

HOUSE BILL No. 4991

June 24, 1991, Introduced by Reps. Muxlow, Joe Young, Jr., Bartnik, DeMars, DeLange, Walberg, Willis Bullard and Strand and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

A bill to amend sections 312c and 314b of Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, entitled as amended

"Michigan vehicle code,"

section 312c as amended by Act No. 495 of the Public Acts of 1988 and section 314b as amended by Act No. 280 of the Public Acts of 1989, being sections 257.312c and 257.314b of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to add section 811c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Sections 312c and 314b of Act No. 300 of the
2 Public Acts of 1949, section 312c as amended by Act No. 495 of
3 the Public Acts of 1988 and section 314b as amended by Act
4 No. 280 of the Public Acts of 1989, being sections 257.312c and
5 257.314b of the Michigan Compiled Laws, are amended and section
6 811c is added to read as follows:

1 Sec. 312c. (1) Every application for a motorcycle
2 indorsement on an operator's or chauffeur's license for operation
3 of motorcycles as provided in section 312a shall be accompanied
4 by the following fees which shall be in addition to any other
5 original or renewal operator or chauffeur license fee:

6 Original motorcycle indorsement..... \$ 7.50

7 Renewal of motorcycle indorsement..... \$ ~~4.00~~ 4.50

8 (2) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the
9 money received and collected under this section shall be depos-
10 ited in the state treasury to the credit of the general fund.
11 The secretary of state shall refund out of the fees collected to
12 each county or municipality, acting as an examining officer or
13 examining bureau, \$3.00 for each applicant examined for a first
14 indorsement to a 3- or 4-year operator's or chauffeur's license,
15 \$2.50 for each original indorsement to a 2-year operator's or
16 chauffeur's license, \$1.50 for each renewal indorsement to a
17 2-year operator's or chauffeur's license, and \$1.50 for every
18 other applicant examined whose application is not denied, on the
19 condition, however, that the money refunded shall be paid to the
20 county or local treasurer and is appropriated to the county,
21 municipality, or officer or bureau receiving the money for the
22 purpose of carrying out this act. Four dollars of each original
23 motorcycle indorsement and \$2.00 of each renewal motorcycle
24 indorsement shall be placed in a motorcycle safety fund in the
25 state treasury and shall be used only for the funding motorcycle
26 safety education program as provided under sections 312b and

1 811a. FIFTY CENTS OF EACH RENEWAL MOTORCYCLE INDORSEMENT SHALL
 2 BE USED TO FUND THE MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS PROGRAM ESTABLISHED PUR-
 3 SUANT TO SECTION 811C.

4 Sec. 314b. (1) The secretary of state may issue a 2-year
 5 license which shall expire on the birthday of the person to whom
 6 it is issued when a licensed driver is charged in the 24 months
 7 immediately preceding the expiration date of that person's cur-
 8 rent license with a total of 12 or more points as provided in
 9 section 320a, or has his or her license suspended or revoked for
 10 a reason other than those provided in sections 321a, 515, or 801c
 11 in the 36 months immediately preceding the expiration date of his
 12 or her current license, or was convicted of any 6-point violation
 13 as provided in section 320a or a violation provided in section
 14 625b in the 36 months immediately preceding the expiration date
 15 of his or her current license.

16 (2) A person issued a 2-year license shall pay the following
 17 fees:

18	Operator's license renewal.....	\$ 6.00
19	Chauffeur's license renewal.....	10.00
20	Motorcycle indorsement original.....	6.00
21	Motorcycle indorsement renewal.....	5.00 5.50
22	Vehicle group designation.....	20.00
23	Vehicle indorsement.....	5.00

24 (3) Two dollars of each renewal motorcycle indorsement fee
 25 shall be placed in a motorcycle safety fund in the state treasury
 26 and shall be used only for funding the motorcycle safety
 27 education program as provided under sections 312b and 811a.

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4 SEC. 811C. USING MONEY PROVIDED UNDER SECTIONS 312C AND
5 314B, THE STATE COORDINATOR OF THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY EDUCATION
6 PROGRAM SHALL CONDUCT A MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS PROGRAM THROUGHOUT
7 THIS STATE. TO ENHANCE MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS OF DRIVERS OF MOTOR
8 VEHICLES, THE STATE COORDINATOR OF THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY EDUCA-
9 TION PROGRAM MAY USE, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO USING, PAMPHLETS,
10 POSTERS, ROADWAY SIGNS, BILLBOARDS, AND PUBLIC SERVICE
11 ANNOUNCEMENTS. THE SECRETARY OF STATE MUST POST A DESCRIPTION OF
12 THE MOTORCYCLE AWARENESS PROGRAM IN EACH SECRETARY OF STATE
13 BRANCH OFFICE IN THIS STATE.