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CHAPTER 51

H.P. 247 - L.D. 342

An Act To Waive Driver's License and Nondriver Identification Card Fees for Current and Recently Discharged Members of the Armed Forces

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA \$1255, sub-\$1, ¶A and B, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, \$2 and affected by Pt. B, \$5, are amended to read:

A. <u>Shall Must</u> receive a license <u>or nondriver iden-</u> <u>tification card</u> on application to the Secretary of State;

B. Is exempt from the payment of a fee for a license or nondriver identification card;

Sec. 2. 29-A MRSA §1255, sub-§2, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected by Pt. B, §5, is amended to read:

2. After discharge. The privileges of this section remain in effect for a period of 30 <u>180</u> days after discharge or release from the Armed Forces.

Sec. 3. 29-A MRSA §1406, sub-§§5 and 6, as repealed and replaced by PL 2003, c. 434, §22 and affected by §37, are amended to read:

5. Fee; 6-year license. The Except as provided by section 1255, the fee for the 6-year noncommercial driver's license is \$30.

6. Fee; 5-year license. The Except as provided by section 1255, the fee for the 5-year commercial driver's license is \$34.

Sec. 4. 29-A MRSA §1406, sub-§7, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 434, §22 and affected by §37, is amended to read:

7. Fee; 4-year license. The Except as provided by section 1255, the fee for the 4-year noncommercial driver's license is \$21. The Except as provided by section 1255, the fee for the 4-year commercial driver's license is \$28.

Sec. 5. 29-A MRSA §1406, sub-§8, as enacted by PL 2007, c. 329, Pt. R, §1, is amended to read:

8. Equalization of 6-year license cycle. Notwithstanding subsection 1, paragraph A, the Secretary of State may, solely for the purpose of equalizing the 6-year license renewal cycle, issue noncommercial licenses to persons under 65 years of age that expire either one or 2 years before or after the holder's 6th birthday following the date of issuance. Notwithstanding subsection 5 and except as provided by section 1255, the fee for a license issued pursuant to this subsection is \$5 multiplied by the number of years for which the license is issued.

This subsection is repealed June 30, 2014.

Sec. 6. 29-A MRSA §1410, sub-§2, as amended by PL 2001, c. 671, §§27 and 28, is further amended to read:

2. Issuance of card; contents. Upon Except as provided by section 1255, upon receipt of a completed application and payment of a fee of \$5, the Secretary of State shall issue a nondriver identification card to the applicant. If an applicant is the holder of a motor vehicle driver's license bearing a photograph or digital image of the individual and issued under this chapter, the Secretary of State or the Secretary of State's representative may refuse to issue a nondriver identification card. The Secretary of State shall provide that a nondriver identification card issued to a person less than 21 years of age has a distinctive color code. Each nondriver identification card must contain:

A. The applicant's photograph or digital image;

B. The applicant's name and address;

C. The applicant's date of birth; and

E. Any other information and identification that the Secretary of State by rule requires.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 52

H.P. 422 - L.D. 603

An Act To Repeal an Insurance Reporting Requirement

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 39-A MRSA §358-A, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1997, c. 486, §8, is repealed.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 53

H.P. 428 - L.D. 609

An Act To Increase Suicide Awareness and Prevention in Maine Public Schools

Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for