

S.234; An Act Relating to Miscellaneous Judiciary Procedures

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Sec. 28. PERSONS WITH SUSPENDED DRIVER'S LICENSES;

REINSTATEMENT FEE WAIVER PROGRAM

(a) There is established a Reinstatement Fee Waiver Program to permit the Department of Motor Vehicles to waive all license reinstatement fees for motor vehicle operators whose licenses have been suspended under certain circumstances. The Reinstatement Fee Waiver Program shall comply with the guidelines set forth in this section.

(b) On or before December 15, 2020, the Department of Motor Vehicles shall:

(1) waive all license reinstatement fees for any person whose operator's license has been:

(A) suspended for noncriminal reasons for one year or longer and who has satisfied all other reinstatement conditions and requirements; or

(B) suspended prior to July 1, 2014 for failure to pay the amount due in a judicial bureau judgment and who has satisfied all other reinstatement conditions and requirements;

(2) reinstate the operator's licenses of each person whose reinstatement fees are waived pursuant to subdivision (b)(1) of this section; and

(3) notify each person whose reinstatement fees are waived pursuant to subdivision (b)(1) of this section that the person's license has been reinstated, or that the person's license is ineligible for reinstatement and the reason for ineligibility.

(c) As used in this section:

(1) “Amount due” means the same as in 4 V.S.A. § 1109(a).

(2) “Reinstatement conditions and requirements” shall not include the amount due in a judicial bureau judgment.

(3) “Suspended for noncriminal reasons shall not include a license that is under suspension on December 15, 2020 for the accumulation of 10 or more points.