



SENATE MOTION

MR. PRESIDENT:

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

- 1 Page 16, between lines 31 and 32, begin a new paragraph and insert:
2 "SECTION 16. IC 9-25-5-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.120-2017,
3 SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
4 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4. (a) ~~To avoid suspension of driving privileges~~
5 ~~or motor vehicle registration suspension, or both, under this article,~~ A
6 person identified under section 2 of this chapter who receives a request
7 for evidence of financial responsibility must ensure that the insurance
8 company of the person provides the bureau with a certificate of
9 compliance indicating that financial responsibility required by
10 IC 9-25-4-1 was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle, or the
11 operation of the motor vehicle, on the date of the accident described in
12 the accident report. It is the responsibility of the person who receives
13 a request for evidence of financial responsibility to ensure that the
14 insurance company of the person has provided a certificate of
15 compliance.
16 (b) Proof that the bureau:
17 (1) did not receive a certificate of compliance during the
18 applicable compliance response period for a person presented
19 with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under
20 section 2 of this chapter;
21 (2) received a certificate of compliance that did not indicate that
22 financial responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor
23 vehicle that the person was operating on the date of the accident
24 described in the accident report; or
25 (3) suspended the driving privileges or motor vehicle registration,
26 or both, under IC 9-25-6-3 after presenting a person with a
27 request for evidence of financial responsibility under section 2 of

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

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

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

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

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

18 ~~(b)~~ (a) If:

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

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

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

29 ~~(c)~~ (b) If:

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

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

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

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

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

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

- 1 the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~;
- 2 ~~(b)~~ **(a)** If the bureau:
- 3 (1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the
- 4 applicable compliance response period for a person presented
- 5 with a request for evidence of financial responsibility under
- 6 IC 9-25-9-1; or
- 7 (2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial
- 8 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle or
- 9 operation of the motor vehicle that the person was operating when
- 10 the person committed the violation described in the judgment or
- 11 abstract received by the bureau under IC 9-25-9-1;
- 12 the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~: **(c)**.
- 13 ~~(c)~~ **(b)** If the bureau:
- 14 (1) does not receive a certificate of compliance during the
- 15 applicable compliance response period for a person presented
- 16 with a request under IC 9-25-10 (before its repeal); or
- 17 (2) receives a certificate that does not indicate that financial
- 18 responsibility was in effect on the date requested;
- 19 the bureau shall take action under subsection ~~(d)~~: **(c)**.
- 20 ~~(d)~~ **(c)** Under the conditions set forth in subsection (a) **or** (b), ~~or~~ ~~(c)~~;
- 21 the bureau shall immediately suspend the person's driving privileges,
- 22 motor vehicle registration, or both, until proof of future financial
- 23 responsibility is filed by the person with the bureau under subsection
- 24 ~~(g)~~: **(f)**.
- 25 ~~(e)~~ **(d)** Except as provided in subsection ~~(f)~~; ~~(g)~~, if subsection (a) **or**
- 26 (b) ~~or~~ ~~(c)~~ applies to a person, the bureau shall suspend the driving
- 27 privileges of the person irrespective of the following:
- 28 (1) The sale or other disposition of the motor vehicle by the
- 29 owner.
- 30 (2) The cancellation or expiration of the registration of the motor
- 31 vehicle.
- 32 (3) An assertion by the person that the person did not own the
- 33 motor vehicle and therefore had no control over whether financial
- 34 responsibility was in effect with respect to the motor vehicle.
- 35 ~~(f)~~ **(e)** The bureau shall not suspend the driving privileges of a
- 36 person to which subsection (a) **or** (b) ~~or~~ ~~(c)~~ applies if the person,
- 37 through a certificate of compliance or another communication with the
- 38 bureau, establishes to the satisfaction of the bureau that the motor
- 39 vehicle that the person was operating ~~when the accident referred to in~~
- 40 ~~subsection (a) took place or when the violation referred to in subsection~~
- 41 **(a) or (b) or (c)** was committed was:
- 42 (1) rented from a rental company;
- 43 (2) shared through a peer to peer vehicle sharing program (as
- 44 defined in IC 24-4-9.2-4); or
- 45 (3) owned by the person's employer and operated by the person in
- 46 the normal course of the person's employment.

- 1 ~~(g)~~ (f) As to any suspension described in this section:
- 2 (1) the bureau shall stay the suspension for one hundred and
- 3 eighty (180) days upon a showing of proof of future financial
- 4 responsibility by the person who has had the person's driving
- 5 privileges, motor vehicle registration, or both, suspended; and
- 6 (2) if the bureau does not receive proof that financial
- 7 responsibility has lapsed after the period of one hundred and
- 8 eighty (180) days, the bureau shall terminate the suspension.
- 9 ~~(h)~~ (g) If the bureau receives notice that financial responsibility has
- 10 lapsed during the period of one hundred and eighty (180) days under
- 11 subsection ~~(g)~~; (f), the bureau shall lift the stay of suspension and again
- 12 suspend the person's driving privileges, motor vehicle registration, or
- 13 both.
- 14 (i) For a suspension that occurs under subsection (a)(1); upon
- 15 receipt of a request for review under IC 9-33-2-1; the bureau may
- 16 initiate a new compliance period.
- 17 SECTION 19. IC 9-25-6-15, AS AMENDED BY P.L.201-2023,
- 18 SECTION 120, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 19 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 15. (a) Except as provided in
- 20 subsection (e), an individual:
- 21 (1) whose driving privileges are suspended under this article; and
- 22 (2) who seeks the reinstatement of the driving privileges;
- 23 must pay a reinstatement fee to the bureau as provided in subsection
- 24 (b).
- 25 (b) The reinstatement fee under subsection (a) is as follows:
- 26 (1) For a first suspension, two hundred fifty dollars (\$250).
- 27 (2) For a second suspension, five hundred dollars (\$500).
- 28 (3) For a third or subsequent suspension, one thousand dollars
- 29 (\$1,000).
- 30 (c) Each fee paid under this section or section 15.1 of this chapter
- 31 shall be deposited in the bureau of motor vehicles commission fund
- 32 established by IC 9-14-14-1 as follows:
- 33 (1) Forty-eight percent (48%) of a fee paid after a first suspension.
- 34 (2) Thirty-nine percent (39%) of a fee paid after a second
- 35 suspension.
- 36 (3) Twenty-seven percent (27%) of a fee paid after a third or
- 37 subsequent suspension.
- 38 The remaining amount of each fee paid under this section or section
- 39 15.1 of this chapter must be deposited in the motor vehicle highway
- 40 account.
- 41 (d) If:
- 42 (1) a person's driving privileges are suspended for registering or
- 43 operating a vehicle in violation of IC 9-25-4-1;
- 44 (2) the person is required to pay a fee for the reinstatement of the
- 45 person's license under this section; and
- 46 (3) the person later establishes that the person did not register or

1 operate a vehicle in violation of IC 9-25-4-1;
 2 the fee paid by the person under this section shall be refunded.

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

9 SECTION 21. IC 9-25-8-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2021,
 10 SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 11 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 2. (a) A person that knowingly:
 12 (1) operates; or
 13 (2) permits the operation of;
 14 a motor vehicle on a public highway in Indiana without financial
 15 responsibility in effect as set forth in IC 9-25-4-4 commits a Class A
 16 infraction. However, the offense is a Class C misdemeanor if the
 17 person knowingly or intentionally violates this section and has a prior
 18 unrelated conviction or judgment under this section.

19 (b) Subsection (a)(2) applies to:
 20 (1) the owner of a rental company under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(1)~~;
 21 **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(1)**;
 22 (2) the owner of a peer to peer sharing program under
 23 ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(2)~~; **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(2)**; and
 24 (3) an employer under ~~IC 9-25-6-3(f)(3)~~. **IC 9-25-6-3(e)(3)**.

25 SECTION 22. IC 9-30-16-4.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.86-2021,
 26 SECTION 15, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 27 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4.5. (a) This section applies to a person:
 28 (1) whose driving privileges were suspended under
 29 ~~IC 9-25-6-3(d)~~; **IC 9-25-6-3(c)**; and
 30 (2) to whom a court grants specialized driving privileges under
 31 section 3 or 4 of this chapter with respect to the suspended driving
 32 privileges.

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

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

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

46 (c) If the bureau determines that a material error was made with

1 respect to the person's records, the bureau shall provide written notice
 2 to the person and correct the error, including removing any suspension
 3 of the person's driving privileges or registration and reinstating the
 4 person's driving privileges or registration.

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

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

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

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

19 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

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

Senator FREEMAN