

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 133

Sponsor: SENATOR CORMAN

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 5 through 11, by striking out all
2 of said lines and inserting
3 Providing for participation in the REAL ID Act of 2005, for
4 compliance by residents of this Commonwealth, for reports to
5 General Assembly and for publication; and repealing the REAL
6 ID Nonparticipation Act.

7 Amend Bill, page 3, lines 27 through 30; pages 4 through 6,
8 lines 1 through 30; page 7, lines 1 through 22; by striking out
9 all of said lines on said pages and inserting

10 Section 1. Short title.

11 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Pennsylvania
12 REAL ID Compliance Act.

13 Section 2. Definitions.

14 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall
15 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
16 context clearly indicates otherwise:

17 "Department." The Department of Transportation of the
18 Commonwealth.

19 "Eligible applicant." An individual who is a resident of
20 this Commonwealth and who is eligible to obtain a photo
21 identification card or driver's license under 75 Pa.C.S. Ch. 15
22 (relating to licensing of drivers) or 16 (relating to commercial
23 drivers).

24 "REAL ID." A photo identification card or driver's license
25 issued by the department under 75 Pa.C.S. Ch. 15 or 16 that
26 complies with the REAL ID Act of 2005.

27 "REAL ID Act of 2005." Division B of the Emergency
28 Supplemental Appropriations Act for Defense, the Global War on
29 Terror and Tsunami Relief, 2005 (Public Law 109-13, 119 Stat.
30 302).

31 "Standard-issued driver's license or photo identification
32 card." A driver's license or photo identification card issued
33 by the department under 75 Pa.C.S. Ch. 15 or 16 that does not
34 meet the requirements of the REAL ID Act of 2005.

35 Section 3. Participation in the REAL ID Act of 2005.

1 The department and any other Commonwealth agency shall comply
2 with the REAL ID Act of 2005 and regulations promulgated under
3 that act. In complying with the requirements of the REAL ID Act
4 of 2005, the department shall provide an eligible applicant with
5 an option to obtain either a standard-issued driver's license or
6 photo identification card or a REAL ID. The department shall
7 provide the applicant with a brief description that reasonably
8 describes the content, requirements and restrictions of a
9 standard-issued driver's license or photo identification card or
10 a REAL ID.

11 Section 4. Compliance by residents of this Commonwealth.

12 No individual may be compelled by the Commonwealth to apply
13 for a REAL ID, nor shall the Commonwealth exclusively mandate a
14 REAL ID for any reason.

15 Section 5. Reports to General Assembly.

16 (a) Initial report.--Within 90 days of the effective date of
17 this section, the department shall present an initial report to
18 the individuals listed under subsection (c) providing details on
19 estimated costs associated with the implementation and
20 maintenance of all requirements for compliance with the REAL ID
21 Act of 2005, as determined by the United States Department of
22 Homeland Security. The report shall also include all estimated
23 initial and recurring costs to establish and maintain a two-
24 tiered system which allows individuals to apply for either a
25 REAL ID or a standard-issued driver's license or photo
26 identification card.

27 (b) Annual reports.--Except for the year the initial report
28 is presented, the department shall submit an annual report to
29 the individuals listed under subsection (c) no later than July 1
30 of each year, providing details on costs incurred by the
31 department under this act. At a minimum, the report under this
32 subsection shall include:

- 33 (1) The cost to the department to issue REAL IDs.
- 34 (2) The total number of REAL IDs applied for.
- 35 (3) The total number of REAL IDs issued.
- 36 (4) Funding from the Federal Government for the
37 implementation of the REAL ID Act of 2005.

38 (c) Recipients of reports.--The reports required under
39 subsections (a) and (b) shall be submitted to the following
40 individuals:

- 41 (1) The President pro tempore of the Senate.
- 42 (2) The Majority Leader and Minority Leader of the
43 Senate.
- 44 (3) The chairperson and minority chairperson of the
45 Appropriations Committee of the Senate.
- 46 (4) The chairperson and minority chairperson of the
47 Communications and Technology Committee of the Senate.
- 48 (5) The chairperson and minority chairperson of the
49 Transportation Committee of the Senate.
- 50 (6) The Speaker of the House of Representatives.
- 51 (7) The Majority Leader and Minority Leader of the House

1 of Representatives.

2 (8) The chairperson and minority chairperson of the
3 Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives.

4 (9) The chairperson and minority chairperson of the
5 State Government Committee of the House of Representatives.

6 (10) The chairperson and minority chairperson of the
7 Transportation Committee of the House of Representatives.

8 Section 6. Publication.

9 The department shall provide notice to the Legislative
10 Reference Bureau for publication in the Pennsylvania Bulletin of
11 the date on which the department will commence issuance of REAL
12 IDs. The date of issuance must be at least 60 days after the
13 date of publication of the notice in the Pennsylvania Bulletin.

14 Section 7. Legislative intent.

15 It is the intent of this act that:

16 (1) Eligible applicants for or holders of standard-
17 issued driver's licenses or photo identification cards not
18 subsidize the issuance of REAL IDs.

19 (2) Eligible applicants for or holders of REAL ID not
20 subsidize the issuance of standard-issued driver's licenses
21 or photo identification cards.

22 Section 8. Repeal.

23 (1) The General Assembly finds that the repeal under
24 paragraph (2) is necessary to effectuate this act.

25 (2) The act of May 8, 2012 (P.L.254, No.38), known as
26 the REAL ID Nonparticipation Act, is repealed.

27 Section 9. Effective date.

28 This act shall take effect immediately.