SENATE BILL No. 378

June 25, 1987, Introduced by Senators J. HART, FAUST, GEAKE and DILLINGHAM and referred to the Committee State Affairs, Tourism, and Transportation.

A bill to amend section 307 of Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, entitled as amended

"Michigan vehicle code,"

as amended by Act No. 30 of the Public Acts of 1984, being section 257.307 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Section 307 of Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of
- 2 1949, as amended by Act No. 30 of the Public Acts of 1984, being
- 3 section 257.307 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read
- 4 as follows:
- 5 Sec. 307. (1) An application for an operator's or
- 6 chauffeur's license shall be made upon a form furnished by the
- 7 secretary of state and shall contain ALL OF the following: full
- 8 name, date of birth, address, AND place of residence OF THE

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- 1 APPLICANT; OTHER information required or permitted on the license
- 2 pursuant to this chapter; -, and signature of the applicant.
- 3 (2) An applicant for an operator's or chauffeur's license
- 4 may be photographed -simultaneously at the time the application
- 5 for the -respective license is made. The secretary of state
- 6 shall acquire by purchase or lease the equipment for taking the
- 7 -pictures PHOTOGRAPHS and SHALL furnish -it THE EQUIPMENT to
- 8 the local unit. Equipment purchased or leased for carrying out
- 9 this act- PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION shall be acquired under stan-
- 10 dard purchasing procedures of the department of management and
- 11 budget based on standards and specifications established by the
- 12 secretary of state. Equipment shall not be purchased or leased
- 13 until an appropriation for the equipment has been made by the
- 14 legislature. after a budget request has been properly presented
- 15 to the legislature. The A photograph TAKEN PURSUANT TO THIS
- 16 SECTION shall appear on the applicant's driver's OPERATOR'S OR
- 17 CHAUFFEUR'S license only and -a THE photograph, A COPY OF THE
- 18 PHOTOGRAPH, or A negative of the photograph shall not be kept on
- 19 file- RETAINED by the secretary of state or any other
- 20 -enforcement agency.
- 21 (3) An application shall be signed and certified by the
- 22 applicant. An application shall be accompanied by the proper
- 23 fee. -to- THIS FEE SHALL be collected by the examiner and for-
- 24 warded to the secretary of state with the application. This fee
- 25 shall be refunded to the applicant -when IF the license applied
- 26 for is denied, but the fee shall not be refunded to an applicant
- 27 who fails to complete the examination requirements of the

- 1 secretary of state within 90 days after the date of application
 2 for a license.
- 3 (4) If an application is received from a person previously
- 4 licensed in another jurisdiction, the secretary of state shall
- 5 request a copy of the applicant's record from the other
- 6 jurisdiction. When received, the driving record shall become a
- 7 part of the driver's record in this state with the same force and
- 8 effect as though entered on the driver's record in this state in
- 9 the original instance.
- 10 (5) The secretary of state may issue a renewal operator's or
- 11 chauffeur's license for 1 additional 4-year period by mail. The
- 12 secretary of state shall not issue a renewal license by mail
- 13 unless the licensee IS LESS THAN 71 YEARS OF AGE AND has a driv-
- 14 ing record which is free of convictions and civil infraction
- 15 determinations for the 48 months preceding renewal. However, the
- 16 secretary of state shall not refuse to issue a renewal license by
- 17 mail because of a conviction or civil infraction determination
- 18 for which fines and costs were waived pursuant to section 901a or
- 19 section 907(8), (9), (12), or (14). When a license is renewed by
- 20 mail, the secretary of state shall issue evidence of renewal
- 21 which shall be affixed to the previously issued license to indi-
- 22 cate the date the license expires in the future. This
- 23 -evidentiary document EVIDENCE OF RENEWAL shall be manufactured
- 24 in the same manner required of the operator's license in section
- 25 310 of this act. The secretary of state shall implement this
- 26 subsection with respect to licensees 71 years of age or older
- 27 beginning with operator's and chauffeur's licenses which expire

- 1 on January 1, 1984 A MANNER TO PROHIBIT AS NEARLY AS POSSIBLE
- 2 THE ABILITY TO REPRODUCE, ALTER, COUNTERFEIT, FORGE, OR DUPLICATE
- 3 IT WITHOUT READY DETECTION.