Legislative Analysis



DRIVER'S LICENSE AND STATE ID CARD RENEWALS

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Senate Bill 1111 (S-3) as passed by the Senate

Sponsor: Sen. Ruth Johnson

Analysis available at http://www.legislature.mi.gov

Senate Bill 1112 (S-3) as passed by the Senate

Sponsor: Sen. Betty Jean Alexander

House Committee: [Pending]

Senate Committee: Transportation and Infrastructure

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SUMMARY:

Senate Bills 1111 and 1112 would respectively amend the Michigan Vehicle Code and 1972 PA 222 (the official state personal identification card act) to allow the secretary of state to renew operator's or chauffeur's licenses and state ID cards by mail for one additional four-year period. Currently, a license or card is good for four years, and the secretary of state can renew it by mail for one additional four-year period. The renewal after that must be in person. The bills would allow the secretary of state to renew by mail for one more four-year period (for a total of 12 years) before an in-person renewal is required.

The bills would take effect July 1, 2021.

MCL 257.307 (SB 1111) MCL 28.292 (SB 1112)

FISCAL IMPACT:

The bills would have no fiscal impact on the state or local units of government.

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