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Synopsis: Bureau of motor vehicles. Allows additional license plates issued by the bureau to be designed as a personalized license plate. Provides that a motor vehicle may be equipped with an appropriate, functioning rear view camera that provides the driver a view of the highway for a distance of at least 200 feet to the rear of the vehicle instead of a mirror. Prohibits the Indiana department of transportation from implementing variable speed limits or using electronic variable
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January 27, 2026, amended, reported — Do Pass.
January 29, 2026, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.
January 30, 2026, engrossed.
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SENATE ACTION

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February 17, 2026, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.
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speed limit signs. Amends the information required to be provided by an applicant for a driver's license or permit. Amends the required age an individual must be to obtain a driver's license from 16 years and 90 days of age to 16 years of age. Requires an individual to demonstrate sufficient proficiency of the English language to operate a commercial motor vehicle. Provides that an individual commits a Level 6 felony if the individual: (1) represents that a false record is a valid commercial driver's license; or (2) does not have proper documentation while driving with a commercial driver's license issued by any jurisdiction other than a state, territory, or possession of the United States. Establishes civil penalties for the individual and the business entity that hired the individual to operate the commercial motor vehicle. Provides that a business enterprise may not educate, train, or otherwise prepare an individual to operate a commercial motor vehicle if certain circumstances exist. Provides penalties for noncompliance of business enterprises. Makes certain changes to the requirements for issuance of a nondomiciled commercial driver's license. Allows an applicant for a driver's license or permit to take an examination of the individual's ability to read and understand highway signs and the individual's knowledge of Indiana traffic laws by satisfactorily completing an online examination approved by the bureau. Adds requirements for an individual to operate a commercial motor vehicle. Amends the time that an expired driver's license of an individual temporarily residing outside Indiana because of service in the armed forces remains valid. Changes the time for an individual who is 75 years of age or older and renewing a physical credential to provide proof to the bureau that the individual passed an eyesight examination from 30 days to 60 days. Removes the limitation that a renewal identification card cannot be issued by electronic service if the card expired more than 180 days prior to the date of the application for renewal. Prohibits the Indiana bureau of motor vehicles from administratively suspending licenses for failing to provide proof of financial responsibility after an accident. Provides that an advertisement that violates the prohibition on advertising certain illegal products must be removed from public circulation not later than October 1, 2026.

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ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 1200

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 9-18.5-2-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.118-2022,
2 SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JANUARY 1, 2027]: Sec. 1. (a) A person may apply to the bureau for
4 a personalized license plate to display on the person's vehicle.
5 (b) The following license plates may be designed as a personalized
6 license plate under this chapter:
7 (1) IC 9-18.5-4 (prisoner of war license plates).
8 (2) IC 9-18.5-5 (disabled Hoosier veteran license plates).
9 (3) IC 9-18.5-6 (Purple Heart license plates).
10 (4) IC 9-18.5-7 (National Guard license plates).
11 (5) IC 9-18.5-8 (license plates for persons with disabilities).
12 (6) IC 9-18.5-9 (amateur radio operator license plates).
13 (7) IC 9-18.5-10 (civic event license plates).
14 (8) IC 9-18.5-11 (In God We Trust license plates).
15 (9) IC 9-18.5-12 (special group recognition license plates).
16 (10) IC 9-18.5-13 (environmental license plates).

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- 1 (11) IC 9-18.5-14 (kids first trust license plates).
 2 (12) IC 9-18.5-15 (education license plates).
 3 (13) IC 9-18.5-16 (Indiana FFA trust license plates).
 4 (14) IC 9-18.5-17 (Indiana firefighter license plates).
 5 (15) IC 9-18.5-18 (Indiana boy scouts trust license plates).
 6 (16) IC 9-18.5-19 (D.A.R.E. Indiana trust license plates).
 7 (17) IC 9-18.5-20 (Indiana arts trust license plates).
 8 (18) IC 9-18.5-21 (Indiana health trust license plates).
 9 (19) IC 9-18.5-22 (Indiana Native American trust license plates).
 10 **(20) IC 9-18.5-23 (Safety First license plates).**
 11 ~~(20)~~ **(21)** IC 9-18.5-24 (Pearl Harbor survivor license plates).
 12 ~~(21)~~ **(22)** IC 9-18.5-25 (Indiana state educational institution trust
 13 license plates).
 14 ~~(22)~~ **(23)** IC 9-18.5-26 (Lewis and Clark expedition license
 15 plates).
 16 ~~(23)~~ **(24)** IC 9-18.5-27 (Riley Children's Foundation license
 17 plates).
 18 ~~(24)~~ **(25)** IC 9-18.5-28 (National Football League franchised
 19 professional football team license plates).
 20 ~~(25)~~ **(26)** IC 9-18.5-29 (Hoosier veteran license plates).
 21 ~~(26)~~ **(27)** IC 9-18.5-30 (support our troops license plates).
 22 ~~(27)~~ **(28)** IC 9-18.5-31 (Abraham Lincoln's boyhood home license
 23 plates).
 24 ~~(28)~~ **(29)** IC 9-18.5-33 (Indiana Gold Star family member license
 25 plates).
 26 **(30) IC 9-18.5-34 (Historic vehicles).**
 27 ~~(29)~~ **(31)** IC 9-18.5-35 (Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal
 28 license plates).
 29 **(32) IC 9-18.5-36 (Semiquincentennial license plates).**
 30 ~~(30)~~ **(33)** A license plate issued under IC 9-18 (before its
 31 expiration) or IC 9-18.1.
 32 SECTION 2. IC 9-18.5-3-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016,
 33 SECTION 327, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 34 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. (a) License plates shall be issued
 35 to the following:
 36 (1) Members of the general assembly.
 37 (2) Spouses of members of the general assembly.
 38 (3) Other state officials who receive special license plates on an
 39 annual basis.
 40 (b) A license plate issued under this chapter may also be issued to
 41 a company or business owned by a person described in subsection (a).
 42 **(c) A license plate issued under this chapter may be designed in**



1 **an alternate color scheme version.**

2 **(d) A license plate issued under this chapter that is designed in**
 3 **an alternate color scheme version is subject to the fee described in**
 4 **IC 9-18.5-2-8(3).**

5 SECTION 3. IC 9-19-12-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 6 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. A motor vehicle that
 7 is constructed or loaded so as to obstruct the driver's view to the rear
 8 from the driver's position must be equipped with **either:**

9 **(1) a mirror located so as to reflect to the driver a view of the**
 10 **highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the**
 11 **rear of the vehicle; or**

12 **(2) an appropriate, functioning rear view camera that**
 13 **provides the driver a view of the highway for a distance of at**
 14 **least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of the vehicle.**

15 SECTION 4. IC 9-21-5-12, AS AMENDED BY P.L.49-2024,
 16 SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 17 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 12. (a) Except as provided in ~~subsection (d);~~
 18 **subsections (d) and (e)**, whenever the Indiana department of
 19 transportation determines on the basis of an engineering and traffic
 20 investigation that a maximum speed set forth in this chapter is greater
 21 or less than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist at
 22 an intersection or other place or on part of the state highway system,
 23 the Indiana department of transportation may determine and declare a
 24 reasonable and safe maximum limit at the intersection or on the part of
 25 the state highway system. The differing limit is effective when
 26 appropriate signs giving notice of the limit are erected.

27 (b) A maximum speed limit under this section may be declared to
 28 be effective at all times or at times indicated on the signs. Differing
 29 limits may be established for different times of day **and** different types
 30 of vehicles. ~~varying weather conditions; and other factors bearing on~~
 31 ~~safe speeds.~~ The differing limits are effective when posted on
 32 appropriate fixed ~~or variable~~ signs.

33 (c) A person who exceeds a speed limit established under this
 34 section commits a Class C infraction.

35 (d) The Indiana department of transportation may decrease the
 36 speed limit on a highway in its jurisdiction with a functional
 37 classification of minor collector or local road in an urban district to
 38 twenty (20) miles per hour without an engineering and traffic
 39 investigation.

40 **(e) The Indiana department of transportation may not:**

41 **(1) implement variable speed limits; or**

42 **(2) use electronic variable speed limit signs.**



1 SECTION 5. IC 9-24-3-2.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2025,
2 SECTION 24, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 2.5. (a) Except as provided in section 3 of this
4 chapter, an individual must satisfy the requirements set forth in one (1)
5 of the following subdivisions to receive a driver's license:

6 (1) The individual meets the following conditions:

- 7 (A) Is at least sixteen (16) years ~~and ninety (90) days~~ of age.
8 (B) Has held a valid learner's permit for at least one hundred
9 eighty (180) days.
10 (C) Obtains an instructor's certification that the individual has
11 satisfactorily completed an approved driver education course.
12 (D) Passes the required examinations.
13 (E) Completes at least fifty (50) hours of supervised driving
14 practice, of which at least ten (10) hours are nighttime driving,
15 as provided in subsection (b).

16 (2) The individual meets the following conditions:

- 17 (A) Is at least sixteen (16) years and two hundred seventy
18 (270) days of age.
19 (B) Has held a valid learner's permit for at least one hundred
20 eighty (180) days.
21 (C) Passes the required examinations.
22 (D) Completes at least fifty (50) hours of supervised driving
23 practice, of which at least ten (10) hours are nighttime driving,
24 as provided in subsection (b).

25 (3) The individual meets the following conditions:

- 26 (A) Is at least sixteen (16) years and one hundred eighty (180)
27 days of age but less than eighteen (18) years of age.
28 (B) Has previously been a nonresident of Indiana, but, at the
29 time of application, qualifies as an Indiana resident.
30 (C) Has held for at least sixty (60) days a valid driver's license,
31 excluding a learner's permit or the equivalent, in the state or a
32 combination of states in which the individual formerly resided.
33 (D) Passes the required examinations.

34 (4) The individual meets the following conditions:

- 35 (A) Is at least eighteen (18) years of age.
36 (B) Has previously been a nonresident but, at the time of
37 application, qualifies as an Indiana resident.
38 (C) Held a valid driver's license, excluding a learner's permit
39 or the equivalent, from the state or country of prior residence.
40 (D) Passes the required examinations.

41 (5) The individual meets the following conditions:

- 42 (A) Is at least eighteen (18) years of age.



- 1 (B) Is a person with a disability.
 2 (C) Holds an Indiana learner's permit.
 3 (D) Has successfully completed driver rehabilitation training
 4 by a certified driver rehabilitation specialist recognized by the
 5 bureau.
 6 (E) Passes the required examinations.
 7 (6) The individual meets the following conditions:
 8 (A) Is at least sixteen (16) years ~~and ninety (90) days~~ of age.
 9 (B) Is a person with a disability.
 10 (C) Has held a valid learner's permit for at least one hundred
 11 eighty (180) days.
 12 (D) Has successfully completed driver rehabilitation training
 13 by a certified driver rehabilitation specialist recognized by the
 14 bureau.
 15 (E) Passes the required examinations.
 16 (F) Completes at least fifty (50) hours of supervised driving
 17 practice, of which at least ten (10) hours are nighttime driving,
 18 as provided in subsection (b).
 19 (b) An applicant who is required to complete at least fifty (50) hours
 20 of supervised practice driving under subsection (a)(1)(E), (a)(2)(D), or
 21 (a)(6)(F) must do the following:
 22 (1) If the applicant is less than eighteen (18) years of age,
 23 complete the practice driving with:
 24 (A) a licensed driver, with valid driving privileges, who is:
 25 (i) at least twenty-five (25) years of age; and
 26 (ii) related to the applicant by blood, marriage, or legal
 27 status;
 28 (B) the spouse of the applicant who is:
 29 (i) a licensed driver with valid driving privileges; and
 30 (ii) at least twenty-one (21) years of age; or
 31 (C) an individual with valid driving privileges who:
 32 (i) is licensed as a driver education instructor under
 33 IC 9-27-6-8 and is working under the direction of a driver
 34 training school described in IC 9-27-6-3(a)(2); or
 35 (ii) is a certified driver rehabilitation specialist recognized
 36 by the bureau who is employed through a driver
 37 rehabilitation program.
 38 (2) If the applicant is at least eighteen (18) years of age, complete
 39 the driving practice with:
 40 (A) a licensed driver, with valid driving privileges, who is at
 41 least twenty-five (25) years of age; or
 42 (B) the spouse of the applicant who is:



- 1 (i) a licensed driver with valid driving privileges; and
 2 (ii) at least twenty-one (21) years of age.
 3 (3) If the applicant is less than eighteen (18) years of age and is
 4 under the care and supervision of the department of child
 5 services, complete the driving practice with:
 6 (A) a licensed driver with valid driving privileges who is:
 7 (i) at least twenty-five (25) years of age; and
 8 (ii) related to the applicant by blood, marriage, or legal
 9 status;
 10 (B) a licensed driver with valid driving privileges who is:
 11 (i) at least twenty-five (25) years of age; and
 12 (ii) approved by the department of child services; or
 13 (C) an individual with valid driving privileges who is:
 14 (i) licensed as a driver education instructor under
 15 IC 9-27-6-8 and is working under the direction of a driver
 16 training school described in IC 9-27-6-3(a)(2); or
 17 (ii) a certified driver rehabilitation specialist recognized by
 18 the bureau who is employed through a driver rehabilitation
 19 program.
 20 (4) Submit to the commission under IC 9-24-9-2(c) evidence of
 21 the time logged in practice driving.

22 SECTION 6. IC 9-24-6.1-2.7 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 23 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 24 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 2.7. (a) An individual must be**
 25 **able to demonstrate proficiency of the English language sufficient**
 26 **to:**

- 27 (1) **converse with the general public;**
 28 (2) **understand highway traffic signs and signals in the English**
 29 **language;**
 30 (3) **respond to official inquiries; and**
 31 (4) **make entries on reports in records;**
 32 **to operate a commercial motor vehicle.**
 33 (b) **An individual must take and pass a skills exam in English to**
 34 **operate a commercial motor vehicle.**

35 SECTION 7. IC 9-24-6.1-3.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 36 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 37 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 3.3. (a) If an individual:**

- 38 (1) **makes, presents, or uses a public record with knowledge of**
 39 **the falsity of the public record and with the intent that the**
 40 **public record be taken as genuine; and**
 41 (2) **represents that a false public record made, presented, or**
 42 **used is a valid commercial driver's license under section 3 of**



- 1 **this chapter;**
 2 **the individual commits a Level 6 felony.**
 3 **(b) If an individual knowingly:**
 4 **(1) holds a commercial driver's license that was issued by any**
 5 **jurisdiction other than a state, territory, or possession of the**
 6 **United States; and**
 7 **(2) does not have the additional entry documents required**
 8 **under 8 CFR 214.2(b)(4) in the individual's possession while**
 9 **operating a commercial motor vehicle;**
 10 **the individual commits a Level 6 felony.**
 11 **(c) If an individual violates subsection (a) or (b), in addition to**
 12 **the criminal penalties, the following apply:**
 13 **(1) The individual is subject to a civil penalty of five thousand**
 14 **dollars (\$5,000).**
 15 **(2) The business entity that hired the individual to operate the**
 16 **commercial motor vehicle the individual was operating at the**
 17 **time of the violation is subject to a civil penalty of fifty**
 18 **thousand dollars (\$50,000).**
 19 SECTION 8. IC 9-24-6.1-3.4 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 20 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 21 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 3.4. (a) As used in this section,**
 22 **"business enterprise" means a person or entity that educates,**
 23 **trains, or otherwise prepares an individual to operate a**
 24 **commercial motor vehicle.**
 25 **(b) A business enterprise may not educate, train, or otherwise**
 26 **prepare an individual to operate a commercial motor vehicle if:**
 27 **(1) the individual is ineligible to obtain a commercial driver's**
 28 **license under Indiana law or federal law; and**
 29 **(2) the business enterprise knew or, in the exercise of**
 30 **reasonable diligence, should have known of the individual's**
 31 **ineligibility.**
 32 **(c) A business enterprise that violates subsection (b) is subject**
 33 **to a civil penalty of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for each**
 34 **violation.**
 35 **(d) A business enterprise may not operate in substantial**
 36 **noncompliance with applicable commercial driver training**
 37 **standards established under federal law or Indiana law.**
 38 **(e) A business enterprise that violates subsection (d) is subject**
 39 **to a civil penalty of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for each**
 40 **violation.**
 41 **(f) The attorney general shall enforce this section and may bring**
 42 **an action to:**



- 1 **(1) collect a civil penalty imposed under this section; and**
 2 **(2) recover the reasonable costs of investigation and**
 3 **enforcement, including attorney's fees.**

4 **(g) A civil penalty collected by the attorney general under this**
 5 **section must be deposited in the attorney general contingency fee**
 6 **fund established by IC 4-6-16-6.**

7 SECTION 9. IC 9-24-6.1-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.58-2017,
 8 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 9 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 10. (a) As used in this section, "nondomiciled
 10 commercial driver's license" means a commercial driver's license that
 11 is issued to an individual who is domiciled:

- 12 (1) in a foreign country meeting the requirements of 49 CFR
 13 383.23(b)(1); or
 14 (2) in another state meeting the requirements of 49 CFR
 15 383.23(b)(2).

16 (b) After December 31, 2017, the bureau shall issue a nondomiciled
 17 commercial driver's license in accordance with 49 CFR 383.23 to an
 18 individual who:

- 19 (1) submits a proper application under this article; and
 20 (2) meets the requirements of 49 CFR 383.71(f).

21 (c) The bureau may create an application form or other required
 22 documents to implement this section.

23 (d) The fee for a nondomiciled commercial driver's license is the
 24 same as for a commercial driver's license under section 4 of this
 25 chapter.

26 (e) A nondomiciled commercial driver's license is subject to the
 27 same restrictions and requirements as a commercial driver's license
 28 under this chapter.

29 **(f) Notwithstanding any other grounds for the revocation or**
 30 **suspension of a commercial driver's license, the bureau shall**
 31 **revoke an individual's nondomiciled commercial driver's license if**
 32 **the bureau receives credible information, including information**
 33 **provided by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, the**
 34 **United States Department of Homeland Security, the United States**
 35 **Department of State, or another federal agency, that the**
 36 **individual:**

- 37 **(1) no longer has the legal status or documentation that were**
 38 **necessary at the time the individual's commercial driver's**
 39 **license was issued; or**
 40 **(2) poses a risk to public safety.**

41 **(g) Notwithstanding IC 9-33-2-1, an individual aggrieved by the**
 42 **bureau's revocation of the individual's nondomiciled commercial**



1 driver's license under subsection (f) may seek judicial review of the
 2 revocation through the judicial review procedures provided in
 3 IC 9-33-2-3.

4 (h) The bureau may not make a revocation under subsection (f)
 5 effective until the earlier of:

6 (1) fifteen (15) days after the individual receives notice of the
 7 revocation; or

8 (2) the conclusion of a judicial review proceeding initiated
 9 under subsection (g).

10 (i) The bureau shall periodically consult with the United States
 11 Department of Homeland Security to identify individuals whose
 12 commercial driver's licenses may be subject to revocation under
 13 subsection (f).

14 (j) If an individual who received a nondomiciled commercial
 15 driver's license under this section:

16 (1) no longer has legal status under the federal Immigration
 17 and Nationality Act; and

18 (2) is domiciled in a foreign country;

19 the individual's nondomiciled commercial driver's license expires
 20 on April 1, 2026.

21 (k) The bureau may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to implement
 22 this section.

23 SECTION 10. IC 9-24-6.1-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.58-2017,
 24 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 25 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 10. (a) As used in this section, "nondomiciled
 26 commercial driver's license" means a commercial driver's license that
 27 is issued to an individual who is domiciled:

28 (1) in a foreign country meeting the requirements of 49 CFR
 29 383.23(b)(1); or

30 (2) in another state meeting the requirements of 49 CFR
 31 383.23(b)(2).

32 (b) After December 31, 2017, the bureau shall issue a nondomiciled
 33 commercial driver's license in accordance with 49 CFR 383.23 to an
 34 individual who:

35 (1) submits a proper application under this article; and

36 (2) meets the requirements of 49 CFR 383.71(f).

37 (c) The bureau may create an application form or other required
 38 documents to implement this section.

39 (d) The fee for a nondomiciled commercial driver's license is the
 40 same as for a commercial driver's license under section 4 of this
 41 chapter.

42 (e) A nondomiciled commercial driver's license is subject to the



1 same restrictions and requirements as a commercial driver's license
2 under this chapter.

3 **(f) A nondomiciled commercial driver's license may only be**
4 **issued to an individual if the individual meets:**

- 5 **(1) all requirements described in section 2 of this chapter; and**
6 **(2) any other requirements for the holder of a commercial**
7 **driver's license or commercial learner's permit required by**
8 **state law or administrative law.**

9 **(g)** The bureau may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to implement
10 this section.

11 **(h) In addition to any grounds for suspension or revocation, the**
12 **bureau shall, consistent with federal law, revoke an individual's**
13 **nondomiciled commercial driver's license upon receipt of credible**
14 **information, including information provided by the Federal Motor**
15 **Carrier Safety Administration, the United States Department of**
16 **Homeland Security, the United States Department of State, or any**
17 **other federal agency, that the individual:**

- 18 **(1) is an unauthorized alien as defined by 8 U.S.C.**
19 **1324a(h)(3);**
20 **(2) no longer possesses an unexpired foreign passport; or**
21 **(3) no longer possesses a form I-94/94A issued by the United**
22 **States Department of Homeland Security with an unexpired**
23 **admit until date indicating one (1) of the following**
24 **classifications:**
25 **(A) A H-2A-Temporary Agricultural Workers**
26 **classification.**
27 **(B) A H-2B-Temporary Non-Agricultural Workers**
28 **classification.**
29 **(C) An E-2-Treaty Investors classification.**

30 **This subsection applies regardless of whether the individual was**
31 **eligible to receive a nondomiciled commercial driver's license at**
32 **the time the license was issued.**

33 SECTION 11. IC 9-24-8.5-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.211-2023,
34 SECTION 35, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
35 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 3. (a) The bureau shall add a motorcycle
36 endorsement to a driver's license if the holder meets the following
37 conditions:

- 38 (1) Is at least:
39 (A) sixteen (16) years ~~and ninety (90) days~~ of age and has
40 completed a motorcycle operator safety education course
41 approved by the bureau under IC 9-27-7; or
42 (B) sixteen (16) years and two hundred seventy (270) days of



- 1 age.
- 2 (2) Makes a proper application in the form and manner prescribed
- 3 by the bureau.
- 4 (3) Has passed a written examination developed by the bureau
- 5 concerning the safe operation of a motorcycle.
- 6 (4) Satisfactorily completes an operational skills test at a location
- 7 approved by the bureau.
- 8 (5) Pays a fee of nineteen dollars (\$19). The fee shall be
- 9 distributed as follows:
- 10 (A) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology
- 11 fund.
- 12 (B) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the motor
- 13 vehicle highway account.
- 14 (C) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated
- 15 public safety communications fund.
- 16 (D) Sixteen dollars (\$16) to the commission fund.
- 17 (b) The bureau may waive the testing requirements under subsection
- 18 (a)(3) and (a)(4) for an individual who satisfactorily completes a
- 19 motorcycle operator safety course approved by the bureau as set forth
- 20 in IC 9-27-7.
- 21 (c) The bureau may waive the operational skills test under
- 22 subsection (a)(4) for an individual who holds a valid motorcycle
- 23 endorsement or motorcycle license from any other jurisdiction.
- 24 (d) An individual who fails the operational skills test under
- 25 subsection (a)(4) three (3) consecutive times is not eligible to retake
- 26 the test until two (2) months after the date of the most recent failed test.
- 27 (e) The fee for a motorcycle operational skills test administered
- 28 under this chapter is as follows:
- 29 (1) For tests given by state employees, the fee is five dollars (\$5)
- 30 and shall be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account
- 31 under IC 8-14-1.
- 32 (2) For tests given by a contractor approved by the bureau, the fee
- 33 is:
- 34 (A) determined under rules adopted by the bureau under
- 35 IC 4-22-2 to cover the direct costs of administering the test;
- 36 and
- 37 (B) paid to the contractor.
- 38 (f) The bureau may impose an additional fee of twenty-five dollars
- 39 (\$25) if the bureau processes an application for a physical credential
- 40 under this chapter in a period of time that is shorter than the normal
- 41 processing period. The bureau shall deposit the fee in the commission
- 42 fund.



1 (g) A fee imposed under this section is in addition to any other fee
2 imposed under this chapter.

3 SECTION 12. IC 9-24-9-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2025,
4 SECTION 28, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
5 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 2. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), each
6 application for a driver's license or permit under this chapter must
7 require the following information:

8 (1) The full legal name of the applicant.

9 (2) The applicant's date of birth.

10 (3) The gender of the applicant.

11 (4) The applicant's height, weight, hair color, and eye color.

12 (5) The address of the applicant.

13 (6) A:

14 (A) valid Social Security number; or

15 (B) verification of an applicant's:

16 (i) ineligibility to be issued a Social Security number;

17 (ii) identity; and

18 (iii) lawful status.

19 (7) Whether the applicant has been subject to fainting spells or
20 seizures.

21 (8) Whether the applicant has been issued a driver's license or has
22 been the holder of a permit, and if so, when and by what
23 jurisdiction.

24 ~~(9) Whether the applicant's driver's license or permit has ever~~
25 ~~been suspended or revoked; and if so, the date of and the reason~~
26 ~~for the suspension or revocation.~~

27 ~~(10) Whether the applicant has been convicted of:~~

28 ~~(A) a crime punishable as a felony under Indiana motor~~
29 ~~vehicle law; or~~

30 ~~(B) any other felony in the commission of which a motor~~
31 ~~vehicle was used;~~

32 ~~that has not been expunged by a court.~~

33 ~~(11) (9) Whether the applicant has a physical or mental disability,~~
34 ~~and if so, the nature of the disability.~~

35 ~~(12) (10) The signature of the applicant showing the applicant's~~
36 ~~legal name as it appears or will appear on the driver's license or~~
37 ~~permit.~~

38 ~~(13) (11) A digital photograph of the applicant.~~

39 ~~(14) (12) Any other information the bureau requires.~~

40 (b) For purposes of subsection (a), an individual certified as a
41 program participant in the address confidentiality program under
42 IC 5-26.5 is not required to provide the individual's address, but may



1 provide an address designated by the office of the attorney general
2 under IC 5-26.5 as the individual's address.

3 (c) In addition to the information required by subsection (a), an
4 applicant who is required to complete at least fifty (50) hours of
5 supervised practice driving under IC 9-24-3-2.5(a)(1)(E),
6 IC 9-24-3-2.5(a)(2)(D), or IC 9-24-3-2.5(a)(6)(F) must submit to the
7 bureau evidence of the time logged in practice driving.

8 SECTION 13. IC 9-24-10-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.256-2017,
9 SECTION 173, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
10 [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2027]: Sec. 1. **(a)** An individual who
11 applies under this chapter for a permit or driver's license and who is
12 required by this chapter to take an examination **of the applicant's skill**
13 **in the operation of a motor vehicle under section 4(a)(2) of this**
14 **chapter** shall:

- 15 (1) appear before a member of the bureau or commission; or
- 16 (2) appear before an instructor having an endorsement under
17 IC 9-27-6-8;

18 and be examined concerning the applicant's qualifications and ability
19 to operate a motor vehicle upon a highway.

20 **(b) An individual who applies under this chapter for a permit or**
21 **driver's license and who is required to take an examination of the**
22 **applicant's ability to read and understand highway signs under**
23 **section 4(a)(1)(B) of this chapter and the applicant's knowledge of**
24 **Indiana traffic laws under section 4(a)(1)(C) of this chapter shall:**

- 25 (1) appear before a member of the bureau or commission;
- 26 (2) appear before an instructor having an endorsement under
27 IC 9-27-6-8; or
- 28 (3) satisfactorily complete an online examination approved by
29 the bureau;

30 **and be examined concerning the applicant's qualifications and**
31 **ability to operate a motor vehicle upon a highway.**

32 SECTION 14. IC 9-24-12-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.141-2024,
33 SECTION 28, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
34 JANUARY 1, 2027]: Sec. 4. (a) Except as provided in subsections (c)
35 and (d), the application for renewal of:

- 36 (1) a driver's license;
- 37 (2) a chauffeur's license (before the expiration of IC 9-24-4 on
38 July 1, 2024);
- 39 (3) a public passenger chauffeur's license (before the expiration
40 of IC 9-24-5 on July 1, 2022);
- 41 (4) an identification card; or
- 42 (5) a photo exempt identification card;



1 under this article may be filed not more than twenty-four (24) months
 2 before the expiration date of the license, identification card, or photo
 3 exempt identification card held by the applicant.

4 (b) Except as provided in subsections (c) and (d), an application for
 5 the renewal of a learner's permit issued under this article may be filed
 6 not more than thirty (30) days before the expiration of the learner's
 7 permit.

8 (c) When the applicant complies with IC 9-24-9-2.5, an application
 9 for renewal of a driver's license in subsection (a)(1), (a)(2), or (a)(3)
 10 may be filed not more than ~~one (1) month~~ **thirty (30) days** before the
 11 expiration date of the license held by the applicant.

12 (d) When the applicant complies with IC 9-24-16-3.5, an application
 13 for renewal of an identification card under subsection (a)(4) may be
 14 filed not more than ~~one (1) month~~ **thirty (30) days** before the
 15 expiration date of the identification card held by the applicant.

16 SECTION 15. IC 9-24-12-5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.211-2023,
 17 SECTION 46, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 18 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 5. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), and
 19 subject to subsection (d), an individual applying for renewal of a
 20 driver's license in the form of a physical credential (issued under
 21 IC 9-24-3), or a chauffeur's or a public passenger chauffeur's license,
 22 including any endorsements in effect with respect to the license, must
 23 apply in person at a license branch and do the following:

24 (1) Pass an eyesight examination.

25 (2) Pass a written examination if:

26 (A) the applicant has at least six (6) active points on the
 27 applicant's driving record maintained by the bureau;

28 (B) the applicant has not reached the applicant's twenty-first
 29 birthday and has active points on the applicant's driving record
 30 maintained by the bureau; or

31 (C) the applicant is in possession of a driver's license that is
 32 expired beyond one hundred eighty (180) days.

33 (b) The holder of a driver's license in the form of a physical
 34 credential (issued under IC 9-24-3), a chauffeur's or a public passenger
 35 chauffeur's license, or a learner's permit issued in the form of a physical
 36 credential under IC 9-24-7 may renew the license, including any
 37 endorsements in effect with respect to the license, by mail or by
 38 electronic service, subject to the following conditions:

39 (1) A valid computerized image of the individual must exist
 40 within the records of the bureau.

41 (2) The previous renewal of the individual's driver's license
 42 (issued under IC 9-24-3), chauffeur's or public passenger



- 1 chauffeur's license, or a learner's permit issued under IC 9-24-7
 2 must not have been by mail or by electronic service.
- 3 (3) The application for or previous renewal of the individual's
 4 license or permit must have included a test of the individual's
 5 eyesight approved by the bureau.
- 6 (4) If the individual were applying for the license or permit
 7 renewal in person at a license branch, the individual would not be
 8 required under subsection (a)(2) to submit to a written
 9 examination.
- 10 (5) The individual must be a citizen of the United States, as
 11 shown in the records of the bureau.
- 12 (6) There must not have been any change in the:
 13 (A) address; or
 14 (B) name;
 15 of the individual since the issuance or previous renewal of the
 16 individual's driver's license (issued under IC 9-24-3), chauffeur's
 17 or public passenger chauffeur's license, or a learner's permit
 18 issued under IC 9-24-7.
- 19 (7) The driver's license (issued under IC 9-24-3), chauffeur's or
 20 public passenger chauffeur's license, or a learner's permit issued
 21 under IC 9-24-7 of the individual must not be:
 22 (A) suspended; or
 23 (B) expired more than one hundred eighty (180) days;
 24 at the time of the application for renewal.
- 25 (8) If the individual is seventy-five (75) years of age or older at
 26 the time of the application for renewal, the individual must
 27 provide proof, on a form approved by the bureau, that the
 28 individual has passed an eyesight examination within ~~thirty (30)~~
 29 **sixty (60)** days prior to the renewal application.
- 30 (c) An individual applying for the renewal of a driver's license
 31 issued in the form of a physical credential (issued under IC 9-24-3), a
 32 chauffeur's license or a public passenger chauffeur's license, or a
 33 learner's permit issued in the form of a physical credential under
 34 IC 9-24-7, including any endorsements in effect with respect to the
 35 license, must apply in person at a license branch under subsection (a)
 36 if the individual is not entitled to apply by mail or by electronic service
 37 under subsection (b).
- 38 (d) The bureau may not issue or renew a chauffeur's or a public
 39 passenger chauffeur's license after December 31, 2016. If a holder of
 40 a chauffeur's or a public passenger chauffeur's license applies after
 41 December 31, 2016, for renewal of the chauffeur's or public passenger
 42 chauffeur's license, the bureau shall issue to the holder a driver's



- 1 license under IC 9-24-3 with a for-hire endorsement if the holder:
- 2 (1) applies in a form and manner prescribed by the bureau; and
- 3 (2) satisfies the requirements for renewal of a driver's license
- 4 issued under IC 9-24-3, including the fee and examination
- 5 requirements under this section.
- 6 (e) An individual applying for the renewal of a driver's license
- 7 issued in the form of a physical credential under IC 9-24-3 shall pay the
- 8 following applicable fee:
- 9 (1) If the individual is less than seventy-five (75) years of age,
- 10 seventeen dollars and fifty cents (\$17.50). The fee shall be
- 11 distributed as follows:
- 12 (A) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology
- 13 fund.
- 14 (B) Two dollars (\$2) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
- 15 (C) Four dollars and fifty cents (\$4.50) to the motor vehicle
- 16 highway account.
- 17 (D) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated
- 18 public safety communications fund.
- 19 (E) Nine dollars and twenty-five cents (\$9.25) to the
- 20 commission fund.
- 21 (2) If the individual is at least seventy-five (75) years of age and
- 22 less than eighty-five (85) years of age, eleven dollars (\$11). The
- 23 fee shall be distributed as follows:
- 24 (A) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology
- 25 fund.
- 26 (B) One dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) to the crossroads 2000
- 27 fund.
- 28 (C) Three dollars (\$3) to the motor vehicle highway account.
- 29 (D) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated
- 30 public safety communications fund.
- 31 (E) Four dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4.75) to the
- 32 commission fund.
- 33 (3) If the individual is at least eighty-five (85) years of age, seven
- 34 dollars (\$7). The fee shall be distributed as follows:
- 35 (A) Fifty cents (\$0.50) to the state motor vehicle technology
- 36 fund.
- 37 (B) One dollar (\$1) to the crossroads 2000 fund.
- 38 (C) Two dollars (\$2) to the motor vehicle highway account.
- 39 (D) One dollar and twenty-five cents (\$1.25) to the integrated
- 40 public safety communications fund.
- 41 (E) Two dollars and twenty-five cents (\$2.25) to the
- 42 commission fund.



1 A fee paid under this subsection after December 31, 2016, includes the
 2 renewal of any endorsements that are in effect with respect to the
 3 driver's license issued in the form of a physical credential under
 4 IC 9-24-3 at the time of renewal.

5 SECTION 16. IC 9-24-12-6, AS AMENDED BY P.L.141-2024,
 6 SECTION 29, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 7 JANUARY 1, 2027]: Sec. 6. (a) When the Indiana driver's license of
 8 an individual who is temporarily residing outside Indiana because of
 9 service in the armed forces of the United States has expired, the driver's
 10 license remains valid for ninety (90) days following the ~~individual's~~
 11 ~~discharge from service in the armed forces or postdeployment in the~~
 12 ~~armed forces: **date the individual is no longer temporarily residing**~~
 13 ~~**outside Indiana because of the individual's service.**~~ To obtain a
 14 renewed driver's license, the individual must do the following:

15 (1) Apply for a renewal of the driver's license during the ninety
 16 (90) day period following the ~~individual's discharge or~~
 17 ~~postdeployment in the armed forces: **date the individual is no**~~
 18 ~~**longer temporarily residing outside Indiana because of the**~~
 19 ~~**individual's service.**~~

20 (2) Show proof of ~~discharge from temporary residence outside~~
 21 ~~**of Indiana because of**~~ service in the armed forces ~~or status as~~
 22 ~~postdeployment in the armed forces~~ to the bureau when applying
 23 for the renewal.

24 An individual who held a commercial driver's license that expired
 25 during the individual's service in the armed forces may renew the
 26 commercial driver's license as if the commercial driver's license had
 27 not expired but had remained valid during the period of service in the
 28 armed forces of the United States.

29 (b) When the Indiana driver's license of an individual who is
 30 temporarily residing outside Indiana because of the service of a spouse,
 31 parent, or guardian in the armed forces of the United States has
 32 expired, the driver's license remains valid for ninety (90) days
 33 following the ~~discharge from service in the armed forces or end of~~
 34 ~~deployment in the armed forces of **date**~~ the individual's spouse, parent,
 35 or guardian ~~**is no longer temporarily residing outside Indiana**~~
 36 ~~**because of the individual's service.**~~ To obtain a renewed driver's
 37 license, the individual must do the following:

38 (1) Apply for a renewal of the driver's license during the ninety
 39 (90) day period following the ~~discharge from or end of~~
 40 ~~deployment in the armed forces of **date**~~ the individual's spouse,
 41 parent, or guardian ~~**is no longer temporarily residing outside**~~
 42 ~~**Indiana.**~~



1 (2) Show to the bureau proof of discharge or end of deployment
 2 in the armed forces of that the individual's spouse, parent, or
 3 guardian is no longer temporarily residing outside Indiana
 4 when applying for the renewal.

5 SECTION 17. IC 9-24-16-4.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.141-2024,
 6 SECTION 36, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 7 JANUARY 1, 2027]: Sec. 4.5. (a) An individual may apply for a
 8 replacement identification card issued in the form of a physical
 9 credential under section 9 of this chapter, apply for a replacement
 10 identification card issued in the form of a physical credential under
 11 section 6 of this chapter, or convert a driver's license or learner's permit
 12 into an identification card under IC 9-24-14-3.5 by electronic service.
 13 An individual's renewal, amendment, or replacement of, or conversion
 14 to, an identification card issued in the form of a physical credential by
 15 electronic service is subject to the following conditions:

16 (1) A valid computerized image or digital photograph of the
 17 individual must exist within the records of the bureau.

18 (2) The individual must be a citizen of the United States, as
 19 shown in the records of the bureau.

20 (3) There must not have been any change in the:

21 (A) legal address; or

22 (B) name;

23 of the individual since the issuance or previous renewal of the
 24 identification card issued in the form of a physical credential of
 25 the individual.

26 ~~(4) The identification card issued in the form of a physical~~
 27 ~~credential of the individual must not be expired more than one~~
 28 ~~hundred eighty (180) days at the time of the application for~~
 29 ~~renewal.~~

30 (b) An individual applying for:

31 (1) the renewal of an identification card; or

32 (2) a replacement identification card;

33 must apply in person if the individual is not entitled to apply by mail or
 34 by electronic service under subsection (a).

35 SECTION 18. IC 9-24-16-5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.227-2025,
 36 SECTION 32, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 37 JANUARY 1, 2027]: Sec. 5. (a) An application for renewal of an
 38 identification card issued in the form of a physical credential may be
 39 made not more than twenty-four (24) months before the expiration date
 40 of the card issued in the form of a physical credential. However, when
 41 the applicant complies with section 3.5 of this chapter, an application
 42 for renewal of an identification card issued in the form of a physical



1 credential may be filed not more than ~~one (1) month~~ **thirty (30) days**
 2 before the expiration date of the identification card issued in the form
 3 of a physical credential held by the applicant.

4 (b) Except as provided in subsection (d), a renewed card issued in
 5 the form of a physical credential is valid on the birth date of the holder
 6 and remains valid for six (6) years.

7 (c) Renewal may not be granted if the cardholder was issued a
 8 driver's license issued in the form of a physical credential subsequent
 9 to the last issuance of an identification card issued in the form of a
 10 physical credential.

11 (d) A renewed identification card issued under this article in the
 12 form of a physical credential to an applicant who complies with section
 13 3.5 of this chapter expires:

14 (1) at midnight one (1) year after issuance, if there is no
 15 expiration date on the authorization granted to the individual to
 16 remain in the United States; or

17 (2) if there is an expiration date on the authorization granted to
 18 the individual to remain in the United States, the earlier of the
 19 following:

20 (A) At midnight of the date the authorization of the holder to
 21 have lawful status as a permanent resident or conditional
 22 resident alien of the United States expires.

23 (B) At midnight of the birthday of the holder that occurs six
 24 (6) years after the date of issuance.

25 (e) An identification card expires upon the bureau receiving notice
 26 of the death of the holder or upon issuance of a subsequent physical
 27 credential.

28 SECTION 19. IC 9-25-5-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2017,
 29 SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 30 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4. (a) ~~To avoid suspension of driving privileges~~
 31 ~~or motor vehicle registration suspension, or both, under this article,~~ A
 32 person identified under section 2 of this chapter who receives a request
 33 for evidence of financial responsibility must ensure that the insurance
 34 company of the person provides the bureau with a certificate of
 35 compliance indicating that financial responsibility required by
 36 IC 9-25-4-1 was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle, or the
 37 operation of the motor vehicle, on the date of the accident described in
 38 the accident report. It is the responsibility of the person who receives
 39 a request for evidence of financial responsibility to ensure that the
 40 insurance company of the person has provided a certificate of
 41 compliance.

42 (b) Proof that the bureau:

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- 1 (1) did not receive a certificate of compliance during the
- 2 applicable compliance response period for a person presented
- 3 with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under
- 4 section 2 of this chapter;
- 5 (2) received a certificate of compliance that did not indicate that
- 6 financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor
- 7 vehicle that the person was operating on the date of the accident
- 8 described in the accident report; or
- 9 (3) suspended the driving privileges or motor vehicle registration,
- 10 or both, under IC 9-25-6-3 after presenting a person with a
- 11 request for evidence of financial responsibility under section 2 of
- 12 this chapter;

13 is prima facie evidence in a civil action that the person presented with
 14 the request for evidence of financial responsibility did not have an
 15 operator's or a motor vehicle liability policy in effect with respect to the
 16 motor vehicle that the person was operating on the date of the accident
 17 described in the accident report.

18 SECTION 20. IC 9-25-6-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2017,
 19 SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 20 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. ~~(a)~~ If:

21 ~~(1)~~ the bureau receives a certificate of compliance during the
 22 applicable compliance response period for a person identified
 23 under IC 9-25-5-2; and

24 ~~(2)~~ the certificate of compliance indicates that financial
 25 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or
 26 the operation of the motor vehicle at the time of the accident
 27 described in the accident report;

28 the bureau may not suspend the person's driving privileges:

29 ~~(b)~~ (a) If:

30 (1) the bureau receives a certificate of compliance during the
 31 applicable compliance response period from a person presented
 32 with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under
 33 IC 9-25-9-1; and

34 (2) the certificate of compliance indicates that financial
 35 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or
 36 the operation of the motor vehicle that the person was operating
 37 when the person committed the violation described in the
 38 judgment or abstract received by the bureau under IC 9-25-9-1;

39 the bureau may not suspend the person's driving privileges.

40 ~~(c)~~ (b) If:

41 (1) the bureau receives a certificate of compliance during the
 42 applicable compliance response period for a person identified



1 under IC 9-25-10 (before its repeal); and

2 (2) the certificate of compliance indicates that financial
3 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or
4 the operation of the motor vehicle for the date requested;

5 the bureau may not suspend the driving privileges of the person.

6 SECTION 21. IC 9-25-6-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.72-2024,
7 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
8 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 3. ~~(a)~~ If the bureau:

9 ~~(1)~~ does not receive a certificate of compliance during the
10 applicable compliance response period for a person identified
11 under IC 9-25-5-2; or

12 ~~(2)~~ receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial
13 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle
14 operated by the person or operation of the motor vehicle by the
15 person on the date of the accident referred to in IC 9-25-5-2;

16 the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~:

17 ~~(b)~~ ~~(a)~~ If the bureau:

18 (1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the
19 applicable compliance response period for a person presented
20 with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under
21 IC 9-25-9-1; or

22 (2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial
23 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or
24 operation of the motor vehicle that the person was operating when
25 the person committed the violation described in the judgment or
26 abstract received by the bureau under IC 9-25-9-1;

27 the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~: ~~(c)~~.

28 ~~(c)~~ ~~(b)~~ If the bureau:

29 (1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the
30 applicable compliance response period for a person presented
31 with a request under IC 9-25-10 (before its repeal); or

32 (2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial
33 responsibility was in effect on the date requested;

34 the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~: ~~(c)~~.

35 ~~(d)~~ ~~(c)~~ Under the conditions set forth in subsection ~~(a)~~ or ~~(b)~~, or ~~(c)~~,
36 the bureau shall immediately suspend the person's driving privileges,
37 motor vehicle registration, or both, until proof of future financial
38 responsibility is filed by the person with the bureau under subsection
39 ~~(g)~~: ~~(f)~~.

40 ~~(e)~~ ~~(d)~~ Except as provided in subsection ~~(f)~~; ~~(g)~~, if subsection ~~(a)~~ or
41 ~~(b)~~ or ~~(c)~~ applies to a person, the bureau shall suspend the driving
42 privileges of the person irrespective of the following:

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- 1 (1) The sale or other disposition of the motor vehicle by the
 2 owner.
 3 (2) The cancellation or expiration of the registration of the motor
 4 vehicle.
 5 (3) An assertion by the person that the person did not own the
 6 motor vehicle and therefore had no control over whether financial
 7 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle.
 8 ~~(f)~~ (e) The bureau shall not suspend the driving privileges of a
 9 person to which subsection (a) ~~or~~ (b) ~~or~~ ~~(c)~~ applies if the person,
 10 through a certificate of compliance or another communication with the
 11 bureau, establishes to the satisfaction of the bureau that the motor
 12 vehicle that the person was operating ~~when the accident referred to in~~
 13 ~~subsection (a) took place or~~ when the violation referred to in subsection
 14 (a) ~~or~~ (b) ~~or~~ (c) was committed was:
 15 (1) rented from a rental company;
 16 (2) shared through a peer to peer vehicle sharing program (as
 17 defined in IC 24-4-9.2-4); or
 18 (3) owned by the person's employer and operated by the person in
 19 the normal course of the person's employment.
 20 ~~(g)~~ (f) As to any suspension described in this section:
 21 (1) the bureau shall stay the suspension for one hundred and
 22 eighty (180) days upon a showing of proof of future financial
 23 responsibility by the person who has had the person's driving
 24 privileges, motor vehicle registration, or both, suspended; and
 25 (2) if the bureau does not receive proof that financial
 26 responsibility has lapsed after the period of one hundred and
 27 eighty (180) days, the bureau shall terminate the suspension.
 28 ~~(h)~~ (g) If the bureau receives notice that financial responsibility has
 29 lapsed during the period of one hundred and eighty (180) days under
 30 subsection ~~(g)~~; (f), the bureau shall lift the stay of suspension and again
 31 suspend the person's driving privileges, motor vehicle registration, or
 32 both.
 33 ~~(i)~~ For a suspension that occurs under subsection (a)(1); upon
 34 receipt of a request for review under IC 9-33-2-1, the bureau may
 35 initiate a new compliance period.
 36 SECTION 22. IC 9-25-6-15, AS AMENDED BY P.L.201-2023,
 37 SECTION 120, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 38 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 15. (a) Except as provided in
 39 subsection (e), an individual:
 40 (1) whose driving privileges are suspended under this article; and
 41 (2) who seeks the reinstatement of the driving privileges;
 42 must pay a reinstatement fee to the bureau as provided in subsection



- 1 (b).
- 2 (b) The reinstatement fee under subsection (a) is as follows:
- 3 (1) For a first suspension, two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).
- 4 (2) For a second suspension, five hundred dollars (\$500).
- 5 (3) For a third or subsequent suspension, one thousand dollars
- 6 (\$1,000).
- 7 (c) Each fee paid under this section or section 15.1 of this chapter
- 8 shall be deposited in the bureau of motor vehicles commission fund
- 9 established by IC 9-14-14-1 as follows:
- 10 (1) Forty-eight percent (48%) of a fee paid after a first suspension.
- 11 (2) Thirty-nine percent (39%) of a fee paid after a second
- 12 suspension.
- 13 (3) Twenty-seven percent (27%) of a fee paid after a third or
- 14 subsequent suspension.
- 15 The remaining amount of each fee paid under this section or section
- 16 15.1 of this chapter must be deposited in the motor vehicle highway
- 17 account.
- 18 (d) If:
- 19 (1) a person's driving privileges are suspended for registering or
- 20 operating a vehicle in violation of IC 9-25-4-1;
- 21 (2) the person is required to pay a fee for the reinstatement of the
- 22 person's license under this section; and
- 23 (3) the person later establishes that the person did not register or
- 24 operate a vehicle in violation of IC 9-25-4-1;
- 25 the fee paid by the person under this section shall be refunded.
- 26 (e) An individual who has had a suspension imposed under this
- 27 article terminated by submitting proof of future financial responsibility
- 28 under IC 9-25-4-3, IC 9-25-5-1, or section ~~3(d)~~ **3(c)** of this chapter for
- 29 the required time period is not required to pay a reinstatement fee
- 30 under this section in order to have the individual's driving privileges
- 31 reinstated.
- 32 SECTION 23. IC 9-25-8-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2021,
- 33 SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 34 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 2. (a) A person that knowingly:
- 35 (1) operates; or
- 36 (2) permits the operation of;
- 37 a motor vehicle on a public highway in Indiana without financial
- 38 responsibility in effect as set forth in IC 9-25-4-4 commits a Class A
- 39 infraction. However, the offense is a Class C misdemeanor if the
- 40 person knowingly or intentionally violates this section and has a prior
- 41 unrelated conviction or judgment under this section.
- 42 (b) Subsection (a)(2) applies to:



- 1 (1) the owner of a rental company under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(1)~~;
- 2 **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(1)**;
- 3 (2) the owner of a peer to peer sharing program under
- 4 ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(2)~~; **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(2)**; and
- 5 (3) an employer under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(3)~~; **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(3)**.

6 SECTION 24. IC 9-30-16-4.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2021,
 7 SECTION 15, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 8 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4.5. (a) This section applies to a person:

- 9 (1) whose driving privileges were suspended under
- 10 ~~IC 9-25-6-3(d)~~; **IC 9-25-6-3(c)**; and
- 11 (2) to whom a court grants specialized driving privileges under
- 12 section 3 or 4 of this chapter with respect to the suspended driving
- 13 privileges.

14 (b) The court may, as a condition of the specialized driving
 15 privileges, lift the suspension of the person's motor vehicle registration
 16 that was imposed in conjunction with the suspension of the person's
 17 driving privileges.

18 SECTION 25. IC 9-33-2-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.72-2024,
 19 SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 20 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. (a) If a person determines that the records of the
 21 bureau contain a material error with respect to the person or the
 22 person's records, the person may notify the bureau in writing of the
 23 material error.

24 (b) Not more than thirty (30) days after the bureau receives notice
 25 under subsection (a), the bureau shall determine if a material error was
 26 made.

27 (c) If the bureau determines that a material error was made with
 28 respect to the person's records, the bureau shall provide written notice
 29 to the person and correct the error, including removing any suspension
 30 of the person's driving privileges or registration and reinstating the
 31 person's driving privileges or registration.

32 (d) If the bureau determines that a material error exists with respect
 33 to an action under IC 9-30-10, the bureau shall notify the prosecuting
 34 attorney of the county in which the action originated of the bureau's
 35 determination of the material error. The prosecuting attorney is entitled
 36 to respond to the bureau's determination.

37 (e) A person aggrieved by the bureau's determination of a material
 38 error under this section may seek judicial review of the determination
 39 under section 3 of this chapter.

40 (f) The bureau may enter into an agreement with the office of
 41 administrative law proceedings under IC 4-15-10.5-12 to conduct a
 42 review under this section on the bureau's behalf.



1 (g) For a suspension that occurs under IC 9-25-6-3(a)(1); upon
 2 receipt of a request for review under this section; the bureau may
 3 initiate a new compliance period.

4 SECTION 26. IC 24-4-26-1 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE UPON
 5 PASSAGE]. Sec. 1. This chapter does not apply to the advertisement
 6 of a:

7 (1) product containing marijuana; or

8 (2) controlled substance listed in schedule I of IC 35-48-2;
 9 pursuant to a contract that was entered into or renewed before the
 10 effective date of this chapter as enacted by the 2025 general assembly.

11 SECTION 27. IC 24-4-26-4, AS ADDED BY P.L.227-2025,
 12 SECTION 41, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 13 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 4. (a) A person may not advertise a:

14 (1) product containing marijuana; or

15 (2) controlled substance listed in schedule I of IC 35-48-2;
 16 by any medium.

17 (b) **An advertisement in violation of subsection (a) must be**
 18 **removed from public circulation and not available to be viewed by**
 19 **the public not later than October 1, 2026.**

20 SECTION 28. IC 35-52-9.1-30.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
 21 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 22 [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 30.5. IC 9-24-6.1-3.3 defines
 23 a crime concerning commercial motor vehicles.

24 SECTION 29. An emergency is declared for this act.



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which was referred House Bill 1200, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, delete lines 1 through 11.

Page 3, between lines 11 and 12, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(d) A license plate issued under this chapter that is designed in an alternate color scheme version is subject to the fee described in IC 9-18.5-2-8(3).

SECTION 4. IC 9-19-12-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. A motor vehicle that is constructed or loaded so as to obstruct the driver's view to the rear from the driver's position must be equipped with **either:**

(1) a mirror located so as to reflect to the driver a view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of the vehicle; **or**

(2) an appropriate, functioning rear view camera that provides the driver a view of the highway for a distance of at least two hundred (200) feet to the rear of the vehicle."

Page 3, delete lines 12 through 20.

Page 15, between lines 5 and 6, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 15. IC 24-4-26-1 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]. Sec. 1. This chapter does not apply to the advertisement of a:

~~(1) product containing marijuana; or~~

~~(2) controlled substance listed in schedule I of IC 35-48-2;~~

~~pursuant to a contract that was entered into or renewed before the effective date of this chapter as enacted by the 2025 general assembly.~~

SECTION 16. IC 24-4-26-4, AS ADDED BY P.L.227-2025, SECTION 41, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4. (a) A person may not advertise a:

(1) product containing marijuana; or

(2) controlled substance listed in schedule I of IC 35-48-2;

by any medium.

(b) An advertisement in violation of subsection (a) must be removed from public circulation and not available to be viewed by the public not later than October 1, 2026."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

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(Reference is to HB 1200 as introduced.)

PRESSEL

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 0.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Replace the effective dates in SECTIONS 14 through 15 with "[EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]".

Page 15, line 13, delete "October 1, 2026." and insert "**July 1, 2026.**".

(Reference is to HB 1200 as printed January 27, 2026.)

PRESSEL

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President: The Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Transportation, to which was referred House Bill No. 1200, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 1. IC 9-18.1-5-12, AS AMENDED BY P.L.63-2025, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 12. (a) The supplemental fee in this section applies after December 31, 2017, to each electric vehicle and hybrid vehicle that is required to be registered under this article. The supplemental fee in this section does not apply to vehicles subject to the motor carrier fuel tax under IC 6-6-4.1, **low speed vehicles**, or motor driven cycles.

(b) As used in this section, "electric vehicle" means a vehicle that:

- (1) is propelled by an electric motor powered by a battery or other electrical device incorporated into the vehicle; and
- (2) is not propelled by an engine powered by the combustion of a hydrocarbon fuel, including gasoline, diesel, propane, or liquid



natural gas.

- (c) As used in this section, "hybrid vehicle" means a vehicle that:
- (1) draws propulsion energy from both an internal combustion engine and an energy storage device; and
 - (2) employs a regenerative braking system to recover waste energy to charge the energy storage device that is providing propulsion energy.

(d) In addition to any other fee required to register an electric vehicle under this chapter, the supplemental fee to register an electric vehicle is one hundred fifty dollars (\$150). The bureau shall determine a new fee amount to take effect as of January 1 of the following year by determining the product of the following:

- (1) Before October 1, 2023:
 - (A) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by
 - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2(b).
- (2) Before October 1 of each year thereafter:
 - (A) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by
 - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-3.

The fee shall be rounded to the nearest dollar.

(e) In addition to any other fee required to register a hybrid vehicle under this chapter, the supplemental fee to register a hybrid vehicle is fifty dollars (\$50). The bureau shall determine a new fee amount to take effect as of January 1 of the following year by determining the product of the following:

- (1) Before October 1, 2023:
 - (A) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by
 - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-2(b).
- (2) Before October 1 of each year thereafter:
 - (A) the fee in effect for the determination year; multiplied by
 - (B) the factor determined under IC 6-6-1.6-3.

The fee shall be rounded to the nearest dollar.

(f) The fee shall be deposited in the local road and bridge matching grant fund established by IC 8-23-30-2."

Page 6, between lines 3 and 4, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 7. IC 9-24-6.1-3.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 3.3. (a) If an individual:**

- (1) makes, presents, or uses a public record with knowledge of the falsity of the public record and with the intent that the public record be taken as genuine; and**
- (2) represents that a false public record made, presented, or used is a valid commercial driver's license under section 3 of**



**this chapter;
the individual commits a Level 6 felony.**

(b) If an individual knowingly:

(1) holds a commercial driver's license that was issued by any jurisdiction other than a state, territory, or possession of the United States; and

(2) does not have the additional entry documents required under 8 CFR 214.2(b)(4) in the individual's possession while operating a commercial motor vehicle;

the individual commits a Level 6 felony.

(c) If an individual violates subsection (a) or (b), in addition to the criminal penalties, the following apply:

(1) The individual is subject to a civil penalty of five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

(2) The carrier (as defined in IC 6-6-4.1-1(a)) of the commercial motor vehicle the individual was operating at the time of the violation is subject to a civil penalty of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). This subdivision applies to a commercial motor vehicle leased to a carrier to the same extent and in the same manner as a commercial motor vehicle owned by the carrier."

Page 15, line 14, delete "July 1, 2026." and insert "**October 1, 2026.**"

Page 15, between lines 14 and 15, begin a new paragraph and insert:
"SECTION 17. IC 35-52-9.1-30.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 30.5. IC 9-24-6.1-3.3 defines a crime concerning commercial motor vehicles.**"

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1200 as reprinted January 30, 2026.)

CRIDER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0.



SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Replace the effective dates in SECTIONS 1 through 2 with "[EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2027]".

(Reference is to EHB 1200 as printed February 18, 2026.)

CRIDER

SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17.

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 29.

Page 7, delete lines 30 through 36, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(2) The business entity that hired the individual to operate the commercial motor vehicle the individual was operating at the time of the violation is subject to a civil penalty of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to EHB 1200 as printed February 18, 2026.)

CRIDER

SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Page 7, between lines 36 and 37, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 8. IC 9-24-6.1-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.58-2017, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 10. (a) As used in this section, "nondomiciled commercial driver's license" means a commercial driver's license that is issued to an individual who is domiciled:

(1) in a foreign country meeting the requirements of 49 CFR

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383.23(b)(1); or

(2) in another state meeting the requirements of 49 CFR 383.23(b)(2).

(b) After December 31, 2017, the bureau shall issue a nondomiciled commercial driver's license in accordance with 49 CFR 383.23 to an individual who:

(1) submits a proper application under this article; and

(2) meets the requirements of 49 CFR 383.71(f).

(c) The bureau may create an application form or other required documents to implement this section.

(d) The fee for a nondomiciled commercial driver's license is the same as for a commercial driver's license under section 4 of this chapter.

(e) A nondomiciled commercial driver's license is subject to the same restrictions and requirements as a commercial driver's license under this chapter.

(f) Notwithstanding any other grounds for the revocation or suspension of a commercial driver's license, the bureau shall revoke an individual's nondomiciled commercial driver's license if the bureau receives credible information, including information provided by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, the United States Department of Homeland Security, the United States Department of State, or another federal agency, that the individual:

(1) no longer has the legal status or documentation that were necessary at the time the individual's commercial driver's license was issued; or

(2) poses a risk to public safety.

(g) Notwithstanding IC 9-33-2-1, an individual aggrieved by the bureau's revocation of the individual's nondomiciled commercial driver's license under subsection (f) may seek judicial review of the revocation through the judicial review procedures provided in IC 9-33-2-3.

(h) The bureau may not make a revocation under subsection (f) effective until the earlier of:

(1) fifteen (15) days after the individual receives notice of the revocation; or

(2) the conclusion of a judicial review proceeding initiated under subsection (g).

(i) The bureau shall periodically consult with the United States Department of Homeland Security to identify individuals whose commercial driver's licenses may be subject to revocation under



subsection (f).

(j) If an individual who received a nondomiciled commercial driver's license under this section:

(1) no longer has legal status under the federal Immigration and Nationality Act; and

(2) is domiciled in a foreign country;

the individual's nondomiciled commercial driver's license expires on April 1, 2026.

~~(f)~~ **(k)** The bureau may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to implement this section."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to EHB 1200 as printed February 18, 2026.)

CRIDER

SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Page 6, line 41, after "Sec. 2.7." insert "**(a)**".

Page 7, between lines 7 and 8, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) An individual must take and pass a skills exam in English to operate a commercial motor vehicle."

Page 7, between lines 36 and 37, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 8. IC 9-24-6.1-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.58-2017, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 10. (a) As used in this section, "nondomiciled commercial driver's license" means a commercial driver's license that is issued to an individual who is domiciled:

(1) in a foreign country meeting the requirements of 49 CFR 383.23(b)(1); or

(2) in another state meeting the requirements of 49 CFR 383.23(b)(2).

(b) After December 31, 2017, the bureau shall issue a nondomiciled commercial driver's license in accordance with 49 CFR 383.23 to an individual who:

(1) submits a proper application under this article; and

(2) meets the requirements of 49 CFR 383.71(f).

(c) The bureau may create an application form or other required

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documents to implement this section.

(d) The fee for a nondomiciled commercial driver's license is the same as for a commercial driver's license under section 4 of this chapter.

(e) A nondomiciled commercial driver's license is subject to the same restrictions and requirements as a commercial driver's license under this chapter.

(f) A nondomiciled commercial driver's license may only be issued to an individual if the individual meets:

- (1) all requirements described in section 2 of this chapter; and**
- (2) any other requirements for the holder of a commercial driver's license or commercial learner's permit required by state law or administrative law.**

(f) (g) The bureau may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to implement this section.

(h) In addition to any grounds for suspension or revocation, the bureau shall, consistent with federal law, revoke an individual's nondomiciled commercial driver's license upon receipt of credible information, including information provided by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, the United States Department of Homeland Security, the United States Department of State, or any other federal agency, that the individual:

- (1) is an unauthorized alien as defined by 8 U.S.C. 1324a(h)(3);**
- (2) no longer possesses an unexpired foreign passport; or**
- (3) no longer possesses a form I-94/94A issued by the United States Department of Homeland Security with an unexpired admit until date indicating one (1) of the following classifications:**

(A) A H-2A-Temporary Agricultural Workers classification.

(B) A H-2B-Temporary Non-Agricultural Workers classification.

(C) An E-2-Treaty Investors classification.

This subsection applies regardless of whether the individual was eligible to receive a nondomiciled commercial driver's license at the time the license was issued."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

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FREEMAN



SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Page 4, between lines 17 and 18, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 5. IC 9-21-5-12, AS AMENDED BY P.L.49-2024, SECTION 12, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 12. (a) Except as provided in ~~subsection (d)~~, **subsections (d) and (e)**, whenever the Indiana department of transportation determines on the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that a maximum speed set forth in this chapter is greater or less than is reasonable or safe under the conditions found to exist at an intersection or other place or on part of the state highway system, the Indiana department of transportation may determine and declare a reasonable and safe maximum limit at the intersection or on the part of the state highway system. The differing limit is effective when appropriate signs giving notice of the limit are erected.

(b) A maximum speed limit under this section may be declared to be effective at all times or at times indicated on the signs. Differing limits may be established for different times of day **and** different types of vehicles. ~~varying weather conditions, and other factors bearing on safe speeds.~~ The differing limits are effective when posted on appropriate fixed ~~or variable~~ signs.

(c) A person who exceeds a speed limit established under this section commits a Class C infraction.

(d) The Indiana department of transportation may decrease the speed limit on a highway in its jurisdiction with a functional classification of minor collector or local road in an urban district to twenty (20) miles per hour without an engineering and traffic investigation.

(e) The Indiana department of transportation may not:

- (1) implement variable speed limits; or**
- (2) use electronic variable speed limit signs."**

Re-number all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to EHB 1200 as printed February 18, 2026.)

FREEMAN



SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Page 16, between lines 31 and 32, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 16. IC 9-25-5-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2017, SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4. (a) ~~To avoid suspension of driving privileges or motor vehicle registration suspension, or both, under this article,~~ A person identified under section 2 of this chapter who receives a request for evidence of financial responsibility must ensure that the insurance company of the person provides the bureau with a certificate of compliance indicating that financial responsibility required by IC 9-25-4-1 was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle, or the operation of the motor vehicle, on the date of the accident described in the accident report. It is the responsibility of the person who receives a request for evidence of financial responsibility to ensure that the insurance company of the person has provided a certificate of compliance.

(b) Proof that the bureau:

- (1) did not receive a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period for a person presented with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under section 2 of this chapter;
- (2) received a certificate of compliance that did not indicate that financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle that the person was operating on the date of the accident described in the accident report; or
- (3) suspended the driving privileges or motor vehicle registration, or both, under IC 9-25-6-3 after presenting a person with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under section 2 of this chapter;

is prima facie evidence in a civil action that the person presented with the request for evidence of financial responsibility did not have an operator's or a motor vehicle liability policy in effect with respect to the motor vehicle that the person was operating on the date of the accident described in the accident report.

SECTION 17. IC 9-25-6-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2017, SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. ~~(a) If:~~

- ~~(1) the bureau receives a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period for a person identified~~

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under IC 9-25-5-2; and

(2) the certificate of compliance indicates that financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or the operation of the motor vehicle at the time of the accident described in the accident report;

the bureau may not suspend the person's driving privileges:

(b) (a) If:

(1) the bureau receives a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period from a person presented with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under IC 9-25-9-1; and

(2) the certificate of compliance indicates that financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or the operation of the motor vehicle that the person was operating when the person committed the violation described in the judgment or abstract received by the bureau under IC 9-25-9-1;

the bureau may not suspend the person's driving privileges.

(c) (b) If:

(1) the bureau receives a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period for a person identified under IC 9-25-10 (before its repeal); and

(2) the certificate of compliance indicates that financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or the operation of the motor vehicle for the date requested;

the bureau may not suspend the driving privileges of the person.

SECTION 18. IC 9-25-6-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.72-2024, SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 3. (a) If the bureau:

(1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period for a person identified under IC 9-25-5-2; or

(2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle operated by the person or operation of the motor vehicle by the person on the date of the accident referred to in IC 9-25-5-2;

the bureau shall take action under subsection (d):

(b) (a) If the bureau:

(1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period for a person presented with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under IC 9-25-9-1; or

(2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial



responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or operation of the motor vehicle that the person was operating when the person committed the violation described in the judgment or abstract received by the bureau under IC 9-25-9-1; the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~: **(c)**.

~~(e)~~ **(b)** If the bureau:

- (1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the applicable compliance response period for a person presented with a request under IC 9-25-10 (before its repeal); or
- (2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial responsibility was in effect on the date requested;

the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~: **(c)**.

~~(d)~~ **(c)** Under the conditions set forth in subsection (a) **or** (b), ~~or (e)~~; the bureau shall immediately suspend the person's driving privileges, motor vehicle registration, or both, until proof of future financial responsibility is filed by the person with the bureau under subsection ~~(g)~~: **(f)**.

~~(e)~~ **(d)** Except as provided in subsection ~~(f)~~; ~~(g)~~, if subsection (a) **or** (b) ~~or (e)~~ applies to a person, the bureau shall suspend the driving privileges of the person irrespective of the following:

- (1) The sale or other disposition of the motor vehicle by the owner.
- (2) The cancellation or expiration of the registration of the motor vehicle.
- (3) An assertion by the person that the person did not own the motor vehicle and therefore had no control over whether financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle.

~~(f)~~ **(e)** The bureau shall not suspend the driving privileges of a person to which subsection (a) **or** (b) ~~or (e)~~ applies if the person, through a certificate of compliance or another communication with the bureau, establishes to the satisfaction of the bureau that the motor vehicle that the person was operating ~~when the accident referred to in subsection (a) took place or~~ when the violation referred to in subsection **(a) or (b) or (e)** was committed was:

- (1) rented from a rental company;
- (2) shared through a peer to peer vehicle sharing program (as defined in IC 24-4-9.2-4); or
- (3) owned by the person's employer and operated by the person in the normal course of the person's employment.

~~(g)~~ **(f)** As to any suspension described in this section:

- (1) the bureau shall stay the suspension for one hundred and eighty (180) days upon a showing of proof of future financial



responsibility by the person who has had the person's driving privileges, motor vehicle registration, or both, suspended; and
 (2) if the bureau does not receive proof that financial responsibility has lapsed after the period of one hundred and eighty (180) days, the bureau shall terminate the suspension.

~~(h)~~ (g) If the bureau receives notice that financial responsibility has lapsed during the period of one hundred and eighty (180) days under subsection ~~(g)~~; ~~(f)~~, the bureau shall lift the stay of suspension and again suspend the person's driving privileges, motor vehicle registration, or both.

~~(i) For a suspension that occurs under subsection (a)(1), upon receipt of a request for review under IC 9-33-2-1, the bureau may initiate a new compliance period.~~

SECTION 19. IC 9-25-6-15, AS AMENDED BY P.L.201-2023, SECTION 120, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 15. (a) Except as provided in subsection (e), an individual:

(1) whose driving privileges are suspended under this article; and
 (2) who seeks the reinstatement of the driving privileges;
 must pay a reinstatement fee to the bureau as provided in subsection (b).

(b) The reinstatement fee under subsection (a) is as follows:

- (1) For a first suspension, two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).
- (2) For a second suspension, five hundred dollars (\$500).
- (3) For a third or subsequent suspension, one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

(c) Each fee paid under this section or section 15.1 of this chapter shall be deposited in the bureau of motor vehicles commission fund established by IC 9-14-14-1 as follows:

- (1) Forty-eight percent (48%) of a fee paid after a first suspension.
- (2) Thirty-nine percent (39%) of a fee paid after a second suspension.
- (3) Twenty-seven percent (27%) of a fee paid after a third or subsequent suspension.

The remaining amount of each fee paid under this section or section 15.1 of this chapter must be deposited in the motor vehicle highway account.

(d) If:

- (1) a person's driving privileges are suspended for registering or operating a vehicle in violation of IC 9-25-4-1;
- (2) the person is required to pay a fee for the reinstatement of the person's license under this section; and



(3) the person later establishes that the person did not register or operate a vehicle in violation of IC 9-25-4-1; the fee paid by the person under this section shall be refunded.

(e) An individual who has had a suspension imposed under this article terminated by submitting proof of future financial responsibility under IC 9-25-4-3, IC 9-25-5-1, or section ~~3(d)~~ **3(c)** of this chapter for the required time period is not required to pay a reinstatement fee under this section in order to have the individual's driving privileges reinstated.

SECTION 21. IC 9-25-8-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2021, SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 2. (a) A person that knowingly:

- (1) operates; or
- (2) permits the operation of;

a motor vehicle on a public highway in Indiana without financial responsibility in effect as set forth in IC 9-25-4-4 commits a Class A infraction. However, the offense is a Class C misdemeanor if the person knowingly or intentionally violates this section and has a prior unrelated conviction or judgment under this section.

(b) Subsection (a)(2) applies to:

- (1) the owner of a rental company under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(1);~~ **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(1);**
- (2) the owner of a peer to peer sharing program under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(2);~~ **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(2);** and
- (3) an employer under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(3);~~ **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(3).**

SECTION 22. IC 9-30-16-4.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2021, SECTION 15, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4.5. (a) This section applies to a person:

- (1) whose driving privileges were suspended under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(d);~~ **IC 9-25-6-3(c);** and
- (2) to whom a court grants specialized driving privileges under section 3 or 4 of this chapter with respect to the suspended driving privileges.

(b) The court may, as a condition of the specialized driving privileges, lift the suspension of the person's motor vehicle registration that was imposed in conjunction with the suspension of the person's driving privileges.

SECTION 23. IC 9-33-2-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.72-2024, SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 1. (a) If a person determines that the records of the bureau contain a material error with respect to the person or the person's records, the person may notify the bureau in writing of the



material error.

(b) Not more than thirty (30) days after the bureau receives notice under subsection (a), the bureau shall determine if a material error was made.

(c) If the bureau determines that a material error was made with respect to the person's records, the bureau shall provide written notice to the person and correct the error, including removing any suspension of the person's driving privileges or registration and reinstating the person's driving privileges or registration.

(d) If the bureau determines that a material error exists with respect to an action under IC 9-30-10, the bureau shall notify the prosecuting attorney of the county in which the action originated of the bureau's determination of the material error. The prosecuting attorney is entitled to respond to the bureau's determination.

(e) A person aggrieved by the bureau's determination of a material error under this section may seek judicial review of the determination under section 3 of this chapter.

(f) The bureau may enter into an agreement with the office of administrative law proceedings under IC 4-15-10.5-12 to conduct a review under this section on the bureau's behalf.

~~(g) For a suspension that occurs under IC 9-25-6-3(a)(1), upon receipt of a request for review under this section, the bureau may initiate a new compliance period."~~

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to EHB 1200 as printed February 18, 2026.)

FREEMAN

SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Engrossed House Bill 1200 be amended to read as follows:

Page 7, between lines 36 and 37, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 8. IC 9-24-6.1-3.4 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS** [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 3.4. (a) As used in this section, "business enterprise" means a person or entity that educates, trains, or otherwise prepares an individual to operate a commercial motor vehicle.**

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(b) A business enterprise may not educate, train, or otherwise prepare an individual to operate a commercial motor vehicle if:

- (1) the individual is ineligible to obtain a commercial driver's license under Indiana law or federal law; and**
- (2) the business enterprise knew or, in the exercise of reasonable diligence, should have known of the individual's ineligibility.**

(c) A business enterprise that violates subsection (b) is subject to a civil penalty of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for each violation.

(d) A business enterprise may not operate in substantial noncompliance with applicable commercial driver training standards established under federal law or Indiana law.

(e) A business enterprise that violates subsection (d) is subject to a civil penalty of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for each violation.

(f) The attorney general shall enforce this section and may bring an action to:

- (1) collect a civil penalty imposed under this section; and**
- (2) recover the reasonable costs of investigation and enforcement, including attorney's fees.**

(g) A civil penalty collected by the attorney general under this section must be deposited in the attorney general contingency fee fund established by IC 4-6-16-6."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

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TOMES

