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2 An act relating to the Department of Highway Safety and 3 Motor Vehicles; amending s. 316.0741, F.S.; redefining the term "hybrid vehicle"; authorizing the driving of a 4 hybrid, low-emission, or energy-efficient vehicle in a 5 6 high-occupancy-vehicle lane regardless of occupancy; 7 authorizing the department to limit or discontinue such 8 driving under certain circumstances; directing the 9 Department of Transportation to review a specified federal rule and make a report to the Legislature; exempting 10 certain vehicles from the payment of certain tolls; 11 amending s. 316.1575, F.S.; requiring a person walking or 12 driving a vehicle to stop at a railroad crossing upon the 13 signal of a law enforcement officer; amending s. 316.193, 14 F.S.; lowering the blood-alcohol or breath-alcohol level 15 16 for which enhanced penalties are imposed against a person convicted of driving under the influence; amending s. 17 316.1937, F.S.; revising the conditions under which the 18 19 court may require the use of an ignition interlock device; 20 amending s. 316.251, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 316.302, F.S.; revising references to rules, 21 regulations, and criteria governing commercial motor 22 vehicles engaged in intrastate commerce; providing that 23 24 the Department of Transportation performs duties assigned 25 to the Field Administrator of the Federal Motor Carrier 26 Safety Administration under the federal rules and may 27 enforce those rules; amending ss. 316.613 and 316.614, F.S.; revising the definition of "motor vehicle" for 28 Page 1 of 70

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purposes of child restraint and safety belt usage 29 30 requirements; amending s. 316.645, F.S.; authorizing a police officer to make an arrest upon probable cause of a 31 violation of laws governing motor vehicle licenses; 32 amending s. 316.650, F.S.; revising requirements for 33 traffic citation forms; providing for the electronic 34 35 transmission of citation data; amending s. 316.656, F.S.; 36 lowering the percentage of blood or breath alcohol content 37 relating to the prohibition against pleading guilty to a 38 lesser offense of driving under the influence than the offense charged; amending s. 319.001, F.S.; defining the 39 term "certificate of title" to include information stored 40 electronically in the department's database; amending s. 41 320.01, F.S.; revising the definition of the term 42 "motorcycle" to exclude a vehicle in which the operator is 43 44 enclosed by a cabin; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; deleting the requirement for a motorcycle endorsement at the time 45 of original registration of a motorcycle, motor-driven 46 47 cycle, or moped; repealing s. 320.02(13), F.S., relating 48 to a motor vehicle registration voluntary contribution for the Election Campaign Financing Trust Fund; amending s. 49 320.0706, F.S.; providing that a violation of requirements 50 for displaying a truck license plate is a moving 51 violation; amending s. 320.0715, F.S.; requiring the 52 53 department to withhold issuing or to suspend a 54 registration and license plate for a commercial motor vehicle if the federal identifying number is not provided 55 or if the motor carrier or vehicle owner has been 56 Page 2 of 70

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revising requirements for application for a driver's 85 86 license; removing a provision requiring the application 87 form to include language permitting a voluntary contribution for the Election Campaign Financing Trust 88 Fund; amending s. 322.14, F.S.; revising provisions for 89 content of a driver's license; requiring the license to 90 91 contain the licensee's residence address; removing a 92 requirement that the license contain the licensee's 93 mailing address; amending s. 322.15, F.S.; authorizing a law enforcement officer or authorized representative of 94 the department to collect a person's fingerprints 95 electronically; amending s. 322.17, F.S.; revising 96 provisions for replacement of an instruction permit or 97 driver license; removing fee amounts; requiring payment of 98 specified fee amounts; removing a provision for a change 99 100 of address sticker; conforming cross-references; amending s. 322.18, F.S.; revising provisions providing for the 101 expiration and renewal of driver's licenses; providing for 102 the renewal of certain licenses every 8 years; conforming 103 cross-references; providing for the renewal of licenses 104 105 using a convenience service; requiring the department to issue new licenses rather than extension stickers; 106 repealing s. 322.181(4), F.S., relating to the Florida At-107 Risk Driver Council; amending s. 322.19, F.S.; revising 108 109 provisions for a licensee changing address; removing a 110 provision for the licensee to request a change-of-address sticker; conforming cross-references; amending s. 322.21, 111 F.S.; revising fees for issuance of original, renewal, and 112 Page 4 of 70

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113 replacement driver's licenses and identification cards; 114 revising fees for specified endorsements; providing for 115 distribution of revised fees; amending s. 322.2715, F.S.; 116 providing that the required installation period of an 117 ignition interlock device for certain DUI offenses be continuous; amending s. 322.291, F.S.; providing 118 119 additional requirements for a third or subsequent 120 violation of requirements for installation of an ignition 121 interlock device; requiring treatment and extension of the 122 duration of the ignition interlock requirement; amending 123 s. 322.36, F.S.; requiring the suspension for a specified period of the driver's license of a person who loans a 124 125 vehicle to a person whose driver's license is suspended if 126 that vehicle is involved in an accident resulting in 127 bodily injury or death; repealing s. 322.60, F.S., 128 relating to the prohibition on commercial motor vehicle 129 drivers possessing more than one license; amending s. 322.61, F.S.; clarifying provisions disqualifying a person 130 131 from operating a commercial motor vehicle following certain traffic violations; providing for permanent 132 133 disqualification following conviction of a felony involving the manufacture, distribution, or dispensing of 134 a controlled substance; amending s. 322.64, F.S.; 135 providing that a person's privilege to drive a commercial 136 137 motor vehicle is disqualified if the person was driving or 138 in actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any motor vehicle if the person holds a commercial 139 driver's license, with an unlawful blood-alcohol level or 140 Page 5 of 70

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141 breath-alcohol level or refuses to submit to a breath, 142 urine, or blood test; providing for the period of disqualification; providing procedures; providing for 143 issuance of a notice of disgualification; revising the 144 145 requirements for a formal review hearing following a 146 person's disqualification from operating a commercial 147 motor vehicle; amending s. 324.021, F.S.; clarifying that a judgment becomes final by expiration of the time for 148 appeal; amending s. 501.976, F.S.; conforming a cross-149 reference; prohibiting the Department of Highway Safety 150 and Motor Vehicles from issuing any new specialty license 151 plates for a specified period; designating the Joseph P. 152 Bertrand Building in Lee County; providing effective 153 154 dates. 155 156 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: 157 158 Section 1. Section 316.0741, Florida Statutes, is amended 159 to read: 160 316.0741 High-occupancy-vehicle High occupancy vehicle 161 lanes.--162 (1)As used in this section, the term: "High-occupancy-vehicle High occupancy vehicle lane" 163 (a) or "HOV lane" means a lane of a public roadway designated for 164 use by vehicles in which there is more than one occupant unless 165 otherwise authorized by federal law. 166 "Hybrid vehicle" means a motor vehicle: 167 (b) That draws propulsion energy from onboard sources of 168 1.

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170	engine using combustible fuel and a rechargeable energy-storage
171	system; and
172	2. That, in the case of a passenger automobile or light
173	truck, has received a certificate of conformity under the Clean
174	Air Act, 42 U.S.C. ss. 7401 et seq., and meets or exceeds the
175	equivalent qualifying California standards for a low-emission
176	vehicle.
177	(2) The number of persons that must be in a vehicle to
178	qualify for legal use of the HOV lane and the hours during which
179	the lane will serve as an HOV lane, if it is not designated as
180	such on a full-time basis, must also be indicated on a traffic
181	control device.
182	(3) Except as provided in subsection (4), a vehicle may
183	not be driven in an HOV lane if the vehicle is occupied by fewer
184	than the number of occupants indicated by a traffic control
185	device. A driver who violates this section shall be cited for a
186	moving violation, punishable as provided in chapter 318.
187	(4) (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this
188	section, an inherently low-emission vehicle (ILEV) that is
189	certified and labeled in accordance with federal regulations may
190	be driven in an HOV lane at any time, regardless of its
191	occupancy. In addition, upon the state's receipt of written
192	notice from the proper federal regulatory agency authorizing
193	such use, a vehicle defined as a hybrid vehicle under this
194	section may be driven in an HOV lane at any time, regardless of
195	its occupancy.
196	(b) All eligible hybrid and all eligible other low-
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197 <u>emission and energy-efficient vehicles driven in an HOV lane</u> 198 <u>must comply with the minimum fuel economy standards in 23 U.S.C.</u> 199 <u>s. 166(f)(3)(B).</u> 200 (c) Upon issuance of the applicable United States

201 Environmental Protection Agency final rule pursuant to 23 U.S.C. s. 166(e), relating to the eligibility of hybrid and other low-202 203 emission and energy-efficient vehicles for operation in an HOV lane, regardless of occupancy, the Department of Transportation 204 205 shall review the rule and recommend to the Legislature any 206 statutory changes necessary for compliance with the federal 207 rule. The department shall provide its recommendations no later than 30 days following issuance of the final rule. 208

209 The department shall issue a decal and registration (5) certificate, to be renewed annually, reflecting the HOV lane 210 designation on such vehicles meeting the criteria in subsection 211 212 (4) authorizing driving in an HOV lane at any time such use. The department may charge a fee for a decal, not to exceed the costs 213 214 of designing, producing, and distributing each decal, or \$5, 215 whichever is less. The proceeds from sale of the decals shall be deposited in the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund. The 216 217 department may, for reasons of operation and management of HOV facilities, limit or discontinue issuance of decals for the use 218 219 of HOV facilities by hybrid and low-emission and energyefficient vehicles, regardless of occupancy, if it has been 220 determined by the Department of Transportation that the 221 222 facilities are degraded as defined by 23 U.S.C. s. 166(d)(2). Vehicles having decals by virtue of compliance with 223 (6) the minimum fuel economy standards under 23 U.S.C. s. 224

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225	166(f)(3)(B), and which are registered for use in high-occupancy
226	toll lanes or express lanes in accordance with Department of
227	Transportation rule, shall be allowed to use any HOV lanes
228	redesignated as high-occupancy toll lanes or express lanes
229	without payment of a toll.
230	(5) As used in this section, the term "hybrid vehicle"
231	means a motor vehicle:
232	(a) That draws propulsion energy from onboard sources of
233	stored energy which are both:
234	1. An internal combustion or heat engine using combustible
235	fuel; and
236	2. A rechargeable energy storage system; and
237	(b) That, in the case of a passenger automobile or light
238	truck:
239	1. Has received a certificate of conformity under the
240	Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. ss. 7401 et seq.; and
241	2. Meets or exceeds the equivalent qualifying California
242	standards for a low emission vehicle.
243	(7) <del>(6)</del> The department may adopt rules necessary to
244	administer this section.
245	Section 2. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section
246	316.1575, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
247	316.1575 Obedience to traffic control devices at railroad-
248	highway grade crossings
249	(1) Any person walking or driving a vehicle and
250	approaching a railroad-highway grade crossing under any of the
251	circumstances stated in this section shall stop within 50 feet
252	but not less than 15 feet from the nearest rail of such railroad
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253 and shall not proceed until he or she can do so safely. The 254 foregoing requirements apply when: (b) A crossing gate is lowered or a law enforcement 255 256 officer or a human flagger gives or continues to give a signal 257 of the approach or passage of a railroad train; Section 3. Subsection (4) of section 316.193, Florida 258 259 Statutes, is amended to read: 316.193 Driving under the influence; penalties.--260 261 (4)Any person who is convicted of a violation of subsection (1) and who has a blood-alcohol level or breath-262 263 alcohol level of  $0.15 \frac{0.20}{0.20}$  or higher, or any person who is convicted of a violation of subsection (1) and who at the time 264 of the offense was accompanied in the vehicle by a person under 265 266 the age of 18 years, shall be punished: 267 (a) By a fine of: 268 1. Not less than \$500 or more than \$1,000 for a first conviction. 269 270 Not less than \$1,000 or more than \$2,000 for a second 2. 271 conviction. Not less than \$2,000 for a third or subsequent 272 3. 273 conviction. 274 (b) By imprisonment for: Not more than 9 months for a first conviction. 275 1. 276 Not more than 12 months for a second conviction. 2. 277 For the purposes of this subsection, only the instant offense is 278 required to be a violation of subsection (1) by a person who has 279 a blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level of 0.15 0.20 or 280 Page 10 of 70

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281 higher. 282 (C) In addition to the penalties in paragraphs (a) and 283 (b), the court shall order the mandatory placement, at the convicted person's sole expense, of an ignition interlock device 284 285 approved by the department in accordance with s. 316.1938 upon 286 all vehicles that are individually or jointly leased or owned 287 and routinely operated by the convicted person for up to 6 288 months for the first offense and for at least 2 years for a 289 second offense, when the convicted person qualifies for a permanent or restricted license. The installation of such device 290 291 may not occur before July 1, 2003. Section 4. Subsection (1) of section 316.1937, Florida 292 Statutes, is amended to read: 293 294 Ignition interlock devices, requiring; unlawful 316.1937 acts.--295 296 (1)In addition to any other authorized penalties, the 297 court may require that any person who is convicted of driving 298 under the influence in violation of s. 316.193 shall not operate 299 a motor vehicle unless that vehicle is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device certified by the 300 301 department as provided in s. 316.1938, and installed in such a 302 manner that the vehicle will not start if the operator's blood 303 alcohol level is in excess of 0.05 percent or as otherwise specified by the court. The court may require the use of an 304 approved ignition interlock device for a period of not less than 305 6 continuous months, if the person is permitted to operate a 306 motor vehicle, whether or not the privilege to operate a motor 307 vehicle is restricted, as determined by the court. The court, 308 Page 11 of 70

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309 however, shall order placement of an ignition interlock device 310 in those circumstances required by s. 316.193. Subsection (2) of section 316.251, Florida 311 Section 5. 312 Statutes, is amended to read: 313 316.251 Maximum bumper heights. --"New motor vehicles" as defined in s. 319.001(9)(8), 314 (2) 315 "antique automobiles" as defined in s. 320.08, "horseless carriages" as defined in s. 320.086, and "street rods" as 316 317 defined in s. 320.0863 shall be excluded from the requirements of this section. 318 Section 6. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) and subsections 319 (6) and (8) of section 316.302, Florida Statutes, are amended to 320 read: 321 322 316.302 Commercial motor vehicles; safety regulations; 323 transporters and shippers of hazardous materials; enforcement .--324 (1)325 Except as otherwise provided in this section, all (b) owners or drivers of commercial motor vehicles that are engaged 326 327 in intrastate commerce are subject to the rules and regulations contained in 49 C.F.R. parts 382, 385, and 390-397, with the 328 329 exception of 49 C.F.R. s. 390.5 as it relates to the definition 330 of bus, as such rules and regulations existed on October 1, 2007  $\frac{2005}{2005}$ . 331 The state Department of Transportation shall perform 332 (6) the duties that are assigned to the Field Administrator, Federal 333 Motor Carrier Safety Administration Regional Federal Highway 334 Administrator under the federal rules, and an agent of that 335 department, as described in s. 316.545(9), may enforce those 336

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337 rules.

For the purpose of enforcing this section, any law 338 (8) enforcement officer of the Department of Transportation or duly 339 appointed agent who holds a current safety inspector 340 341 certification from the Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance may 342 require the driver of any commercial vehicle operated on the 343 highways of this state to stop and submit to an inspection of the vehicle or the driver's records. If the vehicle or driver is 344 345 found to be operating in an unsafe condition, or if any required 346 part or equipment is not present or is not in proper repair or 347 adjustment, and the continued operation would present an unduly hazardous operating condition, the officer may require the 348 vehicle or the driver to be removed from service pursuant to the 349 350 North American Standard Uniform Out-of-Service Criteria, until corrected. However, if continuous operation would not present an 351 352 unduly hazardous operating condition, the officer may give 353 written notice requiring correction of the condition within 14 354 days.

(a) Any member of the Florida Highway Patrol or any law
enforcement officer employed by a sheriff's office or municipal
police department authorized to enforce the traffic laws of this
state pursuant to s. 316.640 who has reason to believe that a
vehicle or driver is operating in an unsafe condition may, as
provided in subsection (10), enforce the provisions of this
section.

(b) Any person who fails to comply with an officer's
request to submit to an inspection under this subsection commits
a violation of s. 843.02 if the person resists the officer
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365	without violence or a violation of s. 843.01 if the person
366	resists the officer with violence.
367	Section 7. Subsection (2) of section 316.613, Florida
368	Statutes, is amended to read:
369	316.613 Child restraint requirements
370	(2) As used in this section, the term "motor vehicle"
371	means a motor vehicle as defined in s. 316.003 that is operated
372	on the roadways, streets, and highways of the state. The term
373	does not include:
374	(a) A school bus as defined in s. 316.003(45).
375	(b) A bus used for the transportation of persons for
376	compensation, other than a bus regularly used to transport
377	children to or from school, as defined in s. 316.615(1) (b), or
378	in conjunction with school activities.
379	(c) A farm tractor or implement of husbandry.
380	(d) A truck having a gross vehicle weight rating of more
381	than 26,000 of net weight of more than 5,000 pounds.
382	(e) A motorcycle, moped, or bicycle.
383	Section 8. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of section
384	316.614, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
385	316.614 Safety belt usage
386	(3) As used in this section:
387	(a) "Motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle as defined in s.
388	316.003 <u>which</u> <del>that</del> is operated on the roadways, streets, and
389	highways of this state. The term does not include:
390	1. A school bus.
391	2. A bus used for the transportation of persons for
392	compensation.

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393 3. A farm tractor or implement of husbandry.

394 4. A truck having a gross vehicle weight rating of more
395 than 26,000 of a net weight of more than 5,000 pounds.

5. A motorcycle, moped, or bicycle.

397 Section 9. Section 316.645, Florida Statutes, is amended398 to read:

399 316.645 Arrest authority of officer at scene of a traffic crash.--A police officer who makes an investigation at the scene 400 401 of a traffic crash may arrest any driver of a vehicle involved 402 in the crash when, based upon personal investigation, the 403 officer has reasonable and probable grounds to believe that the person has committed any offense under the provisions of this 404 chapter, chapter 320, or chapter 322 in connection with the 405 406 crash.

407 Section 10. Subsections (1), (3), (4), (5), (6), and (7)
408 of section 316.650, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:
409 316.650 Traffic citations.--

410 The department shall prepare, and supply to every (1)(a) 411 traffic enforcement agency in this state  $\tau$  an appropriate form traffic citation that contains <del>containing</del> a notice to appear, is 412 413 (which shall be issued in prenumbered books, meets with citations in quintuplicate) and meeting the requirements of this 414 chapter or any laws of this state regulating traffic, and is 415 which form shall be consistent with the state traffic court 416 rules and the procedures established by the department. The form 417 shall include a box that which is to be checked by the law 418 enforcement officer when the officer believes that the traffic 419 violation or crash was due to appressive careless driving as 420 Page 15 of 70

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421 defined in s. 316.1923. The form shall also include a box that 422 which is to be checked by the law enforcement officer when the 423 officer writes a uniform traffic citation for a violation of s. 424 316.074(1) or s. 316.075(1)(c)1. as a result of the driver 425 failing to stop at a traffic signal.

426 The department shall prepare, and supply to every (b) 427 traffic enforcement agency in the state, an appropriate affidavit-of-compliance form that which shall be issued along 428 429 with the form traffic citation for any violation of s. 316.610 430 and that indicates which shall indicate the specific defect 431 needing which needs to be corrected. However, such affidavit of compliance shall not be issued in the case of a violation of s. 432 316.610 by a commercial motor vehicle as defined in s. 433 434 316.003(66). Such affidavit-of-compliance form shall be 435 distributed in the same manner and to the same parties as is the form traffic citation. 436

(c) Notwithstanding paragraphs (a) and (b), a traffic
enforcement agency may produce uniform traffic citations by
electronic means. Such citations must be consistent with the
state traffic court rules and the procedures established by the
department <u>and</u>, must be appropriately numbered and inventoried,
and may have fewer copies than the quintuplicate form.
Affidavit-of-compliance forms may also be produced by electronic

444 means.

(d) The department must distribute to every traffic
enforcement agency and to any others who request it, a traffic
infraction reference guide describing the class of the traffic
infraction, the penalty for the infraction, the points to be
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assessed on a driver's <u>record</u> <del>license</del>, and any other information
necessary to describe a violation and the penalties therefor.

451 (3) (a) Except for a traffic citation issued pursuant to s. 452 316.1001, each traffic enforcement officer, upon issuing a 453 traffic citation to an alleged violator of any provision of the 454 motor vehicle laws of this state or of any traffic ordinance of any municipality city or town, shall deposit the original and 455 one copy of such traffic citation or, in the case of a traffic 456 enforcement agency that which has an automated citation issuance 457 458 system, the chief administrative officer shall provide by an 459 electronic transmission a replica of the citation data to facsimile with a court having jurisdiction over the alleged 460 offense or with its traffic violations bureau within 5 days 461 462 after issuance to the violator.

463 (b) If a traffic citation is issued pursuant to s. 464 316.1001, a traffic enforcement officer may deposit the original and one copy of such traffic citation or, in the case of a 465 466 traffic enforcement agency that has an automated citation 467 system, may provide by an electronic transmission a replica of the citation data to facsimile with a court having jurisdiction 468 469 over the alleged offense or with its traffic violations bureau 470 within 45 days after the date of issuance of the citation to the 471 violator. If the person cited for the violation of s. 316.1001 makes the election provided by s. 318.14(12) and pays the \$25 472 fine, or such other amount as imposed by the governmental entity 473 owning the applicable toll facility, plus the amount of the 474 unpaid toll that is shown on the traffic citation directly to 475 the governmental entity that issued the citation, or on whose 476 Page 17 of 70

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477 behalf the citation was issued, in accordance with s. 478 318.14(12), the traffic citation will not be submitted to the 479 court, the disposition will be reported to the department by the 480 governmental entity that issued the citation, or on whose behalf 481 the citation was issued, and no points will be assessed against 482 the person's driver's license.

483 (4)The chief administrative officer of every traffic enforcement agency shall require the return to him or her of the 484 485 officer-agency department record copy of every traffic citation issued by an officer under the chief administrative officer's 486 487 supervision to an alleged violator of any traffic law or ordinance and of all copies of every traffic citation that which 488 has been spoiled or upon which any entry has been made and not 489 490 issued to an alleged violator. In the case of a traffic 491 enforcement agency that which has an automated citation issuance 492 system, the chief administrative officer shall require the return of all electronic traffic citation records. 493

494 Upon the deposit of the original and one copy of such (5) 495 traffic citation or upon deposit of an electronic transmission of a replica of citation data facsimile of the traffic citation 496 497 with respect to traffic enforcement agencies that which have an 498 automated citation issuance system with a court having 499 jurisdiction over the alleged offense or with its traffic violations bureau as aforesaid, the original citation, the 500 electronic citation containing a replica of citation data 501 facsimile, or a copy of such traffic citation may be disposed of 502 only by trial in the court or other official action by a judge 503 504 of the court, including forfeiture of the bail, or by the Page 18 of 70

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505 deposit of sufficient bail with, or payment of a fine to, the 506 traffic violations bureau by the person to whom such traffic 507 citation has been issued by the traffic enforcement officer.

508 (6) The chief administrative officer shall transmit, on a 509 form approved by the department, the department record copy of 510 the uniform traffic citation to the department within 5 days 511 after submission of the original, groups of issued citations and 512 one copy to the court, or citation and transmittal data to the 513 court. Batches of electronic citations containing a replica of citation data may be transmitted to the court department in an 514 515 electronic automated fashion, in a format form prescribed by the department within 5 days after issuance to the violator. A copy 516 of such transmittal shall also be provided to the court having 517 518 jurisdiction for accountability purposes.

(7) The chief administrative officer shall also maintain or cause to be maintained in connection with every traffic citation issued by an officer under his or her supervision a record of the disposition of the charge by the court or its traffic violations bureau in which the original or copy of the traffic citation <u>or electronic citation</u> was deposited.

525 Section 11. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section 526 316.656, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

527 316.656 Mandatory adjudication; prohibition against 528 accepting plea to lesser included offense.--

(2) (a) No trial judge may accept a plea of guilty to a
lesser offense from a person charged under the provisions of
this act who has been given a breath or blood test to determine
blood or breath alcohol content, the results of which show a

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533 blood or breath alcohol content by weight of  $0.15 \quad 0.20$  percent 534 or more.

535 Section 12. Subsections (1) through (11) of section 536 319.001, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (2) 537 through (12), respectively, and a new subsection (1) is added to 538 that section to read:

- 539 319.001 Definitions.--As used in this chapter, the term: 540 (1) "Certificate of title" means the record that is 541 evidence of ownership of a vehicle, whether a paper certificate 542 authorized by the department or a certificate consisting of 543 information that is stored in an electronic form in the 544 department's database.
- 545 Section 13. Subsection (27) of section 320.01, Florida 546 Statutes, is amended to read:
- 547 320.01 Definitions, general.--As used in the Florida 548 Statutes, except as otherwise provided, the term:

(27) "Motorcycle" means any motor vehicle having a seat or saddle for the use of the rider and designed to travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground, but excluding a tractor, or a wehicle in which the operator is enclosed by a cabin.

554 Section 14. Effective July 1, 2008, subsection (1) of 555 section 320.02, Florida Statutes, as amended by section 28 of 556 chapter 2006-290, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

320.02 Registration required; application forregistration; forms.--

559 (1) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, every
 560 owner or person in charge of a motor vehicle that is operated or
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561 driven on the roads of this state shall register the vehicle in 562 this state. The owner or person in charge shall apply to the 563 department or to its authorized agent for registration of each 564 such vehicle on a form prescribed by the department. Prior to 565 the original registration of a motorcycle, motor-driven cycle, 566 or moped, the owner, if a natural person, must present proof 567 that he or she has a valid motorcycle endorsement as required in 568 chapter 322. A registration is not required for any motor 569 vehicle that is not operated on the roads of this state during 570 the registration period. Subsection (13) of section 320.02, Florida 571 Section 15. 572 Statutes, is repealed. Section 16. Section 320.0706, Florida Statutes, is amended 573 574 to read: 575 320.0706 Display of license plates on trucks.--The owner 576 of any commercial truck of gross vehicle weight of 26,001 pounds 577 or more shall display the registration license plate on both the 578 front and rear of the truck in conformance with all the 579 requirements of s. 316.605 that do not conflict with this 580 section. The owner of a dump truck may place the rear license 581 plate on the gate no higher than 60 inches to allow for better 582 visibility. However, the owner of a truck tractor shall be 583 required to display the registration license plate only on the front of such vehicle. A violation of this section is a 584 noncriminal traffic infraction, punishable as a moving violation 585 586 as provided in chapter 318.

587 Section 17. Subsection (4) of section 320.0715, Florida 588 Statutes, is amended to read:

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589 320.0715 International Registration Plan; motor carrier 590 services; permits; retention of records.--

591 (4) Each motor carrier registered under the International
592 Registration Plan shall maintain and keep, for a period of 4
593 years, pertinent records and papers as may be required by the
594 department for the reasonable administration of this chapter.

595 (a) The department shall withhold registrations and
596 license plates for commercial motor vehicles unless the
597 identifying number issued by the federal agency responsible for
598 motor carrier safety is provided for the motor carrier and the
599 entity responsible for motor carrier safety for each motor
600 vehicle as part of the application process.

601 (b) The department may not issue a commercial motor 602 vehicle registration or license plate to, and may not transfer 603 the commercial motor vehicle registration or license plate for, 604 a motor carrier or vehicle owner who has been prohibited from 605 operating by a federal or state agency responsible for motor 606 carrier safety.

607 (c) The department, with notice, shall suspend any 608 commercial motor vehicle registration and license plate issued 609 to a motor carrier or vehicle owner who has been prohibited from 610 operating by a federal or state agency responsible for motor 611 carrier safety.

612 Section 18. Subsection (3) of section 320.08053, Florida613 Statutes, is amended to read:

614 320.08053 Requirements for requests to establish specialty615 license plates.--

616 (3) The department shall adopt rules providing viewpoint Page 22 of 70

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617 neutral specifications for the design of specialty license 618 plates that promote or enhance the readability of all specialty license plates and that discourage counterfeiting. The rules 619 shall provide uniform specifications requiring inclusion of the 620 621 word "Florida" in the same location on each specialty license 622 plate, in such a size and location that is clearly identifiable 623 on the specialty license plate when mounted on a vehicle, and shall provide specifications for the size and location of any 624 625 words or logos appearing on a specialty license plate. Section 19. Paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section 626 320.0894, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 627 320.0894 Motor vehicle license plates to Gold Star family 628 members.--The department shall develop a special license plate 629 630 honoring the family members of servicemembers who have been killed while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States. 631 632 The license plate shall be officially designated as the Gold 633 Star license plate and shall be developed and issued as provided 634 in this section. 635 (4)(a)1.a. The Gold Star license plate shall be issued only to family members of a servicemember who resided in Florida 636 637 at the time of the death of the servicemember. 638 b. Any family member, as defined in subparagraph 2., of a 639 servicemember killed while serving may be issued a Gold Star license plate upon payment of the license tax and appropriate 640 fees as provided in paragraph (3)(a) without regard to the state 641 642 of residence of the servicemember. To qualify for issuance of a Gold Star license plate, 643 2. the applicant must be directly related to a fallen servicemember 644 Page 23 of 70

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as spouse, legal mother or father, or stepparent who is
currently married to the mother or father of the fallen
servicemember.

A servicemember is deemed to have been killed while in
service as listed by the United States Department of Defense and
may be verified from documentation directly from the Department
of Defense or from its subordinate agencies, such as the Coast
Guard, Reserve, or National Guard.

Section 20. Effective upon this act becoming a law,
subsections (4) and (8) of section 320.131, Florida Statutes,
are amended, and subsection (9) is added to that section, to
read:

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320.131 Temporary tags.--

(4) (a) Temporary tags shall be conspicuously displayed in
the rear license plate bracket or, attached to the inside of the
rear window in an upright position so as to be clearly visible
from the rear of the vehicle. on vehicles requiring front
display of license plates, temporary tags shall be displayed on
the front of the vehicle in the location where the metal license
plate would normally be displayed.

(b) The department shall designate specifications for the media upon which the temporary tag is printed. Such media shall be either nonpermeable or subject to weatherproofing so that it maintains its structural integrity, including graphic and data adhesion, in all weather conditions after being placed on a vehicle.

671 (8) The department <u>shall</u> may administer an electronic
 672 system for licensed motor vehicle dealers to use <u>for</u> <del>in</del> issuing
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673 temporary tags license plates. Upon issuing a temporary tag 674 license plate, the dealer shall access the electronic system and 675 enter the appropriate vehicle and owner information within the 676 timeframe specified by department rule. If a dealer fails to 677 comply with the department's requirements for issuing temporary 678 tags license plates using the electronic system, the department 679 may deny, suspend, or revoke a license under s. 320.27(9)(b)16. upon proof that the licensee has failed to comply with the 680 681 department's requirements. The department may adopt rules to administer this section. 682

683 The department shall implement a secure print-on-(9) demand electronic temporary tag registration, record retention, 684 685 and issue system for use by every department-authorized issuer 686 of temporary tags by the end of the 2007-2008 fiscal year. This system shall enable the department to issue, on demand, a 687 688 temporary tag number in response to a request from the issuer 689 via a secure electronic exchange of data and enable the issuer 690 to print the temporary tag with all of the required information. 691 The department may adopt rules as necessary to implement this 692 program. A motor vehicle dealer licensed under this chapter 693 shall be authorized to charge a fee to comply with this section. 694 Section 21. Section 320.96, Florida Statutes, is repealed. 695 Section 22. Paragraph (b) of subsection (9) of section 320.27, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 696 320.27 Motor vehicle dealers.--697 DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION .--698 (9) The department may deny, suspend, or revoke any 699 (b) 700 license issued hereunder or under the provisions of s. 320.77 or Page 25 of 70

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701 s. 320.771 upon proof that a licensee has committed, with 702 sufficient frequency so as to establish a pattern of wrongdoing 703 on the part of a licensee, violations of one or more of the 704 following activities:

1. Representation that a demonstrator is a new motor vehicle, or the attempt to sell or the sale of a demonstrator as a new motor vehicle without written notice to the purchaser that the vehicle is a demonstrator. For the purposes of this section, a "demonstrator," a "new motor vehicle," and a "used motor vehicle" shall be defined as under s. 320.60.

711 2. Unjustifiable refusal to comply with a licensee's 712 responsibility under the terms of the new motor vehicle warranty 713 issued by its respective manufacturer, distributor, or importer. 714 However, if such refusal is at the direction of the 715 manufacturer, distributor, or importer, such refusal shall not 716 be a ground under this section.

3. Misrepresentation or false, deceptive, or misleading
statements with regard to the sale or financing of motor
vehicles which any motor vehicle dealer has, or causes to have,
advertised, printed, displayed, published, distributed,
broadcast, televised, or made in any manner with regard to the
sale or financing of motor vehicles.

4. Failure by any motor vehicle dealer to provide a
customer or purchaser with an odometer disclosure statement and
a copy of any bona fide written, executed sales contract or
agreement of purchase connected with the purchase of the motor
vehicle purchased by the customer or purchaser.

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5. Failure of any motor vehicle dealer to comply with the Page 26 of 70

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729 terms of any bona fide written, executed agreement, pursuant to730 the sale of a motor vehicle.

731 6. Failure to apply for transfer of a title as prescribed732 in s. 319.23(6).

7337. Use of the dealer license identification number by any734 person other than the licensed dealer or his or her designee.

735 8. Failure to continually meet the requirements of the736 licensure law.

9. Representation to a customer or any advertisement to the public representing or suggesting that a motor vehicle is a new motor vehicle if such vehicle lawfully cannot be titled in the name of the customer or other member of the public by the seller using a manufacturer's statement of origin as permitted in s. 319.23(1).

743 10. Requirement by any motor vehicle dealer that a
744 customer or purchaser accept equipment on his or her motor
745 vehicle which was not ordered by the customer or purchaser.

746 11. Requirement by any motor vehicle dealer that any
747 customer or purchaser finance a motor vehicle with a specific
748 financial institution or company.

749 12. Requirement by any motor vehicle dealer that the
750 purchaser of a motor vehicle contract with the dealer for
751 physical damage insurance.

752 13. Perpetration of a fraud upon any person as a result of 753 dealing in motor vehicles, including, without limitation, the 754 misrepresentation to any person by the licensee of the 755 licensee's relationship to any manufacturer, importer, or 756 distributor.

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757 14. Violation of any of the provisions of s. 319.35 by any758 motor vehicle dealer.

15. Sale by a motor vehicle dealer of a vehicle offered in trade by a customer prior to consummation of the sale, exchange, or transfer of a newly acquired vehicle to the customer, unless the customer provides written authorization for the sale of the trade-in vehicle prior to delivery of the newly acquired vehicle.

765 16. Willful failure to comply with any administrative rule766 adopted by the department or the provisions of s. 320.131(8).

767 17. Violation of chapter 319, this chapter, or ss.
768 559.901-559.9221, which has to do with dealing in or repairing
769 motor vehicles or mobile homes. Additionally, in the case of
770 used motor vehicles, the willful violation of the federal law
771 and rule in 15 U.S.C. s. 2304, 16 C.F.R. part 455, pertaining to
772 the consumer sales window form.

18. Failure to maintain evidence of notification to the
owner or coowner of a vehicle regarding registration or titling
fees owed as required in s. 320.02(16)(17).

19. Failure to register a mobile home salesperson with thedepartment as required by this section.

Section 23. Subsections (10) through (44) of section 322.01, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (11) through (45), respectively, present subsections (10), (23), and (29) are amended, and a new subsection (10) is added to that section, to read:

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322.01 Definitions.--As used in this chapter:

(10) "Convenience service" means any means whereby an

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785 individual conducts a transaction with the department other than 786 in person.

(11) (10) (a) "Conviction" means a conviction of an offense 787 788 relating to the operation of motor vehicles on highways which is 789 a violation of this chapter or any other such law of this state 790 or any other state, including an admission or determination of a 791 noncriminal traffic infraction pursuant to s. 318.14, or a 792 judicial disposition of an offense committed under any federal 793 law substantially conforming to the aforesaid state statutory 794 provisions.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter,
the definition of "conviction" provided in 49 C.F.R. part 383.5
applies to offenses committed in a commercial motor vehicle or
by a person holding a commercial driver's license.

799 <u>(24)(23)</u> "Hazardous materials" <u>means any material that has</u> 800 <u>been designated as hazardous under 49 U.S.C. s. 5103 and is</u> 801 <u>required to be placarded under subpart F of 49 C.F.R. part 172</u> 802 <u>or any quantity of a material listed as a select agent or toxin</u> 803 <u>in 42 C.F.R. part 73</u> has the meaning such term has under s. 103 804 of the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act.

805 <u>(30)</u> (29) "Out-of-service order" means a prohibition issued 806 by an authorized local, state, or Federal Government official 807 which precludes a person from driving a commercial motor vehicle 808 for a period of 72 hours or less.

809 Section 24. Subsection (1) of section 322.03, Florida810 Statutes, is amended to read:

811 322.03 Drivers must be licensed; penalties.--

812 (1) Except as otherwise authorized in this chapter, a

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813 person may not drive any motor vehicle upon a highway in this 814 state unless such person has a valid driver's license under the 815 provisions of this chapter.

A person who drives a commercial motor vehicle shall 816 (a) 817 not receive a driver's license unless and until he or she 818 surrenders to the department all driver's licenses in his or her 819 possession issued to him or her by any other jurisdiction or makes an affidavit that he or she does not possess a driver's 820 821 license. Any such person who fails to surrender such licenses or 822 who makes a false affidavit concerning such licenses is guilty 823 of a misdemeanor of the first degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. 824

A person who does not drive a commercial motor vehicle 825 (b) 826 is not required to surrender a license issued by another 827 jurisdiction, upon a showing to the department that such license 828 is necessary because of employment or part-time residence. Any 829 person who retains a driver's license because of employment or 830 part time residence shall, upon qualifying for a license in this 831 state, be issued a driver's license which shall be valid within this state only. All surrendered licenses may be returned by the 832 833 department to the issuing jurisdiction together with information 834 that the licensee is now licensed in a new jurisdiction or may 835 be destroyed by the department, which shall notify the issuing jurisdiction of such destruction. A person may not have more 836 837 than one valid Florida driver's license at any time.

838 (c) Part-time residents issued a license pursuant to 839 paragraph (b) may continue to hold such license until the next 840 regularly scheduled renewal. Licenses that are identified as

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841 "Valid in Florida only" may not be issued or renewed effective 842 July 1, 2009. This paragraph expires June 30, 2017. 843 Section 25. Subsections (1) and (2) of section 322.051, Florida Statutes, are amended to read: 844 845 322.051 Identification cards.--846 Any person who is 5 years of age or older, or any (1)847 person who has a disability, regardless of age, who applies for a disabled parking permit under s. 320.0848, may be issued an 848 849 identification card by the department upon completion of an application and payment of an application fee. 850 Each such application shall include the following 851 (a) 852 information regarding the applicant: Full name (first, middle or maiden, and last), gender, 853 1. 854 proof of social security card number satisfactory to the department, county of residence, and mailing address, proof of 855 856 residential address satisfactory to the department, country of 857 birth, and a brief description. 858 Proof of birth date satisfactory to the department. 2. 859 3. Proof of identity satisfactory to the department. Such 860 proof must include one of the following documents issued to the 861 applicant: 862 A driver's license record or identification card record a. 863 from another jurisdiction that required the applicant to submit 864 a document for identification which is substantially similar to a document required under sub-subparagraph b., sub-subparagraph 865 c., sub-subparagraph d., sub-subparagraph e., sub-subparagraph 866 f., <del>or</del> sub-subparagraph g., or sub-subparagraph h.; 867 b. A certified copy of a United States birth certificate; 868 Page 31 of 70

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869 A valid, unexpired United States passport; с. 870 d. A naturalization certificate issued by the United States Department of Homeland Security; 871 872 A valid, unexpired An alien registration receipt card e. 873 (green card); 874 f. A Consular Report of Birth Abroad provided by the 875 United States Department of State; 876 g.f. An unexpired employment authorization card issued by 877 the United States Department of Homeland Security; or h.g. Proof of nonimmigrant classification provided by the 878 United States Department of Homeland Security, for an original 879 880 identification card. In order to prove such nonimmigrant classification, applicants may produce but are not limited to 881 882 the following documents: A notice of hearing from an immigration court 883 (I) 884 scheduling a hearing on any proceeding. 885 A notice from the Board of Immigration Appeals (II)886 acknowledging pendency of an appeal. 887 (III) Notice of the approval of an application for adjustment of status issued by the United States Bureau of 888 889 Citizenship and Immigration Services. 890 (IV) Any official documentation confirming the filing of a 891 petition for asylum or refugee status or any other relief issued 892 by the United States Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration 893 Services. Notice of action transferring any pending matter from 894 (V)another jurisdiction to Florida, issued by the United States 895 896 Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services. Page 32 of 70

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897 Order of an immigration judge or immigration officer (VI) 898 granting any relief that authorizes the alien to live and work in the United States including, but not limited to asylum. 899 Evidence that an application is pending for 900 (VII) 901 adjustment of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for 902 permanent residence in the United States or conditional 903 permanent resident status in the United States, if a visa number 904 is available having a current priority date for processing by 905 the United States Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services. 906 907 On or after January 1, 2010, an unexpired foreign (VIII) passport with an unexpired United States Visa affixed, 908 909 accompanied by an approved I-94, documenting the most recent 910 admittance into the United States. 911 912 Presentation of any of the documents described in subsubparagraph g. f. or sub-subparagraph h. g. entitles the 913 914 applicant to an identification card for a period not to exceed 915 the expiration date of the document presented or 1 year, whichever first occurs. 916 917 An application for an identification card must be (b) 918 signed and verified by the applicant in a format designated by 919 the department before a person authorized to administer oaths 920 and payment of the applicable fee pursuant to s. 322.21. The fee for an identification card is \$3, including payment for the 921 922 color photograph or digital image of the applicant. Each such applicant may include fingerprints and any 923 (C) 924 other unique biometric means of identity. Page 33 of 70

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925 (2) (a) Every identification card: 926 1. Issued to a person 5 years of age to 14 years of age 927 shall expire, unless canceled earlier, on the fourth birthday of 928 the applicant following the date of original issue. 929 Issued to a person 15 years of age and older shall 2. 930 expire, unless canceled earlier, on the eighth birthday of the 931 applicant following the date of original issue. 932 933 Renewal of an identification card shall be made for the 934 applicable term enumerated in this paragraph. However, if an 935 individual is 60 years of age or older, and has an 936 identification card issued under this section, the card shall not expire unless done so by cancellation by the department or 937 by the death of the cardholder. Renewal of any identification 938 939 card shall be made for a term which shall expire on the fourth 940 birthday of the applicant following expiration of the 941 identification card renewed, unless surrendered earlier. Any 942 application for renewal received later than 90 days after 943 expiration of the identification card shall be considered the 944 same as an application for an original identification card. The 945 renewal fee for an identification card shall be \$10, of which \$4 946 shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund and \$6 into the 947 Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund. The department shall, at 948 the end of 4 years and 6 months after the issuance or renewal of an identification card, destroy any record of the card if it has 949 expired and has not been renewed, unless the cardholder is 60 950 years of age or older. 951 952 Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, (b) Page 34 of 70

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953 if an applicant establishes his or her identity for an 954 identification card using a document authorized under sub-955 subparagraph (1)(a)3.e., the identification card shall expire on the eighth fourth birthday of the applicant following the date 956 957 of original issue or upon first renewal or duplicate issued 958 after implementation of this section. After an initial showing 959 of such documentation, he or she is exempted from having to 960 renew or obtain a duplicate in person.

961 (C) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter, if an applicant establishes his or her identity for an 962 identification card using an identification document authorized 963 under sub-subparagraph (1) (a) 3.g.  $(\frac{1}{a})3.f.$  or sub-subparagraph 964 (1) (a) 3.h. (1) (a) 3.g., the identification card shall expire 1 965 966 year 2 years after the date of issuance or upon the expiration 967 date cited on the United States Department of Homeland Security 968 documents, whichever date first occurs, and may not be renewed 969 or obtain a duplicate except in person.

970 Section 26. Subsections (1), (2), and (6) of section 971 322.08, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

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322.08 Application for license.--

973 (1) Each application for a driver's license shall be made
974 in a format designated by the department and sworn to or
975 affirmed by the applicant as to the truth of the statements made
976 in the application.

977 (2) Each such application shall include the following978 information regarding the applicant:

979 (a) Full name (first, middle or maiden, and last), gender,
 980 proof of social security card number satisfactory to the

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981 <u>department</u>, county of residence, and mailing address, proof of 982 <u>residential address satisfactory to the department</u>, country of 983 birth, and a brief description.

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(b) Proof of birth date satisfactory to the department.

985 (c) Proof of identity satisfactory to the department. Such 986 proof must include one of the following documents issued to the 987 applicant:

988 1. A driver's license record or identification card record 989 from another jurisdiction that required the applicant to submit 990 a document for identification which is substantially similar to 991 a document required under subparagraph 2., subparagraph 3., 992 subparagraph 4., subparagraph 5., subparagraph 6., <del>or</del> 993 subparagraph 7., or subparagraph 8.;

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2. A certified copy of a United States birth certificate;

3. A valid, unexpired United States passport;

4. A naturalization certificate issued by the UnitedStates Department of Homeland Security;

998 5. <u>A valid, unexpired</u> An alien registration receipt card 999 (green card);

10006. A Consular Report of Birth Abroad provided by the1001United States Department of State;

10027.6. An unexpired employment authorization card issued by1003the United States Department of Homeland Security; or

1004 <u>8.7.</u> Proof of nonimmigrant classification provided by the 1005 United States Department of Homeland Security, for an original 1006 driver's license. In order to prove nonimmigrant classification, 1007 an applicant may produce the following documents, including, but 1008 not limited to:

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1009 a. A notice of hearing from an immigration court1010 scheduling a hearing on any proceeding.

b. A notice from the Board of Immigration Appealsacknowledging pendency of an appeal.

1013 c. A notice of the approval of an application for
1014 adjustment of status issued by the United States Bureau of
1015 Citizenship and Immigration Services.

d. Any official documentation confirming the filing of a
petition for asylum or refugee status or any other relief issued
by the United States Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration
Services.

e. A notice of action transferring any pending matter from
another jurisdiction to this state issued by the United States
Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services.

1023 f. An order of an immigration judge or immigration officer 1024 granting any relief that authorizes the alien to live and work 1025 in the United States, including, but not limited to, asylum.

1026 g. Evidence that an application is pending for adjustment 1027 of status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent 1028 residence in the United States or conditional permanent resident 1029 status in the United States, if a visa number is available 1030 having a current priority date for processing by the United 1031 States Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services.

h. On or after January 1, 2010, an unexpired foreign
passport with an unexpired United States Visa affixed,
accompanied by an approved I-94, documenting the most recent
admittance into the United States.

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Presentation of any of the documents in subparagraph 7. 6. or subparagraph 8. 7. entitles the applicant to a driver's license or temporary permit for a period not to exceed the expiration date of the document presented or 1 year, whichever occurs first.

(d) Whether the applicant has previously been licensed to drive, and, if so, when and by what state, and whether any such license or driving privilege has ever been disqualified, revoked, or suspended, or whether an application has ever been refused, and, if so, the date of and reason for such disqualification, suspension, revocation, or refusal.

1048 (e) Each such application may include fingerprints and1049 other unique biometric means of identity.

1050 (6) The application form for a driver's license or
1051 duplicate thereof shall include language permitting the
1052 following:

1053 (a) A voluntary contribution of \$5 per applicant, which
 1054 contribution shall be transferred into the Election Campaign
 1055 Financing Trust Fund.

1056 <u>(a) (b)</u> A voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant, which 1057 contribution shall be deposited into the Florida Organ and 1058 Tissue Donor Education and Procurement Trust Fund for organ and 1059 tissue donor education and for maintaining the organ and tissue 1060 donor registry.

1061 (b) (c) A voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant, which 1062 contribution shall be distributed to the Florida Council of the 1063 Blind.

1064 <u>(c) (d)</u> A voluntary contribution of \$2 per applicant, which Page 38 of 70

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1065 shall be distributed to the Hearing Research Institute, 1066 Incorporated.

1067 (d) (e) A voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant, which 1068 shall be distributed to the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation 1069 International.

1070 (e) (f) A voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant, which 1071 shall be distributed to the Children's Hearing Help Fund. 1072

1073 A statement providing an explanation of the purpose of the trust 1074 funds shall also be included. For the purpose of applying the 1075 service charge provided in s. 215.20, contributions received 1076 under paragraphs (b), (c), (d), and (e) (c), (d), (e), and (f) 1077 and under s. 322.18(9)(a) are not income of a revenue nature.

1078Section 27. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section1079322.14, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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322.14 Licenses issued to drivers.--

The department shall, upon successful completion of 1081 (1)(a) all required examinations and payment of the required fee, issue 1082 1083 to every applicant qualifying therefor, a driver's license as applied for, which license shall bear thereon a color photograph 1084 1085 or digital image of the licensee; the name of the state; a 1086 distinguishing number assigned to the licensee; and the 1087 licensee's full name, date of birth, and residence mailing address; a brief description of the licensee, including, but not 1088 limited to, the licensee's gender and height; and the dates of 1089 issuance and expiration of the license. A space shall be 1090 provided upon which the licensee shall affix his or her usual 1091 signature. No license shall be valid until it has been so signed 1092 Page 39 of 70

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by the licensee except that the signature of said licensee shall not be required if it appears thereon in facsimile or if the licensee is not present within the state at the time of issuance. Applicants qualifying to receive a Class A, Class B, or Class C driver's license must appear in person within the state for issuance of a color photographic or digital imaged driver's license pursuant to s. 322.142.

1100 Section 28. Section 322.15, Florida Statutes, is amended 1101 to read:

1102 322.15 License to be carried and exhibited on demand; 1103 fingerprint to be imprinted upon a citation.--

(1) Every licensee shall have his or her driver's license, which must be fully legible with no portion of such license faded, altered, mutilated, or defaced, in his or her immediate possession at all times when operating a motor vehicle and shall display the same upon the demand of a law enforcement officer or an authorized representative of the department.

(2) Upon the failure of any person to display a driver's
license as required by subsection (1), the law enforcement
officer or authorized representative of the department stopping
the person shall require the person to imprint his or her
<u>fingerprints fingerprint</u> upon any citation issued by the officer
or authorized representative, or the officer or authorized
representative shall collect the fingerprints electronically.

(3) In relation to violations of subsection (1) or s.
322.03(5), persons who cannot supply proof of a valid driver's
license for the reason that the license was suspended for
failure to comply with that citation shall be issued a

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1121 suspension clearance by the clerk of the court for that citation 1122 upon payment of the applicable penalty and fee for that 1123 citation. If proof of a valid driver's license is not provided 1124 to the clerk of the court within 30 days, the person's driver's 1125 license shall again be suspended for failure to comply.

(4) A violation of subsection (1) is a noncriminal traffic
infraction, punishable as a nonmoving violation as provided in
chapter 318.

1129 Section 29. Section 322.17, Florida Statutes, is amended 1130 to read:

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322.17 Duplicate and replacement certificates.--

In the event that an instruction permit or driver's 1132 (1)(a) license issued under the provisions of this chapter is lost or 1133 1134 destroyed, the person to whom the same was issued may, upon 1135 payment of the appropriate fee pursuant to s.  $322.21 \frac{$10}{$10}$ , obtain 1136 a replacement duplicate, or substitute thereof, upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that such permit or license 1137 has been lost or destroyed, and further furnishing the full 1138 1139 name, date of birth, sex, residence and mailing address, proof of birth satisfactory to the department, and proof of identity 1140 1141 satisfactory to the department. Five dollars of the fee levied in this paragraph shall go to the Highway Safety Operating Trust 1142 Fund of the department. 1143

(b) In the event that an instruction permit or driver's license issued under the provisions of this chapter is stolen, the person to whom the same was issued may, at no charge, obtain a <u>replacement</u> duplicate, or substitute thereof, upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that such permit or license Page 41 of 70

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1149 was stolen and further furnishing the full name, date of birth, 1150 sex, residence and mailing address, proof of birth satisfactory 1151 to the department, and proof of identity satisfactory to the 1152 department.

(2) Upon the surrender of the original license and the 1153 1154 payment of the appropriate fees pursuant to s. 322.21 a \$10 1155 replacement fee, the department shall issue a replacement license to make a change in name, address, or restrictions. Upon 1156 1157 written request by the licensee and notification of a change in address, and the payment of a \$10 fee, the department shall 1158 issue an address sticker which shall be affixed to the back of 1159 the license by the licensee. Nine dollars of the fee levied in 1160 1161 this subsection shall go to the Highway Safety Operating Trust 1162 Fund of the department.

(3) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter, if a licensee establishes his or her identity for a driver's license using an identification document authorized under s. 322.08(2)(c)<u>7.6.</u> or <u>8.7.</u>, the licensee may not obtain a duplicate or replacement instruction permit or driver's license except in person and upon submission of an identification document authorized under s. 322.08(2)(c)<u>7.6.</u> or <u>8.7.</u>

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 Section 30.
 Subsections (2), (4), (5), (8), and (9) of

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 section 322.18, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

1172 322.18 Original applications, licenses, and renewals; 1173 expiration of licenses; delinquent licenses.--

(2) Each applicant who is entitled to the issuance of a driver's license, as provided in this section, shall be issued a driver's license, as follows:

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1177 An applicant who has not attained 80 years of age (a) 1178 applying for an original issuance shall be issued a driver's 1179 license that which expires at midnight on the licensee's 1180 birthday which next occurs on or after the eighth sixth 1181 anniversary of the date of issue. An applicant who is at least 1182 80 years of age applying for an original issuance shall be 1183 issued a driver's license that expires at midnight on the licensee's birthday that next occurs on or after the sixth 1184 1185 anniversary of the date of issue.

An applicant who has not attained 80 years of age 1186 (b) 1187 applying for a renewal issuance or renewal extension shall be issued a driver's license that or renewal extension sticker 1188 which expires at midnight on the licensee's birthday that which 1189 1190 next occurs 8 4 years after the month of expiration of the license being renewed. An applicant who is at least 80 years of 1191 1192 age applying for a renewal issuance shall be issued a driver's license that, except that a driver whose driving record reflects 1193 no convictions for the preceding 3 years shall be issued a 1194 1195 driver's license or renewal extension sticker which expires at midnight on the licensee's birthday that which next occurs 6 1196 1197 years after the month of expiration of the license being 1198 renewed.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, if an applicant establishes his or her identity for a driver's license using a document authorized under s. 322.08(2)(c)5., the driver's license shall expire in accordance with paragraph (b). After an initial showing of such documentation, he or she is exempted from having to renew or obtain a duplicate in person.

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(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter,
if an applicant establishes his or her identity for a driver's
license using a document authorized in s. 322.08(2)(c)<u>7.6.</u> or
<u>8.7.</u>, the driver's license shall expire <u>1 year</u> <del>2 years</del> after the
date of issuance or upon the expiration date cited on the United
States Department of Homeland Security documents, whichever date
first occurs.

(e) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, an applicant applying for an original or renewal issuance of a commercial driver's license as defined in s. 322.01(7), with a hazardous-materials endorsement, pursuant to s. 322.57(1)(e), shall be issued a driver's license that expires at midnight on the licensee's birthday that next occurs 4 years after the month of expiration of the license being issued or renewed.

(4) (a) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, all
licenses shall be renewable every <u>8</u> 4 years or 6 years,
depending upon the terms of issuance and shall be issued or
<u>renewed</u> extended upon application, payment of the fees required
by s. 322.21, and successful passage of any required
examination, unless the department has reason to believe that
the licensee is no longer qualified to receive a license.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, if an applicant establishes his or her identity for a driver's license using a document authorized under s. 322.08(2)(c)5., the license, upon an initial showing of such documentation, is exempted from having to renew or obtain a duplicate in person, unless the renewal or duplication coincides with the periodic reexamination of a driver as required pursuant to s. 322.121.

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1233 Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, (C) 1234 if a licensee establishes his or her identity for a driver's 1235 license using an identification document authorized under s. 1236 322.08(2)(c)7.6 or 8.7, the licensee may not renew the 1237 driver's license except in person and upon submission of an identification document authorized under s. 322.08(2)(c)7.6. or 1238 1239 8.7. A driver's license renewed under this paragraph expires 1 year 4 years after the date of issuance or upon the expiration 1240 1241 date cited on the United States Department of Homeland Security 1242 documents, whichever date first occurs.

1243 (5) All renewal driver's licenses may be issued after the
1244 applicant licensee has been determined to be eligible by the
1245 department.

1246 (a) A licensee who is otherwise eligible for renewal and1247 who is at least 80 over 79 years of age:

1248 1. Must submit to and pass a vision test administered at 1249 any driver's license office; or

1250 If the licensee applies for a renewal using a 2. 1251 convenience service an extension by mail as provided in subsection (8), he or she must submit to a vision test 1252 1253 administered by a physician licensed under chapter 458 or 1254 chapter 459, or an optometrist licensed under chapter 463, must send the results of that test to the department on a form 1255 1256 obtained from the department and signed by such health care practitioner, and must meet vision standards that are equivalent 1257 1258 to the standards for passing the departmental vision test. The physician or optometrist may submit the results of a vision test 1259 by a department-approved electronic means. 1260

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(b) A licensee who is <u>at least 80</u> over 79 years of age may
not submit an application for <u>renewal</u> extension under subsection
(8) by <u>a convenience service</u> electronic or telephonic means,
unless the results of a vision test have been electronically
submitted in advance by the physician or optometrist.

1266 (8) The department shall issue <u>8-year renewals using a</u> 1267 <u>convenience service</u> <u>4 year and 6 year license extensions by</u> 1268 <u>mail, electronic, or telephonic means</u> without reexamination <u>to</u> 1269 <u>drivers who have not attained 80 years of age. The department</u> 1270 <u>shall issue 6-year renewals using a convenience service when the</u> 1271 <u>applicant has satisfied the requirements of subsection (5)</u>.

1272 If the department determines from its records that the (a) holder of a license about to expire is eligible for renewal, the 1273 1274 department shall mail a renewal notice to the licensee at his or 1275 her last known address, not less than 30 days prior to the 1276 licensee's birthday. The renewal notice shall direct the 1277 licensee to appear at a driver license office for in-person 1278 renewal or to transmit the completed renewal notice and the fees 1279 required by s. 322.21 to the department using a convenience service by mail, electronically, or telephonically within the 30 1280 1281 days preceding the licensee's birthday for a license extension. 1282 License extensions shall not be available to drivers directed to 1283 appear for in person renewal.

(b) Upon receipt of a properly completed renewal notice,
payment of the required fees, and upon determining that the
licensee is still eligible for renewal, the department shall
send a <u>new</u> license extension sticker to the licensee to affix to
the expiring license as evidence that the license term has been
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1289 extended.

1290 (C) The department shall issue one renewal using a 1291 convenience service license extensions for two consecutive 1292 license expirations only. Upon expiration of two consecutive license extension periods, in-person renewal with reexamination 1293 as provided in s. 322.121 shall be required. A person who is out 1294 1295 of this state when his or her license expires may be issued a 90-day temporary driving permit without reexamination. At the 1296 1297 end of the 90-day period, the person must either return to this 1298 state or apply for a license where the person is located, except 1299 for a member of the Armed Forces as provided in s. 322.121(6).

1300 (d) In person renewal at a driver license office shall not
1301 be available to drivers whose records indicate they were
1302 directed to apply for a license extension.

1303 <u>(d) (e)</u> Any person who knowingly possesses any forged, 1304 stolen, fictitious, counterfeit, or unlawfully issued license 1305 extension sticker, unless possession by such person has been 1306 duly authorized by the department, commits a misdemeanor of the 1307 second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 1308 775.083.

1309 (e) (f) The department shall develop a plan for the
1310 equitable distribution of license extensions and renewals and
1311 the orderly implementation of this section.

(9) (a) The application form for a renewal issuance or renewal extension shall include language permitting a voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant, to be quarterly distributed by the department to Prevent Blindness Florida, a not-for-profit organization, to prevent blindness and preserve the sight of the Page 47 of 70

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1317 residents of this state. A statement providing an explanation of 1318 the purpose of the funds shall be included with the application 1319 form.

(b) Prior to the department distributing the funds
collected pursuant to paragraph (a), Prevent Blindness Florida
must submit a report to the department that identifies how such
funds were used during the preceding year.

Section 31. Subsection (4) of section 322.181, Florida
Statutes, is repealed.

Section 32. Subsections (2) and (4) of section 322.19,Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

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322.19 Change of address or name. --

(2) Whenever any person, after applying for or receiving a
driver's license, changes the residence or mailing address in
the application or license, the person must, within 10 calendar
days, either obtain a replacement license that reflects the
change or request in writing a change of address sticker. <u>A</u> The
written request to the department must include the old and new
addresses and the driver's license number.

(4) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter,
if a licensee established his or her identity for a driver's
license using an identification document authorized under s.
322.08(2)(c)<u>7.6.</u> or <u>8.7.</u>, the licensee may not change his or her
name or address except in person and upon submission of an
identification document authorized under s. 322.08(2)(c)<u>7.6.</u> or
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1343 Section 33. Subsection (1) of section 322.21, Florida1344 Statutes, is amended to read:

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1345 322.21 License fees; procedure for handling and collecting 1346 fees.--

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(1) Except as otherwise provided herein, the fee for:

(a) 1348 An original or renewal commercial driver's license is \$67 <del>\$50</del>, which shall include the fee for driver education 1349 provided by s. 1003.48; however, if an applicant has completed 1350 1351 training and is applying for employment or is currently employed in a public or nonpublic school system that requires the 1352 1353 commercial license, the fee shall be the same as for a Class E 1354 driver's license. A delinquent fee of \$1 shall be added for a 1355 renewal made not more than 12 months after the license 1356 expiration date.

(b) An original Class E driver's license is \$27 \$20, which
shall include the fee for driver's education provided by s.
1003.48; however, if an applicant has completed training and is
applying for employment or is currently employed in a public or
nonpublic school system that requires a commercial driver
license, the fee shall be the same as for a Class E license.

(c) The renewal or extension of a Class E driver's license
or of a license restricted to motorcycle use only is <u>\$20</u> <del>\$15</del>,
except that a delinquent fee of \$1 shall be added for a renewal
or extension made not more than 12 months after the license
expiration date. The fee provided in this paragraph shall
include the fee for driver's education provided by s. 1003.48.

(d) An original driver's license restricted to motorcycle
use only is \$27 \$20, which shall include the fee for driver's
education provided by s. 1003.48.

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(e) A replacement driver's license issued pursuant to s.

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1373	322.17 is \$10. Of this amount \$7 shall be deposited into the
1374	Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund and \$3 shall be deposited
1375	into the General Revenue Fund.
1376	(f) An original, renewal, or replacement identification
1377	card issued pursuant to s. 322.051 is \$10. Funds collected from
1378	these fees shall be distributed as follows:
1379	1. For an original identification card issued pursuant to
1380	s. 322.051 the fee shall be \$10. This amount shall be deposited
1381	into the General Revenue Fund.
1382	2. For a renewal identification card issued pursuant to s.
1383	322.051 the fee shall be \$10. Of this amount, \$6 shall be
1384	deposited into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund and \$4
1385	shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.
1386	3. For a replacement identification card issued pursuant
1387	to s. 322.051 the fee shall be \$10. Of this amount, \$9 shall be
1388	deposited into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund and \$1
1389	shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.
1390	<u>(g)</u> Each endorsement required by s. 322.57 is $\frac{57}{5}$ .
1391	(h) (f) A hazardous-materials endorsement, as required by
1392	s. 322.57(1)(d), shall be set by the department by rule and
1393	shall reflect the cost of the required criminal history check,
1394	including the cost of the state and federal fingerprint check,
1395	and the cost to the department of providing and issuing the
1396	license. The fee shall not exceed \$100. This fee shall be
1397	deposited in the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund. The
1398	department may adopt rules to administer this section.
1399	Section 34. Subsection (3) of section 322.2715, Florida
1400	Statutes is amended to read:
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322.2715 Ignition interlock device.--

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(3) If the person is convicted of:

A first offense of driving under the influence under 1403 (a) 1404 s. 316.193 and has an unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-1405 alcohol level as specified in s. 316.193(4), or if a person is convicted of a violation of s. 316.193 and was at the time of 1406 1407 the offense accompanied in the vehicle by a person younger than 18 years of age, the person shall have the ignition interlock 1408 1409 device installed for 6 continuous months for the first offense 1410 and for at least 2 continuous years for a second offense.

(b) A second offense of driving under the influence, the
ignition interlock device shall be installed for a period of not
less than 1 continuous year.

1414 (c) A third offense of driving under the influence which 1415 occurs within 10 years after a prior conviction for a violation 1416 of s.316.193, the ignition interlock device shall be installed 1417 for a period of not less than 2 continuous years.

(d) A third offense of driving under the influence which
occurs more than 10 years after the date of a prior conviction,
the ignition interlock device shall be installed for a period of
not less than 2 <u>continuous</u> years.

1422Section 35.Section 322.291, Florida Statutes is amended1423to read:

1424 322.291 Driver improvement schools or DUI programs; 1425 required in certain suspension and revocation cases.--Except as 1426 provided in s. 322.03(2), any person:

1427 (1) Whose driving privilege has been revoked:

1428 (a) Upon conviction for:

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1429 1. Driving, or being in actual physical control of, any 1430 vehicle while under the influence of alcoholic beverages, any 1431 chemical substance set forth in s. 877.111, or any substance 1432 controlled under chapter 893, in violation of s. 316.193;

1433 2. Driving with an unlawful blood- or breath-alcohol 1434 level;

1435 3. Manslaughter resulting from the operation of a motor1436 vehicle;

1437 4. Failure to stop and render aid as required under the
1438 laws of this state in the event of a motor vehicle crash
1439 resulting in the death or personal injury of another;

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5. Reckless driving; or

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(b) As a an habitual offender;

(c) Upon direction of the court, if the court feels that the seriousness of the offense and the circumstances surrounding the conviction warrant the revocation of the licensee's driving privilege; or

Whose license was suspended under the point system, 1446 (2)1447 was suspended for driving with an unlawful blood-alcohol level of 0.10 percent or higher before January 1, 1994, was suspended 1448 1449 for driving with an unlawful blood-alcohol level of 0.08 percent or higher after December 31, 1993, was suspended for a violation 1450 of s. 316.193(1), or was suspended for refusing to submit to a 1451 1452 lawful breath, blood, or urine test as provided in s. 322.2615 1453 shall, before the driving privilege may be reinstated, present 1454

1454 shall, before the driving privilege may be reinstated, present 1455 to the department proof of enrollment in a department-approved 1456 advanced driver improvement course operating pursuant to s.

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1457 318.1451 or a substance abuse education course conducted by a DUI program licensed pursuant to s. 322.292, which shall include 1458 1459 a psychosocial evaluation and treatment, if referred. 1460 Additionally, for a third or subsequent violation of 1461 requirements for installation of an ignition interlock device, a 1462 person must complete treatment as determined by a licensed 1463 treatment agency following a referral by a DUI program and have the duration of the ignition interlock device requirement 1464 1465 extended by at least 1 month up to the time period required to 1466 complete treatment. If the person fails to complete such course 1467 or evaluation within 90 days after reinstatement, or subsequently fails to complete treatment, if referred, the DUI 1468 1469 program shall notify the department of the failure. Upon receipt of the notice, the department shall cancel the offender's 1470 1471 driving privilege, notwithstanding the expiration of the 1472 suspension or revocation of the driving privilege. The department may temporarily reinstate the driving privilege upon 1473 verification from the DUI program that the offender has 1474 1475 completed the education course and evaluation requirement and has reentered and is currently participating in treatment. If 1476 1477 the DUI program notifies the department of the second failure to complete treatment, the department shall reinstate the driving 1478 privilege only after notice of completion of treatment from the 1479 1480 DUI program. Section 36. Section 322.36, Florida Statutes, is amended 1481 1482 to read: 322.36 Permitting unauthorized operator to drive.--A No 1483

1484 person <u>may not</u> <del>shall</del> authorize or knowingly permit a motor

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1485 vehicle owned by him or her or under his or her dominion or 1486 control to be operated upon any highway or public street except by a person who is persons duly authorized to operate a motor 1487 1488 vehicle vehicles under the provisions of this chapter. Any person who violates violating this section commits provision is 1489 quilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as 1490 1491 provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. If a person violates this section by knowingly loaning a vehicle to a person whose 1492 1493 driver's license is suspended and if that vehicle is involved in 1494 an accident resulting in bodily injury or death, the driver's 1495 license of the person violating this section shall be suspended 1496 for 1 year.

Section 37. Section 322.60, Florida Statutes, is repealed.
Section 38. Subsections (1) through (6) of section 322.61,
Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

1500 322.61 Disqualification from operating a commercial motor 1501 vehicle.--

1502 A person who, for offenses occurring within a 3-year (1) 1503 period, is convicted of two of the following serious traffic violations or any combination thereof, arising in separate 1504 incidents committed in a commercial motor vehicle shall, in 1505 1506 addition to any other applicable penalties, be disqualified from 1507 operating a commercial motor vehicle for a period of 60 days. A 1508 holder of a commercial driver's license person who, for offenses occurring within a 3-year period, is convicted of two of the 1509 following serious traffic violations, or any combination 1510 thereof, arising in separate incidents committed in a 1511 1512 noncommercial motor vehicle shall, in addition to any other Page 54 of 70

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1513 applicable penalties, be disqualified from operating a 1514 commercial motor vehicle for a period of 60 days if such 1515 convictions result in the suspension, revocation, or 1516 cancellation of the licenseholder's driving privilege:

(a) A violation of any state or local law relating to motor vehicle traffic control, other than a parking violation, a weight violation, or a vehicle equipment violation, arising in connection with a crash resulting in death or personal injury to any person;

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(b) Reckless driving, as defined in s. 316.192;

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(c) Careless driving, as defined in s. 316.1925;

(d) Fleeing or attempting to elude a law enforcementofficer, as defined in s. 316.1935;

(e) Unlawful speed of 15 miles per hour or more above theposted speed limit;

1528 (f) Driving a commercial motor vehicle, owned by such 1529 person, which is not properly insured;

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(g) Improper lane change, as defined in s. 316.085;

(h) Following too closely, as defined in s. 316.0895;

1532 (i) Driving a commercial vehicle without obtaining a1533 commercial driver's license;

1534 (j) Driving a commercial vehicle without the proper class 1535 of commercial driver's license or without the proper 1536 endorsement; or

(k) Driving a commercial vehicle without a commercial driver's license in possession, as required by s. 322.03. Any individual who provides proof to the clerk of the court or designated official in the jurisdiction where the citation was Page 55 of 70

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1541 issued, by the date the individual must appear in court or pay 1542 any fine for such a violation, that the individual held a valid 1543 commercial driver's license on the date the citation was issued 1544 is not guilty of this offense.

(2) (a) Any person who, for offenses occurring within a 3-1545 1546 year period, is convicted of three serious traffic violations 1547 specified in subsection (1) or any combination thereof, arising in separate incidents committed in a commercial motor vehicle 1548 1549 shall, in addition to any other applicable penalties, including but not limited to the penalty provided in subsection (1), be 1550 1551 disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle for a 1552 period of 120 days.

A holder of a commercial driver's license person who, 1553 (b) for offenses occurring within a 3-year period, is convicted of 1554 1555 three serious traffic violations specified in subsection (1) or 1556 any combination thereof arising in separate incidents committed in a noncommercial motor vehicle shall, in addition to any other 1557 1558 applicable penalties, including, but not limited to, the penalty 1559 provided in subsection (1), be disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle for a period of 120 days if such 1560 1561 convictions result in the suspension, revocation, or 1562 cancellation of the licenseholder's driving privilege.

(3) (a) Except as provided in subsection (4), any person who is convicted of one of the following offenses <u>listed in</u> <u>paragraph (b) while operating a commercial motor vehicle</u> shall, in addition to any other applicable penalties, be disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle for a period of 1 year:

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1500	(b) Except of provided in subsection (4) any helder of a
1569	(b) Except as provided in subsection (4), any holder of a
1570	commercial driver's license who is convicted of one of the
1571	offenses listed in this paragraph while operating a
1572	noncommercial motor vehicle shall, in addition to any other
1573	applicable penalties, be disqualified from operating a
1574	commercial motor vehicle for a period of 1 year:
1575	<u>1.(a)</u> Driving a <del>commercial</del> motor vehicle while he or she
1576	is under the influence of alcohol or a controlled substance;
1577	<u>2.(b)</u> Driving a commercial motor vehicle while the alcohol
1578	concentration of his or her blood, breath, or urine is .04
1579	percent or higher;
1580	<u>3.(c)</u> Leaving the scene of a crash involving a <del>commercial</del>
1581	motor vehicle driven by such person;
1582	<u>4.(d)</u> Using a <del>commercial</del> motor vehicle in the commission
1583	of a felony;
1584	5.(e) Driving a commercial motor vehicle while in
1585	possession of a controlled substance;
1586	<u>6.(f)</u> Refusing to submit to a test to determine his or her
1587	alcohol concentration while driving a commercial motor vehicle;
1588	<u>7.(g)</u> Driving a commercial vehicle while the
1589	licenseholder's commercial driver's license is suspended,
1590	revoked, or canceled or while the licenseholder is disqualified
1591	from driving a commercial vehicle; or
1592	<u>8.(h)</u> Causing a fatality through the negligent operation
1593	of a commercial motor vehicle.
1594	(4) Any person who is transporting hazardous materials as
1595	defined in s. 322.01(24) in a vehicle that is required to be
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shall, upon conviction of an offense specified in subsection
(3), be disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle
for a period of 3 years. The penalty provided in this subsection
shall be in addition to any other applicable penalty.

1601 Any person who is convicted of two violations (5) specified in subsection (3) which were committed while operating 1602 1603 a commercial motor vehicle, or any combination thereof, arising in separate incidents shall be permanently disqualified from 1604 operating a commercial motor vehicle. Any holder of a commercial 1605 driver's license who is convicted of two violations specified in 1606 1607 subsection (3) which were committed while operating a 1608 noncommercial motor vehicle, or any combination thereof, arising in separate incidents shall be permanently disqualified from 1609 1610 operating a commercial motor vehicle. The penalty provided in 1611 this subsection is shall be in addition to any other applicable 1612 penalty.

Notwithstanding subsections (3), (4), and (5), any 1613 (6) person who uses a commercial motor vehicle in the commission of 1614 1615 any felony involving the manufacture, distribution, or dispensing of a controlled substance, including possession with 1616 1617 intent to manufacture, distribute, or dispense a controlled 1618 substance, shall, upon conviction of such felony, be permanently 1619 disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle. Notwithstanding subsections (3), (4), and (5), any holder of a 1620 commercial driver's license who uses a noncommercial motor 1621 vehicle in the commission of any felony involving the 1622 manufacture, distribution, or dispensing of a controlled 1623 substance, including possession with intent to manufacture, 1624

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1625 <u>distribute, or dispense a controlled substance, shall, upon</u> 1626 <u>conviction of such felony, be permanently disqualified from</u> 1627 <u>operating a commercial motor vehicle.</u> The penalty provided in 1628 this subsection <u>is shall be</u> in addition to any other applicable 1629 penalty.

1630 Section 39. Section 322.64, Florida Statutes, is amended 1631 to read:

1632 322.64 Holder of commercial driver's license; <u>persons</u> 1633 <u>operating a commercial motor vehicle;</u> driving with unlawful 1634 blood-alcohol level; refusal to submit to breath, urine, or 1635 blood test.--

(1) (a) A law enforcement officer or correctional officer 1636 1637 shall, on behalf of the department, disqualify from operating 1638 any commercial motor vehicle a person who while operating or in actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle is 1639 1640 arrested for a violation of s. 316.193, relating to unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level, or a person who has 1641 1642 refused to submit to a breath, urine, or blood test authorized 1643 by s. 322.63 arising out of the operation or actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle. A law enforcement officer 1644 1645 or correctional officer shall, on behalf of the department, 1646 disqualify the holder of a commercial driver's license from operating any commercial motor vehicle if the licenseholder, 1647 1648 while operating or in actual physical control of a motor vehicle, is arrested for a violation of s. 316.193, relating to 1649 1650 unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level, or refused to submit to a breath, urine, or blood test authorized by s. 1651 322.63. Upon disqualification of the person, the officer shall 1652

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1653 take the person's driver's license and issue the person a 10-day 1654 temporary permit for the operation of noncommercial vehicles 1655 only if the person is otherwise eligible for the driving 1656 privilege and shall issue the person a notice of 1657 disqualification. If the person has been given a blood, breath, or urine test, the results of which are not available to the 1658 1659 officer at the time of the arrest, the agency employing the officer shall transmit such results to the department within 5 1660 1661 days after receipt of the results. If the department then 1662 determines that the person was arrested for a violation of s. 1663 316.193 and that the person had a blood-alcohol level or breath-1664 alcohol level of 0.08 or higher, the department shall disqualify 1665 the person from operating a commercial motor vehicle pursuant to 1666 subsection (3).

(b) The disqualification under paragraph (a) shall be
pursuant to, and the notice of disqualification shall inform the
driver of, the following:

1670 1.a. The driver refused to submit to a lawful breath, 1671 blood, or urine test and he or she is disqualified from 1672 operating a commercial motor vehicle for a period of 1 year, for 1673 a first refusal, or permanently, if he or she has previously 1674 been disqualified as a result of a refusal to submit to such a 1675 test; or

b. The driver was driving or in actual physical control of
a commercial motor vehicle, or any motor vehicle if the driver
holds a commercial driver's license, had an unlawful bloodalcohol level or breath-alcohol level of 0.08 or higher, and his
or her driving privilege shall be disqualified for a period of 1

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1681 year for a first offense or permanently disqualified if his or her driving privilege has been previously disqualified under 1682 1683 this section. violated s. 316.193 by driving with an unlawful 1684 blood alcohol level and he or she is disqualified from operating 1685 a commercial motor vehicle for a period of 6 months for a first offense or for a period of 1 year if he or she has previously 1686 1687 been disqualified, or his or her driving privilege has been previously suspended, for a violation of s. 316.193. 1688 1689 2. The disqualification period for operating commercial 1690 vehicles shall commence on the date of arrest or issuance of the 1691 notice of disqualification, whichever is later. The driver may request a formal or informal review of 1692 3. the disqualification by the department within 10 days after the 1693 1694 date of arrest or issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is later. 1695 1696 4. The temporary permit issued at the time of arrest or disqualification expires will expire at midnight of the 10th day 1697 1698 following the date of disgualification. 1699 5. The driver may submit to the department any materials relevant to the disqualification arrest. 1700 1701 Except as provided in paragraph (1)(a), the law (2)1702 enforcement officer shall forward to the department, within 5 1703 days after the date of the arrest or the issuance of the notice 1704 of disqualification, whichever is later, a copy of the notice of disqualification, the driver's license of the person 1705 1706 disqualified arrested, and a report of the arrest, including, if applicable, an affidavit stating the officer's grounds for 1707 1708 belief that the person disqualified arrested was operating or in Page 61 of 70

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1709 actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or holds a commercial driver's license, and had an unlawful blood-alcohol 1710 1711 or breath-alcohol level in violation of s. 316.193; the results 1712 of any breath or blood or urine test or an affidavit stating that a breath, blood, or urine test was requested by a law 1713 enforcement officer or correctional officer and that the person 1714 1715 arrested refused to submit; a copy of the notice of disqualification citation issued to the person arrested; and the 1716 1717 officer's description of the person's field sobriety test, if any. The failure of the officer to submit materials within the 1718 1719 5-day period specified in this subsection or subsection (1) does shall not affect the department's ability to consider any 1720 evidence submitted at or prior to the hearing. The officer may 1721 1722 also submit a copy of a videotape of the field sobriety test or 1723 the attempt to administer such test and a copy of the crash 1724 report, if any.

If the department determines that the person arrested 1725 (3) should be disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle 1726 1727 pursuant to this section and if the notice of disqualification has not already been served upon the person by a law enforcement 1728 1729 officer or correctional officer as provided in subsection (1), the department shall issue a notice of disqualification and, 1730 unless the notice is mailed pursuant to s. 322.251, a temporary 1731 permit which expires 10 days after the date of issuance if the 1732 driver is otherwise eligible. 1733

(4) If the person <u>disqualified</u> arrested requests an informal review pursuant to subparagraph (1)(b)3., the department shall conduct the informal review by a hearing Page 62 of 70

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officer employed by the department. Such informal review hearing shall consist solely of an examination by the department of the materials submitted by a law enforcement officer or correctional officer and by the person <u>disqualified</u> arrested, and the presence of an officer or witness is not required.

After completion of the informal review, notice of the 1742 (5) 1743 department's decision sustaining, amending, or invalidating the disqualification must be provided to the person. Such notice 1744 1745 must be mailed to the person at the last known address shown on 1746 the department's records, and to the address provided in the law 1747 enforcement officer's report if such address differs from the address of record, within 21 days after the expiration of the 1748 1749 temporary permit issued pursuant to subsection (1) or subsection 1750 (3).

(6) (a) If the person <u>disqualified</u> arrested requests a formal review, the department must schedule a hearing to be held within 30 days after such request is received by the department and must notify the person of the date, time, and place of the hearing.

Such formal review hearing shall be held before a 1756 (b) 1757 hearing officer employed by the department, and the hearing officer shall be authorized to administer oaths, examine 1758 1759 witnesses and take testimony, receive relevant evidence, issue subpoenas for the officers and witnesses identified in documents 1760 as provided in subsection (2), regulate the course and conduct 1761 of the hearing, and make a ruling on the disqualification. The 1762 department and the person disqualified arrested may subpoena 1763 1764 witnesses, and the party requesting the presence of a witness Page 63 of 70

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1765 shall be responsible for the payment of any witness fees. If the 1766 person who requests a formal review hearing fails to appear and 1767 the hearing officer finds such failure to be without just cause, 1768 the right to a formal hearing is waived and the department shall 1769 conduct an informal review of the disqualification under 1770 subsection (4).

(c) A party may seek enforcement of a subpoena under paragraph (b) by filing a petition for enforcement in the circuit court of the judicial circuit in which the person failing to comply with the subpoena resides. A failure to comply with an order of the court shall result in a finding of contempt of court. However, a person shall not be in contempt while a subpoena is being challenged.

(d) The department must, within 7 days after a formal
review hearing, send notice to the person of the hearing
officer's decision as to whether sufficient cause exists to
sustain, amend, or invalidate the disqualification.

(7) In a formal review hearing under subsection (6) or an
informal review hearing under subsection (4), the hearing
officer shall determine by a preponderance of the evidence
whether sufficient cause exists to sustain, amend, or invalidate
the disqualification. The scope of the review shall be limited
to the following issues:

(a) If the person was disqualified from operating a
commercial motor vehicle for driving with an unlawful bloodalcohol level in violation of s. 316.193:

1791 1. Whether the arresting law enforcement officer had 1792 probable cause to believe that the person was driving or in Page 64 of 70

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1793 actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any 1794 motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial driver's license, 1795 in this state while he or she had any alcohol, chemical 1796 substances, or controlled substances in his or her body.

1797 2. Whether the person was placed under lawful arrest for a
1798 violation of s. 316.193.

1799 <u>2.3.</u> Whether the person had an unlawful blood-alcohol 1800 level <u>or breath-alcohol level of 0.08 or higher</u> as provided in 1801 <del>s. 316.193</del>.

(b) If the person was disqualified from operating a
commercial motor vehicle for refusal to submit to a breath,
blood, or urine test:

1805 1. Whether the law enforcement officer had probable cause 1806 to believe that the person was driving or in actual physical 1807 control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any motor vehicle if 1808 <u>the driver holds a commercial driver's license</u>, in this state 1809 while he or she had any alcohol, chemical substances, or 1810 controlled substances in his or her body.

1811 2. Whether the person refused to submit to the test after
1812 being requested to do so by a law enforcement officer or
1813 correctional officer.

1814 3. Whether the person was told that if he or she refused 1815 to submit to such test he or she would be disqualified from 1816 operating a commercial motor vehicle for a period of 1 year or, 1817 in the case of a second refusal, permanently.

1818 (8) Based on the determination of the hearing officer 1819 pursuant to subsection (7) for both informal hearings under 1820 subsection (4) and formal hearings under subsection (6), the Page 65 of 70

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1821 department shall:

1822 (a) Sustain the disqualification for a period of 1 year 1823 for a first refusal, or permanently if such person has been previously disgualified from operating a commercial motor 1824 1825 vehicle as a result of a refusal to submit to such tests. The 1826 disgualification period commences on the date of the arrest or 1827 issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is later. 1828 (b) Sustain the disqualification:

1829 <u>1.</u> For a period of <u>1 year if the person was driving or in</u>
1830 <u>actual physical control of a commercial motor vehicle, or any</u>
1831 <u>motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial driver's license,</u>
1832 <u>and had an unlawful blood-alcohol level or breath-alcohol level</u>
1833 <u>of 0.08 or higher; or 6 months for a violation of s. 316.193 or</u>
1834 <u>for a period of 1 year</u>

1835 2. Permanently if the person has been previously 1836 disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle or his or her driving privilege has been previously suspended for driving 1837 or being in actual physical control of a commercial motor 1838 1839 vehicle, or any motor vehicle if the driver holds a commercial 1840 driver's license, and had an unlawful blood-alcohol level or 1841 breath-alcohol level of 0.08 or higher as a result of a 1842 violation of s. 316.193.

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1844 The disqualification period commences on the date of the arrest 1845 or issuance of the notice of disqualification, whichever is 1846 later.

(9) A request for a formal review hearing or an informal
review hearing shall not stay the disqualification. If the

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1849 department fails to schedule the formal review hearing to be 1850 held within 30 days after receipt of the request therefor, the 1851 department shall invalidate the disqualification. If the 1852 scheduled hearing is continued at the department's initiative, 1853 the department shall issue a temporary driving permit limited to 1854 noncommercial vehicles which is shall be valid until the hearing 1855 is conducted if the person is otherwise eliqible for the driving privilege. Such permit shall not be issued to a person who 1856 1857 sought and obtained a continuance of the hearing. The permit 1858 issued under this subsection shall authorize driving for 1859 business purposes or employment use only.

(10) A person who is disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle under subsection (1) or subsection (3) is eligible for issuance of a license for business or employment purposes only under s. 322.271 if the person is otherwise eligible for the driving privilege. However, such business or employment purposes license shall not authorize the driver to operate a commercial motor vehicle.

(11) The formal review hearing may be conducted upon a review of the reports of a law enforcement officer or a correctional officer, including documents relating to the administration of a breath test or blood test or the refusal to take either test. However, as provided in subsection (6), the driver may subpoena the officer or any person who administered or analyzed a breath or blood test.

1874 (12) The formal review hearing and the informal review
1875 hearing are exempt from the provisions of chapter 120. The
1876 department is authorized to adopt rules for the conduct of

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1877 reviews under this section.

A person may appeal any decision of the department 1878 (13)sustaining the disqualification from operating a commercial 1879 motor vehicle by a petition for writ of certiorari to the 1880 1881 circuit court in the county wherein such person resides or wherein a formal or informal review was conducted pursuant to s. 1882 1883 322.31. However, an appeal shall not stay the disqualification. This subsection shall not be construed to provide for a de novo 1884 1885 appeal.

1886 The decision of the department under this section (14)1887 shall not be considered in any trial for a violation of s. 316.193, s. 322.61, or s. 322.62, nor shall any written 1888 1889 statement submitted by a person in his or her request for 1890 departmental review under this section be admissible into 1891 evidence against him or her in any such trial. The disposition 1892 of any related criminal proceedings shall not affect a disgualification imposed pursuant to this section. 1893

(15) This section does not preclude the suspension of the driving privilege pursuant to s. 322.2615. The driving privilege of a person who has been disqualified from operating a commercial motor vehicle also may be suspended for a violation of s. 316.193.

1899 Section 40. Subsection (10) of section 324.021, Florida1900 Statutes, is amended to read:

1901 324.021 Definitions; minimum insurance required.--The 1902 following words and phrases when used in this chapter shall, for 1903 the purpose of this chapter, have the meanings respectively 1904 ascribed to them in this section, except in those instances

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where the context clearly indicates a different meaning: 1905 1906 (10)JUDGMENT. -- Any judgment becoming which shall have become final by expiration without appeal of the time within 1907 1908 which an appeal might have been perfected, or by final 1909 affirmation on appeal, rendered by a court of competent 1910 jurisdiction of any state or of the United States upon a cause 1911 of action arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of any motor vehicle for damages, including damages for care and 1912 1913 loss of services because of bodily injury to or death of any 1914 person, or for damages because of injury to or destruction of 1915 property, including the loss of use thereof, or upon a cause of 1916 action on an agreement of settlement for such damage. 1917 Section 41. Subsection (19) of section 501.976, Florida 1918 Statutes, is amended to read:

1919 501.976 Actionable, unfair, or deceptive acts or
1920 practices.--It is an unfair or deceptive act or practice,
1921 actionable under the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade
1922 Practices Act, for a dealer to:

(19) Fail to disclose damage to a new motor vehicle, as defined in s. 319.001(9)(8), of which the dealer had actual knowledge, if the dealer's actual cost of repairs exceeds the threshold amount, excluding replacement items.

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In any civil litigation resulting from a violation of this section, when evaluating the reasonableness of an award of attorney's fees to a private person, the trial court shall consider the amount of actual damages in relation to the time spent.

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1933	Section 42. Effective July 1, 2008, except for specialty
1934	license plates approved before or during the 2008 Legislative
1935	session, the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles may
1936	not issue any new specialty license plates pursuant to ss.
1937	320.08056 and 320.08058, Florida Statutes, between July 1, 2008,
1938	and July 1, 2011.
1939	Section 43. Joseph P. Bertrand Building designated;
1940	Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to erect
1941	suitable markers
1942	(1) The Regional Transportation Management Center in the
1943	City of Fort Myers in Lee County is designated the "Joseph P.
1944	Bertrand Building."
1945	(2) The Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles is
1946	directed to erect suitable markers designating the "Joseph P.
1947	Bertrand Building" as described in subsection (1).
1948	Section 44. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this
1949	act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon
1950	this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect October 1,
1951	2008.

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