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Committee Substitute for  
House Bill No. 1092

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1092 - By: TREBILCOCK AND FAUGHT of the House.

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 2001, Section 6-115, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 294, O.S.L. 2006 (47 O.S. Supp. 2008, Section 6-115), which relates to the expiration and renewal of driver licenses; authorizing use of certain driver licenses as a valid form of identification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2001, Section 6-115, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 294, O.S.L. 2006 (47 O.S. Supp. 2008, Section 6-115), is amended to read as follows:

Section 6-115. A. Except as otherwise provided in this section, every driver license shall be issued for a period of no more than four (4) years; provided, if the applicant or licensee is an alien, the license shall be issued for a period which does not exceed the lesser of:

1. Four (4) years; or

2. The expiration date on the valid documentation authorizing the presence of the applicant or licensee in the United States, as required by paragraph 9 of subsection A of Section 6-103 of this title.

1 B. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the expiration date of an initial  
2 license shall be no more than four (4) years from the last day of the month of issuance or  
3 no more than four (4) years from the last day of the birth month of the applicant  
4 immediately preceding the date of issuance, if requested by the applicant.

5 C. Except as otherwise provided in this section, the expiration date of a renewal  
6 license shall be no more than four (4) years from the last day of the month of expiration  
7 of the previous license or no more than four (4) years from the last day of the birth month  
8 of the licensee immediately preceding the expiration date of the previous license, if  
9 requested by the licensee.

10 D. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection E of Section 1550.42 of Title 21 of  
11 the Oklahoma Statutes, any Oklahoma driver license that is not more than thirty (30)  
12 days past the date of expiration provided on the driver license shall be presumed to be a  
13 valid form of identification for the purposes of renewing an Oklahoma driver license.

14 E. Except as otherwise provided in this section, every driver license shall be  
15 renewable by the licensee upon application to either the Department of Public Safety or a  
16 motor license agent, furnishing both primary and secondary proofs of identity, the  
17 current mailing address of the person and payment of the required fee, if the person is  
18 otherwise eligible for renewal. If the licensee is an alien, the licensee shall appear before  
19 a driver license examiner of the Department and, after furnishing primary and secondary  
20 proofs of identity as required in this section, shall be issued a renewal driver license for a  
21 period which does not exceed the lesser of:

22 1. Four (4) years; or

1           2. The expiration date on the valid documentation authorizing the presence of the  
2   applicant or licensee in the United States, as required by paragraph 9 of subsection A of  
3   Section 6-103 of this title.

4           ~~F.~~ F. All applicants for renewals of driver licenses who have proven collision  
5   records or apparent physical defects may be required to take an examination as specified  
6   by the Commissioner of Public Safety.

7           ~~F.~~ G. When a person makes application for a driver license, or makes application to  
8   renew a driver license, and the person has been convicted of, or received a deferred  
9   judgment for, any offense required to register pursuant to the Sex Offenders Registration  
10   Act, the driver license shall be valid for a period of one (1) year from the month of  
11   issuance, but may be renewed yearly during the time the person is registered on the Sex  
12   Offender Registry. The cost for such license shall be the same as for other driver licenses  
13   and renewals.

14           ~~G.~~ H. The Department of Public Safety shall promulgate rules prescribing forms of  
15   primary and secondary identification acceptable for the renewal of an Oklahoma driver  
16   license.

17           SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2009.

18   COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY, dated 02-26-09 - DO  
19   PASS, As Amended and Coauthored.