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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE AMOUNT OF A DRIVER'S LICENSE FEE THAT A RURAL** 

102 COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER MAY RETAIN WHEN ISSUING A

103 DRIVER'S LICENSE.

## **Bill Summary**

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <u>http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries</u>.)

Currently, a county clerk and recorder's office that issues a driver's license may retain \$8 of the fee. The bill allows the office to retain \$13.60 of the fee in counties of fewer than 100,000 people.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 42-2-114, **amend** (4); 3 and **repeal and reenact**, with amendments, (2) as follows:

4 **42-2-114.** License issued - fees. (2) (a) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN 5 SUBSECTION (3) OF THIS SECTION, THE FEE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A 6 DRIVER'S LICENSE TO A PERSON TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER IS 7 TWENTY DOLLARS AND FORTY CENTS. THE LICENSE EXPIRES ON THE 8 APPLICANT'S BIRTHDAY IN THE FIFTH YEAR AFTER ISSUANCE OF THE 9 LICENSE.

10 (b) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL TRANSFER THE FEE TO THE STATE 11 TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT FIFTEEN DOLLARS TO THE HIGHWAY 12 USERS TAX FUND, CREATED IN SECTION 43-4-201, C.R.S., AND FIVE 13 DOLLARS AND FORTY CENTS TO THE LICENSING SERVICES CASH FUND, 14 CREATED IN SECTION 42-2-114.5; EXCEPT THAT, THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 15 2014-15, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT THE ENTIRE FEE TO THE 16 LICENSING SERVICES CASH FUND.

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(c) NOTWITHSTANDING PARAGRAPH (b) OF THIS SUBSECTION (2): 18 (I) IF THE DRIVER'S LICENSE IS ISSUED BY THE OFFICE OF A COUNTY 19 CLERK AND RECORDER IN A COUNTY WITH A POPULATION OF AT LEAST ONE 20 HUNDRED THOUSAND INDIVIDUALS. THE COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER 21 SHALL RETAIN THE SUM OF EIGHT DOLLARS AND FORWARD THE 22 REMAINDER TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSMISSION TO THE STATE 23 TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT THREE DOLLARS AND FORTY CENTS TO 24 THE LICENSING SERVICES CASH FUND AND NINE DOLLARS TO THE HIGHWAY 25 USERS TAX FUND; EXCEPT THAT, THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2014-15, THE 26 STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT THE ENTIRE FEE TO THE LICENSING

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1 SERVICES CASH FUND.

2 (II) IF THE DRIVER'S LICENSE IS ISSUED BY AN OFFICE OF A COUNTY 3 CLERK AND RECORDER IN A COUNTY WITH A POPULATION OF FEWER THAN 4 ONE HUNDRED THOUSANDS INDIVIDUALS, THE COUNTY CLERK AND 5 RECORDER SHALL RETAIN THE SUM OF THIRTEEN DOLLARS AND SIXTY 6 CENTS AND FORWARD THE REMAINDER TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR 7 TRANSMISSION TO THE STATE TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT ONE 8 DOLLAR AND EIGHTY-SIX CENTS TO THE LICENSING SERVICES CASH FUND 9 AND FOUR DOLLARS AND NINETY-FOUR CENTS TO THE HIGHWAY USERS 10 TAX FUND; EXCEPT THAT, THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2014-15, THE STATE 11 TREASURER SHALL CREDIT THE ENTIRE FEE TO THE LICENSING SERVICES 12 CASH FUND.

(d) IN ADDITION TO THE FEE ESTABLISHED IN PARAGRAPH (a) OF
THIS SUBSECTION (2), A SURCHARGE OF TWO DOLLARS IS ADDED FOR
ISSUANCE OF A DRIVER'S OR PROVISIONAL DRIVER'S LICENSE WITH A
MOTORCYCLE ENDORSEMENT. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL TRANSFER THE
SURCHARGE TO THE STATE TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT IT TO THE
MOTORCYCLE OPERATOR SAFETY TRAINING FUND, CREATED IN SECTION
43-5-504, C.R.S.

(e) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MAKE APPROPRIATIONS FROM
THE LICENSING SERVICES CASH FUND FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE
ADMINISTRATION OF THIS PART 1 AND PART 2 OF THIS ARTICLE; EXCEPT
THAT:

(I) EIGHT DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS OF EACH FEE IS ALLOCATED
IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 43-4-205 (6) (b), C.R.S.; AND
(II) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBPARAGRAPH (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH

27 (e), THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2014-15, THE STATE TREASURER SHALL CREDIT

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1 THE ENTIRE AMOUNT TO THE LICENSING SERVICES CASH FUND.

2 (4) (a) (I) The fee for the issuance of a minor driver's license is
3 twenty dollars and forty cents. which THE license expires twenty days
4 after the LICENSEE's twenty-first birthday. of the licensee.

5 (II) The department shall transfer the fee to the state treasurer, 6 who shall credit fifteen dollars to the highway users tax fund and five 7 dollars and forty cents to the licensing services cash fund, created in 8 section 42-2-114.5; except that, for fiscal years 2012-13 through 2014-15, 9 the state treasurer shall credit the fee to the licensing services cash fund 10 created in section 42-2-114.5.

(III) In the case of the issuance of any minor driver's license by
the office of the A county clerk and recorder, the fee for the minor driver's
license is apportioned in the same manner as for the issuance of a driver's
license in accordance with paragraph (a) (c) of subsection (2) of this
section.

(b) (I) Prior to July 1, 2006, a surcharge of one dollar shall be
added for issuance of a minor driver's license for which a motorcycle
endorsement is requested which shall be credited to the motorcycle
operator safety training fund created in section 43-5-504, C.R.S.

(II) On and after July 1, 2006, A surcharge of two dollars shall be
added for issuance of a minor driver's license for which a motorcycle
endorsement is requested. which THE SURCHARGE shall be credited to the
motorcycle operator safety training fund, created in section 43-5-504,
C.R.S.

25 SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 43-5-504, amend (1)
26 as follows:

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**43-5-504.** Motorcycle operator safety training fund. (1) The

1 motorcycle operator safety training fund is hereby created in the state 2 treasury. The fund consists of moneys collected under sections 42-2-114 3 (2) (b) (d) and (4) (b), 42-2-118 (1) (b) (II), and 42-3-304 (4), C.R.S. The 4 moneys in the fund are available immediately, without further 5 appropriation, for allocation by the transportation commission to the 6 office to be used for the implementation and administration of the 7 program. Moneys credited to the fund remain therein IN THE FUND at the 8 end of each fiscal year and are not transferred to any other fund.

9 SECTION 3. Act subject to petition - effective date -10 **applicability.** (1) This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following 11 the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the 12 general assembly (August 6, 2014, if adjournment sine die is on May 7, 13 2014); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 14 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, 15 or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part 16 will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election 17 to be held in November 2014 and, in such case, will take effect on the 18 date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

19 (2) This act applies to driver's licenses issued on or after the20 applicable effective date of this act.