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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation Finance and Policy

- 1.1 A bill for an act
- 1.2 relating to drivers' licenses; modifying certain requirements relating to a
- 1.3 reintegration driver's license; amending Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 171.301,
- 1.4 subdivisions 5, 6.
- 1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
- 1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 171.301, subdivision 5, is amended to read:
- 1.7 Subd. 5. **Expiration.** A reintegration driver's license expires ~~15~~ 24 months from the date
- 1.8 of issuance of the license. A reintegration driver's license may not be renewed.
- 1.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment and
- 1.10 applies to reintegration licenses issued on or after that date.
- 1.11 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2024, section 171.301, subdivision 6, is amended to read:
- 1.12 Subd. 6. **Issuance of regular driver's license.** (a) Notwithstanding any statute or rule
- 1.13 to the contrary, the commissioner must issue a REAL ID-compliant or noncompliant license
- 1.14 to a person who possesses a reintegration driver's license if:
- 1.15 (1) the person has possessed the reintegration driver's license for at least one full year;
- 1.16 (2) the reintegration driver's license has not been canceled under subdivision 4 and has
- 1.17 not been expired for more than 90 days from the date under subdivision 5;
- 1.18 (3) the person meets the application requirements under section 171.06, including payment
- 1.19 of the applicable fees, surcharge, and filing fee under sections 171.06, subdivisions 2 and
- 1.20 2a, and 171.061, subdivision 4; and

2.1 (4) issuance of the license does not conflict with the requirements of the nonresident
2.2 violator compact.

2.3 (b) The commissioner must forgive any outstanding balance due on a reinstatement fee
2.4 or surcharge under sections 171.20, subdivision 4, and 171.29, subdivision 2, for a person
2.5 who is eligible and applies for a license under paragraph (a).

2.6 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment.