

SENATE BILL NO. 15—COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

(ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES)

PREFILED DECEMBER 13, 2010

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Referred to Committee on Transportation

**SUMMARY**—Requires the Department of Motor Vehicles to cancel the driver's license of a person convicted of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a controlled substance under certain circumstances. (BDR 43-487)

**FISCAL NOTE:** Effect on Local Government: No.

Effect on the State: Yes.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in ***bolded italics*** is new; matter between brackets **[omitted material]** is material to be omitted.

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AN ACT relating to the Department of Motor Vehicles; requiring the Department to cancel the driver's license of a person convicted of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a controlled substance under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

- 1       Under existing law, in addition to any other penalty provided by law, a person  
2       convicted of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a controlled  
3       substance is liable to the State for a civil penalty of \$35, payable to the Department  
4       of Motor Vehicles. The Department is prohibited from issuing any license to drive  
5       a motor vehicle to a person convicted of such a violation until the civil penalty is  
6       paid. (NRS 484C.500) This bill requires the Department to cancel the license of a  
7       person whose license to drive a motor vehicle has already been reinstated, if the  
8       Department receives notice after reinstating the license that the person has been  
9       convicted of driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a controlled  
10      substance, unless the civil penalty is paid within 30 days after the Department  
11      provides notice to the person that the license will be cancelled unless the civil  
12      penalty is paid.
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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN  
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1       **Section 1.** NRS 484C.500 is hereby amended to read as  
2 follows:

3       484C.500 1. In addition to any other penalty provided by  
4 law, a person convicted of a violation of NRS 484C.110 or  
5 484C.120 is liable to the State for a civil penalty of \$35, payable to  
6 the Department.

7       2. The Department shall not issue any license to drive a motor  
8 vehicle to a person convicted of a violation of NRS 484C.110 or  
9 484C.120 until the civil penalty is paid.

10      *3. If the Department receives notice that a person whose  
11 license to drive a motor vehicle has already been reinstated has  
12 been subsequently convicted of a violation of NRS 484C.110 or  
13 484C.120, the Department shall cancel the license unless the civil  
14 penalty is paid within 30 days after the date on which the  
15 Department provides notice to the person that the license will be  
16 cancelled unless the civil penalty is paid.*

17      4. Any money received by the Department pursuant to  
18 subsection 1 must be deposited with the State Treasurer for credit to  
19 the Fund for the Compensation of Victims of Crime.

20      **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2011.

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