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# SENATE BILL No. 550

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 9-24; IC 9-29.

**Synopsis:** Driving authority permit. Provides for the issuance of driving authority permits, probationary driving authority permits, and driving authority learner's permits (permits) to residents of Indiana who cannot provide proof of identity and lawful status in the United States. Provides that permits may not be used for federal identification or for any federal purposes. Requires that an individual who holds a permit and operates a motor vehicle must ensure that financial responsibility on any motor vehicle that the holder operates is continuously maintained in the amounts required by law. Makes conforming amendments.

**Effective:** July 1, 2013.

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# SENATE BILL No. 550



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 9-24-3.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
 2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 3 JULY 1, 2013]:  
 4 **Chapter 3.5. Driving Authority Permit**  
 5 **Sec. 1. An individual who is unable to present the valid**  
 6 **documentary evidence required by IC 9-24-9-2.5(a) may apply to**  
 7 **the bureau for a driving authority permit.**  
 8 **Sec. 2. The bureau shall issue a driving authority permit to an**  
 9 **individual who meets the following conditions:**  
 10 (1) Satisfies the age requirements set forth in section 3 of this  
 11 chapter.  
 12 (2) Makes proper application to the bureau under IC 9-24-9  
 13 upon a form prescribed by the bureau. The form must include  
 14 an attestation concerning the number of hours of supervised  
 15 driving practice that the individual has completed if the  
 16 individual is required under section 3 of this chapter to  
 17 complete a certain number of hours of supervised driving



1 practice in order to receive a driving authority permit. The:

2 (A) parent or guardian of an applicant less than eighteen  
3 (18) years of age; or

4 (B) applicant, if the applicant is at least eighteen (18) years  
5 of age;

6 shall attest in writing under penalty of perjury to the time  
7 logged in practice driving.

8 (3) Satisfactorily passes the examination and tests required  
9 for issuance of a driving authority permit.

10 (4) Pays the fee prescribed by IC 9-29-9-2.3.

11 Sec. 3. (a) An individual must satisfy the requirements set forth  
12 in one (1) of the following subdivisions to receive a driving  
13 authority permit:

14 (1) The individual meets the following conditions:

15 (A) Is at least sixteen (16) years and one hundred eighty  
16 (180) days of age.

17 (B) Has held a valid learner's permit for at least one  
18 hundred eighty (180) days.

19 (C) Obtains an instructor's certification that the individual  
20 has satisfactorily completed an approved driver education  
21 course.

22 (D) Passes the required examination.

23 (E) Completes at least fifty (50) hours of supervised driving  
24 practice, of which at least ten (10) hours are nighttime  
25 driving, with:

26 (i) a licensed instructor or a licensed driver who is at  
27 least twenty-five (25) years of age; or

28 (ii) the spouse of the individual who is at least twenty-one  
29 (21) years of age.

30 (2) The individual meets the following conditions:

31 (A) Is at least sixteen (16) years and two hundred seventy  
32 (270) days of age.

33 (B) Has held a valid learner's permit for at least one  
34 hundred eighty (180) days.

35 (C) Passes the required examination.

36 (D) Completes at least fifty (50) hours of supervised  
37 driving practice, of which at least ten (10) hours are  
38 nighttime driving, with:

39 (i) a licensed instructor or a licensed driver who is at  
40 least twenty-five (25) years of age; or

41 (ii) the spouse of the individual who is at least twenty-one  
42 (21) years of age.

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- (3) The individual meets the following conditions:**
  - (A) Is at least eighteen (18) years of age.**
  - (B) Has previously been a nonresident of Indiana but, at the time of application, qualifies as an Indiana resident.**
  - (C) Held a valid driver's license, excluding a learner's permit or the equivalent, from the state of prior residence.**
  - (D) Passes the required examination.**
- (b) An applicant who is required to complete at least fifty (50) hours of supervised practice driving under subsection (a)(1)(E) or (a)(2)(D) must submit to the commission under IC 9-24-9-2(c) evidence of the time logged in practice driving.**
- Sec. 4. A driving authority permit must include a statement on the face of the permit that indicates that the driving authority permit may not be accepted by any federal agency for federal identification or any other federal purpose.**
- Sec. 5. A driving authority permit allows the holder to operate a passenger motor vehicle or a truck with a declared gross weight equal to or less than eleven thousand (11,000) pounds.**
- Sec. 6. A person who holds a driving authority permit and operates a motor vehicle shall ensure that financial responsibility on any motor vehicle that the holder operates is continuously maintained in the amounts required by IC 9-25-4.**
- Sec. 7. The bureau shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to carry out this chapter.**
- SECTION 2. IC 9-24-7-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.125-2012, SECTION 196, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]:** Sec. 1. (a) The bureau shall issue a learner's permit to an individual who:
  - (1) is at least fifteen (15) years of age;
  - (2) if less than eighteen (18) years of age, is not ineligible under IC 9-24-2-1;
  - (3) is enrolled in an approved driver education course; and
  - (4) has passed a written examination as required under IC 9-24-10.
- (b) The bureau shall issue a learner's permit to an individual who:
  - (1) is at least sixteen (16) years of age;
  - (2) if less than eighteen (18) years of age, is not ineligible under IC 9-24-2; and
  - (3) has passed a written examination as required under IC 9-24-10.
- (c) An individual who is unable to present the valid documentary evidence required by IC 9-24-9-2.5(a) may apply for**

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1 **a driving authority learner's permit, which may be used only as the**  
2 **basis to acquire a driving authority permit under IC 9-24-3.5.**

3 SECTION 3. IC 9-24-9-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.125-2012,  
4 SECTION 203, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
5 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2. (a) Except as provided in  
6 subsection (b), each application for a license or permit under this  
7 chapter must 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 principal address and mailing 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; and
    - 17 (ii) identity and lawful status;

18 **unless the applicant is applying for a driving authority permit**  
19 **under IC 9-24-3.5 or a learner's permit leading only to a**  
20 **driving authority permit under IC 9-24-7-1(c). An applicant**  
21 **for a driving authority permit or driving authority learner's**  
22 **permit must submit a valid individual taxpayer identification**  
23 **number for the applicant.**

- 24 (7) Whether the applicant has been subject to fainting spells or  
25 seizure.
- 26 (8) Whether the applicant has been licensed as an operator, a  
27 chauffeur, or a public passenger chauffeur or has been the holder  
28 of a learner's permit, and if so, when and by what state.
- 29 (9) Whether the applicant's license or permit has ever been  
30 suspended or revoked, and if so, the date of and the reason for the  
31 suspension or revocation.
- 32 (10) Whether the applicant has been convicted of a crime  
33 punishable as a felony under Indiana motor vehicle law or any  
34 other felony in the commission of which a motor vehicle was  
35 used.
- 36 (11) Whether the applicant has a physical or mental disability,  
37 and if so, the nature of the disability and other information the  
38 bureau directs.
- 39 (12) The signature of the applicant.

40 The bureau shall maintain records of the information provided under  
41 subdivisions (1) through (12).

42 (b) For purposes of subsection (a), an individual certified as a

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1 program participant in the address confidentiality program under  
 2 IC 5-26.5 is not required to provide the individual's principal address  
 3 and mailing address, but may provide an address designated by the  
 4 office of the attorney general under IC 5-26.5 as the individual's  
 5 principal address and mailing address.

6 (c) In addition to the information required by subsection (a), an  
 7 applicant who is required to complete at least fifty (50) hours of  
 8 supervised practice driving under IC 9-24-3-2.5(a)(1)(E), ~~or~~  
 9 IC 9-24-3-2.5(a)(2)(D), **IC 9-24-3.5-3(a)(1)(E), or**  
 10 **IC 9-24-3.5-3(a)(2)(D)** must submit to the commission evidence of the  
 11 time logged in practice driving. The bureau shall maintain a record of  
 12 the time log provided.

13 (d) In addition to the information required under subsection (a), an  
 14 application for a license or permit to be issued under this chapter must  
 15 enable the applicant to indicate that the applicant is a veteran of the  
 16 armed forces of the United States and wishes to have an indication of  
 17 the applicant's veteran status appear on the license or permit. An  
 18 applicant who wishes to have an indication of the applicant's veteran  
 19 status appear on a license or permit must:

- 20 (1) indicate on the application that the applicant:  
 21 (A) is a veteran of the armed forces of the United States; and  
 22 (B) wishes to have an indication of the applicant's veteran  
 23 status appear on the license or permit; and  
 24 (2) verify the applicant's veteran status by providing proof of  
 25 discharge.

26 The bureau shall maintain records of the information provided under  
 27 this subsection.

28 SECTION 4. IC 9-24-9-2.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.162-2009,  
 29 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 30 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2.5. **(a) Except as provided in subsection (b),** in  
 31 addition to the information required from the applicant for a license or  
 32 permit under sections 1 and 2 of this chapter, the bureau shall require  
 33 an applicant to present to the bureau valid documentary evidence that  
 34 the applicant:

- 35 (1) is a citizen or national of the United States;  
 36 (2) is an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the  
 37 United States;  
 38 (3) has conditional permanent resident status in the United States;  
 39 (4) has an approved application for asylum in the United States or  
 40 has entered into the United States in refugee status;  
 41 (5) is an alien lawfully admitted for temporary residence in the  
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1 (6) has a valid unexpired nonimmigrant visa or nonimmigrant visa  
2 status for entry into the United States;

3 (7) has a pending application for asylum in the United States;

4 (8) has a pending or approved application for temporary protected  
5 status in the United States;

6 (9) has approved deferred action status; or

7 (10) has a pending application for adjustment of status to that of  
8 an alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United  
9 States or conditional permanent resident status in the United  
10 States.

11 **(b) An applicant for a driving authority permit under**  
12 **IC 9-24-3.5 or a driving authority learner's permit under**  
13 **IC 9-24-7-1(c) who is unable to provide the documentation**  
14 **required under subsection (a) must provide the bureau with**  
15 **documentation of residence in Indiana as required by rules**  
16 **adopted by the bureau under IC 4-22-2. The rules shall provide**  
17 **that the supporting documentation may be shown by official**  
18 **documentation from a foreign consulate.**

19 SECTION 5. IC 9-24-11-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-2010,  
20 SECTION 46, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
21 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 3. (a) This section applies to a probationary  
22 operator's license issued before July 1, 2009.

23 (b) A license issued to an individual less than eighteen (18) years of  
24 age is a probationary license.

25 (c) An individual holds a probationary license subject to the  
26 following conditions:

27 (1) Except as provided in IC 31-37-3, the individual may not  
28 operate a motor vehicle during the curfew hours specified in  
29 IC 31-37-3-2.

30 (2) During the ninety (90) days following the issuance of the  
31 probationary license, the individual may not operate a motor  
32 vehicle in which there are passengers unless another individual:

33 (A) who is at least twenty-one (21) years of age and holds a  
34 valid operator's license issued under this article; or

35 (B) who is the parent, guardian, or stepparent of the individual  
36 holding a probationary license and who is at least twenty-one  
37 (21) years of age;

38 is present in the front seat of the motor vehicle.

39 (3) The individual may operate a motor vehicle only if:

40 (A) a safety belt is properly fastened about the body of the  
41 individual; and

42 (B) a safety belt is properly fastened about the body of each

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- 1 occupant of the motor vehicle;  
 2 at all times when the motor vehicle is in motion.
- 3 (d) An individual who holds a probationary license issued under this  
 4 section may receive an operator's license, a chauffeur's license, a public  
 5 passenger chauffeur's license, or a commercial driver's license when the  
 6 individual is at least eighteen (18) years of age.
- 7 (e) Except as provided in subsection (f), a probationary license  
 8 issued under this section:
- 9 (1) expires at midnight of the twenty-first birthday of the holder;  
 10 and  
 11 (2) may not be renewed.
- 12 (f) A probationary license issued under this section to an individual  
 13 who complies with ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(5)~~ **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(5)** through  
 14 ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(10)~~ **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(10)** expires:
- 15 (1) at midnight one (1) year after issuance if there is no expiration  
 16 date on the authorization granted to the individual to remain in the  
 17 United States; or  
 18 (2) if there is an expiration date on the authorization granted to  
 19 the individual to remain in the United States, the earlier of the  
 20 following:
- 21 (A) At midnight of the date the authorization to remain in the  
 22 United States expires.  
 23 (B) At midnight of the twenty-first birthday of the holder.
- 24 SECTION 6. IC 9-24-11-3.3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-2010,  
 25 SECTION 47, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 26 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 3.3. (a) This section applies to a probationary  
 27 operator's license **or a probationary driving authority permit** issued  
 28 after June 30, 2009.
- 29 (b) A license issued to or held by an individual less than eighteen  
 30 (18) years of age is a probationary license. **A driving authority permit**  
 31 **issued to or held by an individual less than eighteen (18) years of**  
 32 **age is a probationary driving authority permit.** An individual holds  
 33 a probationary license **or a probationary driving authority permit**  
 34 subject to the following conditions:
- 35 (1) Except as provided in subdivision (3), the individual may not  
 36 operate a motor vehicle from 10 p.m. until 5 a.m. of the following  
 37 morning during the first one hundred eighty (180) days after  
 38 issuance of the probationary license **or the probationary driving**  
 39 **authority permit.**
- 40 (2) Except as provided in subdivision (3), after one hundred  
 41 eighty (180) days after issuance of the probationary license **or the**  
 42 **probationary driving authority permit,** and until the individual

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1 becomes eighteen (18) years of age, an individual may not operate  
2 a motor vehicle:

3 (A) between 1 a.m. and 5 a.m. on a Saturday or Sunday;

4 (B) after 11 p.m. on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
5 or Thursday; or

6 (C) before 5 a.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,  
7 or Friday.

8 (3) The individual may operate a motor vehicle during the periods  
9 described in subdivisions (1) and (2) if the individual operates the  
10 motor vehicle while:

11 (A) participating in, going to, or returning from:

12 (i) lawful employment;

13 (ii) a school sanctioned activity; or

14 (iii) a religious event; or

15 (B) accompanied by a licensed driver at least twenty-five (25)  
16 years of age.

17 (4) The individual may not operate a motor vehicle while using a  
18 telecommunications device until the individual becomes eighteen  
19 (18) years of age unless the telecommunications device is being  
20 used to make a 911 emergency call.

21 (5) Except as provided in subdivision (6), during the one hundred  
22 eighty (180) days after the issuance of the probationary license **or**  
23 **the probationary driving authority permit** the individual may  
24 not operate a motor vehicle in which there are passengers until the  
25 individual becomes eighteen (18) years of age unless another  
26 individual:

27 (A) who:

28 (i) is at least twenty-five (25) years of age; and

29 (ii) holds a valid operator's, chauffeur's, public passenger  
30 chauffeur's, or commercial driver's license issued under this  
31 article;

32 (B) who is a certified driver education instructor; or

33 (C) who is the parent, guardian, or stepparent of the operator  
34 and is at least twenty-one (21) years of age;

35 is present in the front seat of the motor vehicle.

36 (6) The individual may operate a motor vehicle and transport:

37 (A) a child of the individual;

38 (B) a sibling of the individual;

39 (C) a child and a sibling of the individual;

40 (D) the spouse of the individual; or

41 (E) a child and the spouse of the individual;

42 without another accompanying individual present in the motor

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1 vehicle.

2 (7) The individual may operate a motor vehicle only if the  
3 individual and each occupant of the motor vehicle are:

- 4 (A) properly restrained by a properly fastened safety belt; or  
5 (B) if the occupant is a child, restrained in a properly fastened  
6 child restraint system according to the manufacturer's  
7 instructions under IC 9-19-11;

8 properly fastened about the occupant's body at all times when the  
9 motor vehicle is in motion.

10 (c) An individual who holds a probationary license issued under this  
11 section may receive an operator's license, a chauffeur's license, a public  
12 passenger chauffeur's license, or a commercial driver's license when the  
13 individual is at least eighteen (18) years of age. **An individual who  
14 holds a probationary driving authority permit:**

15 **(1) may not receive an operator's license, a chauffeur's  
16 license, a public passenger chauffeur's license, or a  
17 commercial driver's license; but**

18 **(2) may receive a driving authority permit when the  
19 individual becomes eighteen (18) years of age.**

20 (d) Except as provided in IC 9-24-12-1(e), a probationary license or  
21 **probationary driving authority permit** issued under this section:

22 (1) expires at midnight of the date thirty (30) days after the  
23 twenty-first birthday of the holder; and

24 (2) may not be renewed.

25 SECTION 7. IC 9-24-12-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.103-2012,  
26 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
27 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 1. (a) Notwithstanding subsection (c) and except  
28 as provided in subsection (b) and sections 10, 11, and 12 of this  
29 chapter, the expiration date of an operator's license that is the renewal  
30 license for a license that contains a 2012 expiration date is as follows:

31 (1) If the license was previously issued or renewed after May 14,  
32 2007, and before January 1, 2008, the renewal license expires at  
33 midnight on the birthday of the holder that occurs in 2017.

34 (2) If the license was previously issued or renewed after  
35 December 31, 2007, and before January 1, 2009, the renewal  
36 license expires at midnight on the birthday of the holder that  
37 occurs in 2018.

38 (3) If the license was previously issued or renewed after  
39 December 31, 2005, and before January 1, 2007, the renewal  
40 license expires at midnight on the birthday of the holder that  
41 occurs in 2016.

42 (b) Except as provided in sections 10, 11, and 12 of this chapter, an

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1 operator's license issued to an applicant who is at least seventy-five  
2 (75) years of age expires at midnight of the birthday of the holder that  
3 occurs three (3) years following the date of issuance.

4 (c) Except as provided in subsections (a), (b), (d), and (f) and  
5 sections 10, 11, and 12 of this chapter, an operator's license issued  
6 under this article expires at midnight of the birthday of the holder that  
7 occurs six (6) years following the date of issuance.

8 (d) A probationary operator's license issued under IC 9-24-11-3  
9 expires in accordance with IC 9-24-11-3(e).

10 (e) A probationary operator's license issued under IC 9-24-11-3.3 to  
11 an individual who complies with ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(5)~~ **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(5)**  
12 through ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(9)~~ **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(9)** expires:

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

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

19 (A) At midnight of the date the authorization to remain in the  
20 United States expires.

21 (B) At midnight of the date thirty (30) days after the  
22 twenty-first birthday of the holder.

23 (f) Except as provided in subsection (e), a probationary operator's  
24 license issued under IC 9-24-11-3.3 expires at midnight of the date  
25 thirty (30) days after the twenty-first birthday of the holder.

26 SECTION 8. IC 9-24-12-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
27 AS A **NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS** [EFFECTIVE JULY  
28 1, 2013]: **Sec. 2.5. Except as provided in sections 10 and 11 of this**  
29 **chapter, a driving authority permit issued under this article**  
30 **expires at midnight of the birthday of the holder that occurs six (6)**  
31 **years following the date of issuance.**

32 SECTION 9. IC 9-24-12-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.109-2011,  
33 SECTION 10, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
34 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 4. (a) Except as provided in subsections (b) and  
35 (c), the application for renewal of:

- 36 (1) an operator's license;
- 37 (2) a chauffeur's license;
- 38 (3) a public passenger chauffeur's license; ~~or~~
- 39 (4) an identification card; **or**
- 40 **(5) a driving authority permit;**

41 under this article may be filed not more than twelve (12) months before  
42 the expiration date of the license or identification card held by the

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applicant.  
(b) When the applicant complies with ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(5)~~  
**IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(5)** through ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(10)~~, **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(10)**,  
an application for renewal of a driver's license in subsection (a)(1),  
(a)(2), or (a)(3) may be filed not more than one (1) month before the  
expiration date of the license held by the applicant.

(c) When the applicant complies with IC 9-24-16-3.5(1)(E) through  
IC 9-24-16-3.5(1)(J), an application for renewal of an identification  
card in subsection ~~(a)(5)~~ **(a)(4)** may be filed not more than one (1)  
month before the expiration date of the identification card held by the  
applicant.

**(d) When the applicant complies with IC 9-24-9-2.5(b), an  
application for renewal of a driving authority permit in subsection  
(a)(5) may be filed not more than one (1) month before the  
expiration date of the permit held by the applicant.**

SECTION 10. IC 9-24-12-5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.125-2012,  
SECTION 212, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 5. (a) Except as provided in  
subsection (b), an individual applying for renewal of an operator's, a  
chauffeur's, or a public passenger chauffeur's license **or a driving  
authority permit** must apply in person at a license branch and do the  
following:

- (1) Pass an eyesight examination.
- (2) Pass a written examination if:
  - (A) the applicant has at least six (6) active points on the applicant's driving record maintained by the bureau; or
  - (B) the applicant holds a valid operator's license, has not reached the applicant's twenty-first birthday, and has active points on the applicant's driving record maintained by the bureau.

(b) The bureau may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 concerning the ability of a holder of an operator's, a chauffeur's, or a public passenger chauffeur's license to renew the license by mail or by electronic service. If rules are adopted under this subsection, the rules must provide that an individual's renewal of a license by mail or by electronic service is subject to the following conditions:

- (1) A valid computerized image of the individual must exist within the records of the bureau.
- (2) The previous renewal of the individual's operator's, chauffeur's, or public passenger chauffeur's license must not have been by mail or by electronic service.
- (3) The application for or previous renewal of the individual's

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1 license must have included a test of the individual's eyesight  
 2 approved by the bureau.  
 3 (4) If the individual were applying for the license renewal in  
 4 person at a license branch, the individual would not be required  
 5 under subsection (a)(2) to submit to a written examination.  
 6 (5) The individual must be a citizen of the United States, as  
 7 shown in the records of the bureau.  
 8 (6) There must not have been any change in the:  
 9 (A) address; or  
 10 (B) name;  
 11 of the individual since the issuance or previous renewal of the  
 12 individual's operator's, chauffeur's, or public passenger chauffeur's  
 13 license.  
 14 (7) The operator's, chauffeur's, or public passenger chauffeur's  
 15 license of the individual must not be:  
 16 (A) suspended; or  
 17 (B) expired more than one hundred eighty (180) days;  
 18 at the time of the application for renewal.  
 19 (8) The individual must be less than seventy-five (75) years of age  
 20 at the time of the application for renewal.  
 21 (c) An individual applying for the renewal of an operator's, a  
 22 chauffeur's, or a public passenger chauffeur's license must apply in  
 23 person at a license branch under subsection (a) if the individual is not  
 24 entitled to apply by mail or by electronic service under rules adopted  
 25 under subsection (b).  
 26 SECTION 11. IC 9-24-12-10, AS AMENDED BY P.L.109-2011,  
 27 SECTION 13, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 28 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 10. (a) Except as provided in section 11 of this  
 29 chapter, after June 30, 2005:  
 30 (1) an operator's; or  
 31 (2) a chauffeur's;  
 32 license issued to or renewed by a driver who is at least eighty-five (85)  
 33 years of age expires at midnight of the birthday of the holder that  
 34 occurs two (2) years following the date of issuance.  
 35 (b) **Except as provided in section 11 of this chapter, a driving**  
 36 **authority permit issued under this article to an applicant who is at**  
 37 **least seventy-five (75) years of age expires at midnight of the**  
 38 **birthday of the holder that occurs three (3) years following the date**  
 39 **of issuance.**  
 40 SECTION 12. IC 9-24-12-11, AS AMENDED BY P.L.109-2011,  
 41 SECTION 14, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 42 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 11. (a) This section applies to a driver's license

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1 issued under:  
2 (1) IC 9-24-3;  
3 (2) IC 9-24-4; or  
4 (3) IC 9-24-5;  
5 **or a driving authority permit issued under IC 9-24-3.5.**  
6 (b) If the birthday of a holder on which the holder's driver's license  
7 **or driving authority permit** issued under a chapter referred to in  
8 subsection (a) would otherwise expire falls on:  
9 (1) Sunday;  
10 (2) a legal holiday (as set forth in IC 1-1-9-1); or  
11 (3) a weekday when all license branches, full service providers,  
12 and partial services providers in the county of residence of the  
13 holder are closed;  
14 the driver's license **or driving authority permit** of the holder does not  
15 expire until midnight of the first day after the birthday on which a  
16 license branch, full service provider, or partial services provider is  
17 open for business in the county of residence of the holder.  
18 SECTION 13. IC 9-24-12-12, AS AMENDED BY P.L.109-2011,  
19 SECTION 15, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
20 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 12. (a) This section applies to a driver's license  
21 issued under:  
22 (1) IC 9-24-3;  
23 (2) IC 9-24-4; and  
24 (3) IC 9-24-5.  
25 (b) A driver's license listed in subsection (a) that is issued after  
26 December 31, 2007, to an applicant who complies with  
27 ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(5)~~ **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(5)** through ~~IC 9-24-9-2.5(10)~~  
28 **IC 9-24-9-2.5(a)(10)** expires:  
29 (1) at midnight one (1) year after issuance if there is no expiration  
30 date on the authorization granted to the individual to remain in the  
31 United States; or  
32 (2) if there is an expiration date on the authorization granted to  
33 the individual to remain in the United States, the earlier of the  
34 following:  
35 (A) At midnight of the date the authorization of the holder to  
36 be a legal permanent resident or conditional resident alien of  
37 the United States expires.  
38 (B) At midnight of the birthday of the holder that occurs six  
39 (6) years after the date of issuance.  
40 SECTION 14. IC 9-24-15-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.125-2012,  
41 SECTION 215, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
42 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 1. (a) Except as provided in

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1 subsection (b), this chapter does not apply to the following:  
2 (1) A suspension of a driving license upon the failure of an  
3 individual to file security or proof of financial responsibility  
4 following an accident as required by or upon the failure of any  
5 individual to satisfy a judgment for damages arising out of the use  
6 of a motor vehicle on a public highway as provided for in IC 9-25.  
7 (2) When suspension is by reason of:  
8 (A) physical, mental, or emotional instability;  
9 (B) having caused serious bodily injury to or the death of  
10 another person when operating a motor vehicle after  
11 knowingly or intentionally failing to take prescribed  
12 medication, the taking of which was a condition of the  
13 issuance of the operator's restricted driver's license; or  
14 (C) the applicant has been convicted of involuntary  
15 manslaughter or reckless homicide as a result of an automobile  
16 accident.  
17 (3) A suspension of the license of an applicant whose license has  
18 been previously suspended.  
19 (4) A suspension of the license of an applicant who has failed to  
20 use timely appeal procedures provided by the bureau.  
21 (5) After June 30, 2005, a suspension of the license of an  
22 applicant whose commercial driver's license has been disqualified  
23 under 49 CFR 383.51 or other applicable federal or state law,  
24 including an alcohol or a controlled substance conviction under  
25 IC 9-30-5-4 or 49 CFR 391.15.  
26 **(6) A suspension of a driving authority permit for any reason.**  
27 (b) A court may grant a petition for restricted driving privileges  
28 from an individual who:  
29 (1) received a request for evidence of financial responsibility  
30 after:  
31 (A) an accident under IC 9-25-5-2; or  
32 (B) a conviction of a motor vehicle violation under  
33 IC 9-25-9-1; and  
34 (2) failed to provide proof of financial responsibility under  
35 IC 9-25-6;  
36 if the individual shows by a preponderance of the evidence that the  
37 failure to maintain financial responsibility was inadvertent.  
38 SECTION 15. IC 9-29-1-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.109-2011,  
39 SECTION 29, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
40 JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 2. (a) Money from the increases in fees levied by  
41 the 1969 regular session of the general assembly in IC 9-18-2,  
42 IC 9-18-5, IC 9-18-6, IC 9-18-7, IC 9-18-9, IC 9-18-10, IC 9-18-16,

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1 IC 9-24-3, IC 9-24-4, IC 9-24-5, IC 9-24-7, IC 9-24-8, IC 9-24-10,  
 2 IC 9-24-11, IC 9-24-12, IC 9-24-13, IC 9-24-14, and IC 9-29-9-15  
 3 (IC 9-1-4 before its repeal on July 1, 1991) shall be deposited daily  
 4 with the treasurer of state and credited to the highway, road, and street  
 5 fund established under IC 8-14-2-2.1.

6 (b) For the purpose of providing adequate and sufficient funds for  
 7 the crossroads 2000 fund established under IC 8-14-10-9, and subject  
 8 to subsection (c), after June 30, 1997, with the approval of the bureau  
 9 of motor vehicles commission the bureau of motor vehicles may adopt  
 10 rules under IC 4-22-2 to increase, by an amount that is in addition to  
 11 the fees specified by statute, the fees under the following:

12 IC 9-29-4-3

13 IC 9-29-5

14 IC 9-29-9-1

15 IC 9-29-9-2

16 **IC 9-29-9-2.3**

17 IC 9-29-9-3

18 IC 9-29-9-4

19 IC 9-29-9-5

20 IC 9-29-9-7

21 IC 9-29-9-8

22 IC 9-29-9-9

23 IC 9-29-9-11

24 IC 9-29-9-13

25 IC 9-29-9-14

26 IC 9-29-15-1

27 IC 9-29-15-2

28 IC 9-29-15-3

29 IC 9-29-15-4.

30 The amount of fees increased under this section shall first be deposited  
 31 into the crossroads 2000 fund established under IC 8-14-10-9.

32 (c) The bureau's authority to adopt rules under subsection (b) is  
 33 subject to the condition that a fee increase must be uniform throughout  
 34 all license branches and at all partial service locations in Indiana.

35 (d) If a fee imposed by a statute listed in subsection (b) is  
 36 eliminated, the amount of the fee increase set forth in a rule adopted  
 37 under this section before July 1, 2007, with respect to the fee must be:

38 (1) collected by the bureau notwithstanding the elimination of the  
 39 underlying fee;

40 (2) collected in addition to all other fees collected at the time of  
 41 the underlying transaction; and

42 (3) deposited in the crossroads 2000 fund established under

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1           IC 8-14-10-9.  
2           SECTION 16. IC 9-29-9-2.3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
3 AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY  
4 1, 2013]: **Sec. 2.3. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), the fee**  
5 **for a driving authority permit issued under IC 9-24-3.5-2 or**  
6 **renewed under IC 9-24-12 to:**  
7           **(1) an individual who is less than seventy-five (75) years of**  
8           **age is nine dollars (\$9); and**  
9           **(2) an individual who is at least seventy-five (75) years of age**  
10           **is six dollars (\$6).**  
11           **(b) The fee for a probationary driving authority permit issued**  
12           **under IC 9-24-11-3.3 is six dollars (\$6).**

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