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CHAPTER_____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Vehicle Laws - Administrative Per Se Offenses - Issuance of Identification 3 Card

4 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Motor Vehicle Administration to issue an

- 5 identification card to an applicant who has been issued a temporary license
- 6 under a certain provision concerning administrative per se offenses; and
- 7 generally relating to the issuance of an identification card by the Administration
- 8 to an applicant who has a certain temporary license.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

- 10 Article Transportation
- 11 Section 12-301
- 12 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 13 (1999 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF

15 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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Article - Transportation

17 12-301.

18 (a) On application, the Administration shall issue an identification card to any19 individual who:

- 20 (1) Is a resident of this State;
- 21 (2) Does not have a driver's license;

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1 2 acceptable	(3) Presents a birth certificate or other proof of age and identity acceptable to the Administration; and		
 3 (4) Presents a completed application for an identification card on a form 4 furnished by the Administration. 			
5 (b) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, the 6 Administration shall establish a fee for the issuance of an identification card and for 7 issuance of a duplicate identification card.			
8	(2)	A fee is not required if the applicant for the card:	
9		(i)	Is 65 years old or older;
10		(ii)	Is legally blind;
11		(iii)	Has permanently lost the use of a leg or an arm;
12 (iv) Is permanently disabled so severely that the applicant cannot 13 move without the aid of crutches or a wheelchair; or			
14 15 "major life	activity"	(v) as define	Has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits a ed in the federal Americans with Disabilities Act.
16 (c) A person may not commit any fraud in applying for an identification card 17 issued under this section.			
18 (d) A person may not commit any misrepresentation in applying for an 19 identification card issued under this section.			
20 (e) A person may not commit any fraud in using an identification card issued 21 under this section.			
(f) A person may not make any misrepresentation in using an identificationcard issued under this section.			
24 (g)	(1)	An ider	ntification card shall be:
25		(i)	Of the size and design that the Administration requires; and
26		(ii)	Tamperproof, to the extent possible.
27	(2)	The car	d shall contain:
28		(i)	The name and address of the applicant;
29		(ii)	The birth date of the applicant;
30		(iii)	The sex of the applicant;
31		(iv)	A description of the applicant;

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1 (v) A color photograph of the applicant taken by the procedure that

2 the Administration requires. Photographs issued to applicants under 21 years of age

3 will be taken with the profile view. A fee, as established by the Administration, is

4 required for the conversion to a regular full face photo identification card after the

5 age of 21;

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(vi) The expiration date of the identification card;

7 (vii) The signature of the applicant; and

8 (viii) The signature and seal of the issuing agent.

9 (h) An identification card may be used as legal identification of the individual 10 to whom it is issued for any purpose.

11 (i) An identification card expires every 5 years. It may be renewed on 12 application and payment of the fee required by this section.

13 (j) The identification card shall be surrendered by the holder upon being 14 issued a Maryland driver's license.

15 (k) The Administrator may issue an identification card to an applicant:

16 (1) [whose] WHOSE privilege to drive has been refused, cancelled, 17 suspended, or revoked; OR

18 (2) WHO HAS BEEN ISSUED A TEMPORARY LICENSE UNDER § 19 16-205.1(B)(3)(III) OF THIS ARTICLE.

20 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 21 October 1, 2000.

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