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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to motor vehicle license and registration; amending 47 O.S. 2021, Sections 6-106, as last amended by Section 5, Chapter 11, O.S.L. 2024 and 1112, as amended by Section 124, Chapter 282, O.S.L. 2022 (47 O.S. Supp. 2025, Sections 6-106 and 1112), which relate to application for license and application for registration; requiring Service Oklahoma to provide option for donation to the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs on certain forms; updating statutory language; updating statutory reference; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 6-106, as last amended by Section 5, Chapter 11, O.S.L. 2024 (47 O.S. Supp. 2025, Section 6-106), is amended to read as follows:

Section 6-106. A. 1. Every application for a driver license or identification card shall be made by the applicant upon a form furnished by Service Oklahoma.

2. Every original, renewal, or replacement application for a driver license or identification card made by a male applicant who

1 is at least sixteen (16) but less than twenty-six (26) years of age
2 shall include a statement that by submitting the application, the
3 applicant is consenting to registration with the Selective Service
4 System. The pertinent information from the application shall be
5 forwarded by Service Oklahoma to the Data Management Center of the
6 Selective Service System in order to register the applicant as
7 required by law with the Selective Service System. Any applicant
8 refusing to sign the consent statement shall be denied a driver
9 license or identification card.

10 3. Except as provided for in subsections G and H of this
11 section, every applicant for a driver license or identification card
12 shall provide to Service Oklahoma at the time of application a
13 document showing proof of identity. Service Oklahoma shall
14 promulgate rules prescribing forms of identification acceptable for
15 an original Oklahoma driver license.

16 B. Every applicant for a driver license shall provide the
17 following information:

- 18 1. Full name;
- 19 2. Date of birth;
- 20 3. Sex;
- 21 4. Address of principal residence and county of such residence,
22 which shall be referenced on the REAL ID Compliant Driver License or
23 Identification Card, ~~and~~ and proof of such principal residency, as
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1 prescribed by rules promulgated by Service Oklahoma, documenting
2 provided address;

3 5. Current and complete mailing address to be maintained by
4 Service Oklahoma for the purpose of giving notice, if necessary, as
5 required by Section 2-116 of this title;

6 6. Medical information, as determined by the Department of
7 Public Safety, which shall assure Service Oklahoma that the person
8 is not prohibited from being licensed as provided by paragraph 7 of
9 subsection A of Section 6-103 of this title;

10 7. Whether the applicant is deaf or hard-of-hearing;

11 8. A brief description of the applicant, as determined by the
12 Department;

13 9. Whether the applicant has previously been licensed, and, if
14 so, when and by what state or country, and whether any license has
15 ever been suspended or revoked, or whether an application has ever
16 been refused, and, if so, the date of and reason for the suspension,
17 revocation, or refusal;

18 10. Whether the applicant is an alien eligible to be considered
19 for licensure and is not prohibited from licensure pursuant to
20 paragraph 9 of subsection A of Section 6-103 of this title;

21 11. Whether the applicant has:

22 a. previously been licensed and, if so, when and by what
23 state or country, and
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b. held more than one license at the same time during the immediately preceding ten (10) years; and

12. Social Security number.

No person shall request Service Oklahoma to use the Social Security number of that person as the driver license number. Upon renewal or replacement of any driver license issued after ~~the effective date of this act~~ July 1, 2001, the licensee shall advise Service Oklahoma or the licensed operator if the present driver license number of the licensee is the Social Security number of the licensee. If the driver license number is the Social Security number, Service Oklahoma or the licensed operator shall change the driver license number to a computer-generated alphanumeric identification.

C. 1. In addition to the requirements of subsections A and B of this section, every applicant for a commercial driver license who is subject to the requirements of 49 C.F.R., Part 391, and is applying for an original, renewal, or replacement license, and every person who, upon or after May 8, 2012, is currently the holder of a commercial driver license and is subject to the requirements of 49 C.F.R., Part 391, and who does not apply for a renewal or replacement license prior to January 30, 2014, shall submit to Service Oklahoma and maintain with Service Oklahoma a current approved medical examination certificate signed by a licensed physician authorized to perform and approve medical examination certifications. Service Oklahoma shall adopt rules for maintaining

1 medical examination certificates pursuant to the requirements in 49
2 C.F.R., Parts 383 and 384. Any commercial driver licensee subject
3 to the requirements of this paragraph who fails to maintain on file
4 with Service Oklahoma a current, approved medical examination
5 certificate shall have the driving privileges of the person
6 downgraded to a Class D driver license by Service Oklahoma.

7 2. If the applicant is applying for an original commercial
8 driver license in Oklahoma or is transferring a commercial driver
9 license from another state to Oklahoma, Service Oklahoma shall
10 review the driving record of the applicant in other states for the
11 immediately preceding ten (10) years, unless the record review has
12 already been performed by Service Oklahoma. As a result of the
13 review, if it is determined by Service Oklahoma that the applicant
14 is subject to a period of disqualification as prescribed by Section
15 6-205.2 of this title which has not yet been imposed, Service
16 Oklahoma shall impose the period of disqualification and the
17 applicant shall serve the period of disqualification before a
18 commercial driver license is issued to the applicant; provided,
19 nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to prevent the issuance
20 of a Class D driver license to the applicant.

21 3. If the applicant has or is applying for a hazardous material
22 endorsement, the applicant shall submit to a security threat
23 assessment performed by the Transportation Security Administration
24 of the Department of Homeland Security as required by and pursuant
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1 to 49 C.F.R., Part 1572, which shall be used to determine whether
2 the applicant is eligible for the endorsement pursuant to federal
3 law and regulation.

4 4. Service Oklahoma shall notify each commercial driving school
5 of the passage of this section, and each commercial driving school
6 shall notify prospective students of its school of the hazardous
7 material endorsement requirement.

8 D. In addition to the requirements of subsections A and B of
9 this section, every applicant shall be given an option on the
10 application for issuance of a driver license or identification card
11 or renewal pursuant to Section 6-115 of this title to provide an
12 emergency contact person. The emergency contact information
13 requested may include full name, address, and phone number. The
14 emergency contact information shall be maintained by Service
15 Oklahoma and shall be used by Service Oklahoma and law enforcement
16 for emergency purposes only. A person listed as an emergency
17 contact may request to be removed at any time. Any update to a
18 change of name, address, or phone number may be made by the
19 applicant listing the emergency contact person or by the person
20 listed as the emergency contact.

21 E. Whenever application is received from a person previously
22 licensed in another jurisdiction, Service Oklahoma shall request a
23 copy of the driving record from the other jurisdiction and,
24 effective September 1, 2005, from all other jurisdictions in which

1 the person was licensed within the immediately previous ten (10)
2 years. When received, the driving record shall become a part of the
3 driving record of the person in this state with the same force and
4 effect as though entered on the driver's record in this state in the
5 original instance.

6 F. Whenever Service Oklahoma receives a request for a driving
7 record from another licensing jurisdiction, the record shall be
8 forwarded without charge.

9 G. A person shall not apply for or possess more than one state-
10 issued or territory-issued REAL ID Compliant Driver License or
11 Identification Card pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-101 of
12 this title. A valid and unexpired Oklahoma driver license shall
13 serve as both primary and secondary proofs of identity whenever
14 application for a REAL ID Noncompliant Identification Card is
15 submitted to Service Oklahoma. The provisions of subsection B of
16 Section 1550.42 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes shall not apply
17 when issuing an identification card pursuant to the provisions of
18 this subsection. Service Oklahoma shall promulgate rules necessary
19 to implement and administer the provisions of this subsection.

20 H. A valid and unexpired U.S. passport shall serve as both
21 primary and secondary proofs of identity whenever application for a
22 driver license or identification card is submitted to the
23 Department. Service Oklahoma shall promulgate rules necessary to
24 implement and administer the provisions of this subsection.

1 I. Service Oklahoma shall, to the extent practical, include on
2 any form issued under the provisions of this section an option for
3 an applicant to donate monies to the Oklahoma Department of Veterans
4 Affairs.

5 SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 1112, as
6 amended by Section 124, Chapter 282, O.S.L. 2022 (47 O.S. Supp.
7 2025, Section 1112), is amended to read as follows:

8 Section 1112. A. Every owner of a vehicle possessing a
9 certificate of title shall, before using the same in this state,
10 make an application for the registration of such vehicle with a
11 licensed operator. The application shall contain such information
12 as shall be required by Service Oklahoma. Every owner, when making
13 application for registration, shall furnish the following
14 information:

15 1. A full description of the vehicle including the make, model,
16 color, manufacturer's serial or other identification number, any
17 security interest upon the vehicle, an odometer reading of the
18 vehicle when applicable, and the insurance security verification to
19 the vehicle;

20 2. The correct name and address, the name of the city, county
21 and state in which the person in whose name the vehicle is to be
22 registered resides, the driver license number of the owner if the
23 owner has a driver license or the ~~Federal Employers Identification~~
24 ~~Number~~ federal employer identification number of the owner if such

owner is not an individual, and such other information as may be prescribed by Service Oklahoma; and

3. a. The name of the carrier of the owner's insurance policy for such vehicle,
- b. The policy number of the owner's policy for such vehicle, if available, or the name of the agent or office where the existence of security may be verified, if other than the carrier,
- c. The effective dates of the owner's policy for such vehicle, and
- d. A statement of the existence of a nonuse affidavit if filed by the vehicle owner pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-607 of this title.

B. Any owner or lessee of a noncommercial vehicle possessing a certificate of title may, at the time of initial application for registration or application for renewal, inform Service Oklahoma that the owner, lessee or someone who may be operating the vehicle is deaf, hard-of-hearing, autistic or suffers from ~~Apraxia~~ apraxia or a communication disorder. That information, if provided, shall be available to law enforcement through Service Oklahoma's vehicle registration system to assist law enforcement in identifying the operator of the vehicle as possibly being deaf, hard-of-hearing, autistic or suffering from ~~Apraxia~~ apraxia or a communication disorder. As used in this section, "communication disorder" is

1 defined as impairment in the ability to receive, send, process and
2 comprehend concepts or verbal, nonverbal and graphic symbol systems.

3 C. In every case where a vehicle has been registered upon an
4 application containing any false statement of a fact required in
5 this section to be shown in an application for the registration
6 thereof, Service Oklahoma shall give written notice of at least five
7 (5) days to the owner of the vehicle, and shall require the owner to
8 appear before it for the purpose of showing cause why the
9 registration should not be canceled. Unless satisfactory
10 explanation is given by the owner concerning such false statement,
11 Service Oklahoma shall cancel the registration. The owner of the
12 vehicle shall then be required to immediately reregister the vehicle
13 and pay the required fees. The owner shall not be entitled to
14 refund or credit for the fees paid for registration of the motor
15 vehicle made under the application which contained any false
16 statement of fact.

17 D. Service Oklahoma shall insert in the application forms
18 appropriate notice to the applicant that any false statement of a
19 fact required to be shown in such application for registration
20 subjects the applicant to prosecution.

21 E. Service Oklahoma shall, to the extent practical, include on
22 any form issued under the provisions of this section an option for
23 an applicant to donate monies to the Oklahoma Department of Veterans
24 Affairs.

SECTION 3. This act shall become effective November 1, 2026.

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