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A bill for an act

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relating to transportation; establishing a reintegration license for certain individuals

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released from custody; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. [171.301] REINTEGRATION LICENSE.

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Subdivision 1. Conditions of issuance. (a) The commissioner may issue a reintegration

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driver's license to any person:

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(1) who has been released from a period of at least 180 consecutive days of confinement

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or incarceration in any adult correctional facility either under the control of the commissioner

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of corrections or licensed by the commissioner of corrections under section 241.021; and

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(2) whose license has been suspended, revoked, canceled, or denied under the

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circumstances listed in section 171.30, subdivision 1, paragraph (a), clauses (1) to (4).

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(b) If the person's driver's license or permit to drive has been revoked under section

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169.792 or 169.797, the commissioner may only issue a reintegration driver's license to the

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person after the person has presented an insurance identification card, policy, or written

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statement indicating that the driver or owner has insurance coverage satisfactory to the

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commissioner.

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(c) The commissioner must not issue a reintegration driver's license to any person

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described in section 171.04, subdivision 1, clause (7), (8), or (11).

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(d) The commissioner must not issue a class A, class B, or class C reintegration driver's

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license.

2.1 Subd. 2. **Application; fees prohibited.** (a) A person seeking a reintegration driver's  
2.2 license must apply for the license within one year of release from confinement or  
2.3 incarceration. The application must be made in a format approved by the commissioner.

2.4 (b) The commissioner may not charge an application fee or a license fee for a reintegration  
2.5 driver's license.

2.6 Subd. 3. **Cancellation of license.** The commissioner must cancel the reintegration driver's  
2.7 license of any person who commits a violation that would result in the suspension, revocation,  
2.8 or cancellation of a driver's license. A person whose reintegration driver's license is canceled  
2.9 under this subdivision may not be issued another reintegration driver's license and may not  
2.10 operate a motor vehicle for the remainder of the period of suspension or revocation, or 30  
2.11 days, whichever is longer.

2.12 Subd. 4. **Reinstatement of full driving privileges.** Notwithstanding any statute or rule  
2.13 to the contrary, the commissioner must reinstate full driving privileges of a person who was  
2.14 issued a reintegration driver's license provided:

2.15 (1) the person has possessed the reintegration driver's license for one full year;

2.16 (2) the reintegration driver's license has not been canceled pursuant to subdivision 3;

2.17 (3) the person's reintegration driver's license was not suspended pursuant to section  
2.18 171.186 for nonpayment of child support; and

2.19 (4) the person pays the applicable license fee pursuant to section 171.06, subdivision 2,  
2.20 and any applicable endorsement fee under section 171.06, subdivision 2a.

2.21 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective July 1, 2022.