



# SOUTH CAROLINA REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE

## STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT

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Bill Number: H. 3794  
 Author: Forrester  
 Requestor: House Education and Public Works  
 Date: April 28, 2015  
 Subject: Driver's License Issuance and Renewal  
 RFA Analyst(s): Shealy and Dunbar

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### Estimate of Fiscal Impact

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17
<b>State Expenditure</b>		
General Fund	\$ 0	N/A
Other and Federal	\$ 0	N/A
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
<b>State Revenue</b>		
General Fund	N/A	N/A
Other and Federal	1,817,900	N/A
<b>Local Expenditure</b>	N/A	N/A
<b>Local Revenue</b>	N/A	N/A

#### Fiscal Impact Summary

No additional expenditures or savings are expected by the Department of Motor Vehicles. There will be no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds. The estimated additional revenue generated from individuals obtaining a driver's license that is valid for ten years instead of one that is valid for only five years is \$1,817,900 in FY 2015-16.

### Explanation of Fiscal Impact

#### State Expenditure

This bill deletes the requirement no longer requires that a driver's license issued to a person at least 65 years old to be renewed every five years. It also deletes the provision that requires a person over 70 years old to submit a vision screening certificate to the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) during the fifth year of a ten year license. No additional expenditures or savings are expected by the DMV. There will be no impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

#### State Revenue


Section 56-1-210 is amended to delete the requirement that driver's licenses issued to a person that is at least 65 years old be renewed every five years. Based upon data from the U.S. Department of Transportation's Federal Highway Administration, we estimate each year 145,432 people of the age sixty-five and over will need to renew their driver's license in FY 2015-16. The estimated additional revenue generated from individuals obtaining a driver's license that is valid for ten years instead of one that is valid for only five years is \$1,817,900 in FY 2015-16.

**Local Expenditure**

N/A

**Local Revenue**

N/A



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