Taiwanese citizens who reside in this State.

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

Section 1. NRS 483.245 is hereby amended to read as follows:
483.245 1. When a person becomes a resident of Nevada as defined in this chapter and chapter 482 of NRS, the person must, within 30 days, obtain a Nevada driver's license as a prerequisite to driving any motor vehicle in the State of Nevada.

1 2. Where a person who applies for a license has a valid driver's license from a
2 state *or country* which has requirements for issuance of drivers' licenses
3 comparable to those of the State of Nevada, the Department may issue a Nevada
4 license under the same terms and conditions applicable to a renewal of a license in
5 this State.

6 3. In carrying out the provisions of this chapter, the Administrator is
7 authorized to enter into reciprocal agreements with appropriate officials of other
8 states *or countries* concerning the licensing of drivers of motor vehicles.

9 **Sec. 2. (Deleted by amendment.)**

10 **Sec. 3.** The Director of the Department of Motor Vehicles, in recognition of
11 the 30th anniversary of the sister-state relationship between this State and the
12 Republic of China (Taiwan), shall, as soon as practicable, begin negotiations
13 pursuant to the authority granted in section 1 of this act toward a reciprocal
14 agreement between the Department of Motor Vehicles and the Republic of China
15 (Taiwan), through the Ministry of Transportation and Communications represented
16 by the Director General of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in San
17 Francisco, California, for reciprocity in issuing drivers' licenses to residents of this
18 State who reside in the Republic of China (Taiwan) and to Taiwanese citizens who
19 reside in this State. Any agreement negotiated pursuant to this section must be in
20 writing and signed by the Director of the Department of Motor Vehicles and the
21 Director General of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in San Francisco,
22 California.

23 **Sec. 4.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.