

HOUSE BILL No. 6607

December 19, 2018, Introduced by Rep. Hammoud and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to provide for a disability identification card; to provide for its form and issuance; and to prescribe the powers and duties of the secretary of state.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 1. As used in this act:

2 (a) "Department" means the department of state.

3 (b) "Disabled person" means a person who has a disability. As
4 used in this subdivision, "disability" means that term as defined
5 in section 103 of the persons with disabilities civil rights act,
6 1976 PA 220, MCL 37.1103.

7 Sec. 3. (1) A disabled person who is a resident of this state
8 may apply to the department for a disability identification card.

9 (2) An application for a disability identification card shall

1 be on a form prescribed by the department and shall contain
2 information regarding the disabled person's disability, and other
3 information determined necessary by the department.

4 (3) A disability identification card issued under this section
5 may contain information regarding the types of accommodations
6 needed by the disabled person and information for a police officer
7 regarding how to interact with the disabled person.

8 (4) The department shall provide informational materials and
9 training to police officers regarding disability identification
10 cards. The information materials and training required by this
11 subsection shall also include protocols on interacting with
12 disabled persons.

13 (5) The department may charge a fee for issuing a disability
14 identification card.

15 Enacting section 1. This act takes effect 90 days after the
16 date it is enacted into law.