

SENATE BILL No. 205

January 26, 1993, Introduced by Senators EHLERS, CISKY, WELBORN and ARTHURHULTZ and referred to the Committee on State Affairs and Military/Veteran Affairs.

A bill to amend sections 319, 321a, 624a, and 732 of Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, entitled as amended "Michigan vehicle code,"

section 319 as amended by Act No. 93 of the Public Acts of 1991, section 321a as amended by Act No. 95 of the Public Acts of 1991, section 624a as added by Act No. 98 of the Public Acts of 1991, and section 732 as amended by Act No. 100 of the Public Acts of 1991, being sections 257.319, 257.321a, 257.624a, and 257.732 of the Michigan Compiled Laws; and to add section 624b.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Section 1. Sections 319, 321a, 624a, and 732 of Act No. 300

2 of the Public Acts of 1949, section 319 as amended by Act No. 93

3 of the Public Acts of 1991, section 321a as amended by Act No. 95

4 of the Public Acts of 1991, section 624a as added by Act No. 98

5 of the Public Acts of 1991, and section 732 as amended by Act

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- 1 No. 100 of the Public Acts of 1991, being sections 257.319,
- 2 257.321a, 257.624a, and 257.732 of the Michigan Compiled Laws,
- 3 are amended and section 624b is added to read as follows:
- 4 Sec. 319. (1) The secretary of state shall immediately sus-
- 5 pend for a period of not less than 90 days or more than 2 years,
- 6 the license of a person upon receiving a record of the conviction
- 7 or probate court disposition of the person for any of the follow-
- 8 ing crimes or attempts to commit any of the following crimes,
- 9 whether the conviction or probate court disposition is under a
- 10 law of this state, a local ordinance substantially corresponding
- 11 to a law of this state, or a law of another state substantially
- 12 corresponding to a law of this state:
- (a) Fraudulently altering or forging documents pertaining to
- 14 motor vehicles, in violation of section 257.
- 15 (b) Perjury or the making of a false certification to the
- 16 secretary of state under any law requiring the registration of a
- 17 motor vehicle or regulating the operation of a motor vehicle on a
- 18 highway.
- 19 (c) A violation of section 324, 413, or 414 of the Michigan
- 20 penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, being sec-
- 21 tions 750.324, 750.413, and 750.414 of the Michigan Compiled
- 22 Laws; or a violation of section 1 of Act No. 214 of the Public
- 23 Acts of 1931, being section 752.191 of the Michigan Compiled
- 24 Laws.
- 25 (d) Conviction upon 3 charges of reckless driving within the
- 26 preceding 36 months.

- 1 (e) Failing to stop and disclose identity at the scene of an 2 accident resulting in death or injury to another person, in 3 violation of section 617 or 617a.
- 4 (f) A felony in which a motor vehicle was used. As used in 5 this section, "felony in which a motor vehicle was used" means a 6 felony during the commission of which the person convicted oper-7 ated a motor vehicle and while operating the vehicle presented 8 real or potential harm to persons or property and 1 or more of
- 10 (i) The vehicle was used as an instrument of the felony.
- 11 (ii) The vehicle was used to transport a victim of the
 12 felony.

g the following circumstances existed:

- 13 (iii) The vehicle was used to flee the scene of the felony.
- 14 (iv) The vehicle was necessary for the commission of the 15 felony.
- 16 (2) The secretary of state shall suspend the license of a
 17 person convicted of malicious destruction resulting from the
 18 operation of a motor vehicle under section 382 of the Michigan
 19 penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, as amended,
 20 being section 750.382 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, for a period
 21 of not more than 1 year as ordered by the court as part of the
 22 sentence.
- (3) The secretary of state shall immediately suspend the

 24 license of a person for the period specified in the certificate

 25 ABSTRACT of conviction upon receipt of the person's license and

 26 certificate ABSTRACT of conviction forwarded to the secretary

 27 of state pursuant to section 367c of the Michigan penal code,

- 1 Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931, being section 750.367c of 2 the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- 3 (4) If a court has not ordered a suspension of a person's
- 4 license as authorized by this act, the secretary of state shall
- 5 suspend the license as follows, notwithstanding a court order
- 6 issued under section 625(1), (3), (4), or (5), or section 625b,
- 7 or former section 625(1) or (2), or former section 625b, or a
- 8 local ordinance substantially corresponding to section 625(1) or
- 9 (3), or section 625b, or former section 625(1) or (2), or former
- 10 section 625b:
- 11 (a) For a period of not less than 90 days or more than 1
- 12 year, upon receiving a record of the conviction of the person for
- 13 a violation of section 625(3), a local ordinance substantially
- 14 corresponding to section 625(3), or a law of another state sub-
- 15 stantially corresponding to section 625(3), if the person has no
- 16 prior convictions within 7 years for a violation of section
- 17 625(1), (3), (4), or (5), or former section 625(1) or (2), or
- 18 former section 625b, a local ordinance substantially correspond-
- 19 ing to section 625(1) or (3), or former section 625(1) or (2), or
- 20 former section 625b, or a law of another state substantially cor-
- 21 responding to section 625(1), (3), (4), or (5), or former section
- 22 625(1) or (2), or former section 625b.
- 23 (b) For a period of not less than 6 months or more than 2
- 24 years, if the person has the following convictions within a
- 25 7-year period, whether under the law of this state, a local ordi-
- 26 nance substantially corresponding to a law of this state, or a

- 1 law of another state substantially corresponding to a law of this
 2 state:
- 3 (i) One conviction under section 625(1) or former section
- 4 625(1) or (2). However, if the conviction is under a law of
- 5 another state substantially corresponding to section 625(1) or
- 6 former section 625(1) or (2), the secretary of state may waive
- 7 the suspension under this subdivision if the person submits proof
- 8 that a court suspended or restricted his or her license for a
- 9 period equal to or greater than the period of suspension or
- 10 restriction authorized under this subsection and that the suspen-
- 11 sion or restriction was served in the other state, or may grant
- 12 restrictions.
- (ii) Any combination of 2 convictions under section 625(3)
- 14 or former section 625b.
- (iii) One conviction under section 625(1) or former section
- 16 625(1) or (2) and 1 conviction under section 625(3) or former
- 17 section 625b.
- 18 (iv) One conviction under section 625(4) or (5) followed by
- 19 1 conviction under section 625(3).
- 20 (5) Upon receipt of a certificate AN ABSTRACT of convic-
- 21 tion pursuant to section 33b(3) of the Michigan liquor control
- 22 act, Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of the Extra Session of 1933,
- 23 being section 436.33b of the Michigan Compiled Laws, or a local
- 24 ordinance or law of another state substantially corresponding to
- 25 section 33b(3) of Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of the Extra
- 26 Session of 1933, the secretary of state shall suspend the
- 27 person's operator's or chauffeur's license for a period of

- 1 90 days FOR A FIRST OFFENSE AND 180 DAYS FOR A SECOND OR
- 2 SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE. A suspension under this subsection shall be
- 3 in addition to any other suspension of the person's license.
- 4 (6) UPON THE RECEIPT OF A CIVIL INFRACTION DETERMINATION,
- 5 CONVICTION, OR PROBATE COURT ORDER OF DISPOSITION FOR A VIOLATION
- 6 OF SECTION 624A OR 624B OR SECTION 33B OF ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC
- 7 ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL
- 8 SUSPEND THE PERSON'S OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE FOR THE
- 9 PERIOD OF 90 DAYS FOR A FIRST OFFENSE AND 180 DAYS FOR A SECOND
- 10 OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE. IF A SUSPENSION IS REDUCED BY THE COURT
- 11 TO 45 DAYS UNDER SECTION 624A, 624B, OR SECTION 33B OF ACT NO. 8
- 12 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, THE SECRETARY OF
- 13 STATE SHALL SO REDUCE THE SUSPENSION.
- 14 (7) $\overline{(6)}$ Upon receipt of the record of the conviction or
- 15 probate court disposition of a person for a violation of section
- 16 602a of this act or section 479a(1), (4), or (5) of Act No. 328
- 17 of the Public Acts of 1931, being section 750.479a of the
- 18 Michigan Compiled Laws, the secretary of state immediately shall
- 19 suspend the license of the person for the period ordered by the
- 20 court as part of the sentence or disposition.
- 21 (8) -(7) A suspension pursuant to this section shall be
- 22 imposed notwithstanding a court order issued under
- 23 section 625(1), (3), (4), or (5), or section 625b, -or a local
- 24 ordinance substantially corresponding to section 625(1) or (3) or
- 25 section 625b OR A COURT ORDER ISSUED UNDER SECTION 624A, 642B, OR
- 26 33B OF ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933
- 27 OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE OR LAW OF ANOTHER STATE SUBSTANTIALLY

- 1 CORRESPONDING TO SECTION 624A, 624B, OR SECTION 33B OF ACT NO. 8
- 2 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933.
- (9) (8) If the secretary of state receives records of more
- 4 than 1 conviction or probate court disposition of a person
- 5 resulting from the same incident, a suspension shall be imposed
- 6 only for the violation to which the longest period of suspension
- 7 applies under this section.
- g (10) (9) As used in this section, "probate court
- 9 disposition" means the entry of a probate court order of disposi-
- 10 tion for a child found to be within the provisions of chapter
- 11 XIIA of Act No. 288 of the Public Acts of 1939, being
- 12 sections 712A.1 to 712A.28 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.
- Sec. 321a. (1) A person who fails to answer a citation, or
- 14 a notice to appear in court for a violation of this act, or a
- 15 local ordinance substantially corresponding to a provision of
- 16 this act, or for any matter pending, or who fails to comply with
- 17 an order or judgment issued pursuant to section 907 is guilty of
- 18 a misdemeanor. A violation of this subsection OR SECTION 33B(1)
- 19 OF THE MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL ACT, ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS
- 20 OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, shall not be considered a violation
- 21 for any purpose under section 320a.
- (2) Except as provided in subsection (3), 28 days or more
- 23 after the date of noncompliance with an order or judgment, the
- 24 court shall give notice by mail at the last known address of the
- 25 person that if the person fails to appear or fails to comply with
- 26 the order or judgment issued pursuant to section 907, including,
- 27 but not limited to, paying all fines and costs, within 14 days

- 1 after the notice is issued, the secretary of state shall suspend
- 2 the person's operator's or chauffeur's license. If the person
- 3 fails to appear or fails to comply with the order or judgment
- 4 issued pursuant to section 907, including, but not limited to,
- 5 paying all fines and costs, within the 14-day period, the court
- 6 shall, within 14 days, inform the secretary of state, who shall
- 7 immediately suspend the license of the person and notify the
- 8 person of the suspension by regular mail at the person's last
- 9 known address.
- 10 (3) If the person is charged with, or convicted of, a viola-
- 11 tion of section 625(1), (2), (3), (4), or (5), or a local ordi-
- 12 nance substantially corresponding to section 625(1), (2), or (3),
- 13 and the person fails to answer a citation or a notice to appear
- 14 in court, or for any matter pending, or fails to comply with an
- 15 order or judgment of the court, including, but not limited to,
- 16 paying all fines, costs, and crime victim rights assessments, the
- 17 court shall immediately give notice by first-class mail sent to
- 18 the person's last known address that if the person fails to
- 19 appear within 7 days after the notice is issued, or fails to
- 20 comply with the order or judgment of the court, including, but
- 21 not limited to, paying all fines, costs, and crime victim rights
- 22 assessments, within 14 days after the notice is issued, the sec-
- 23 retary of state shall suspend the person's operator's or
- 24 chauffeur's license. If the person fails to appear within the
- 25 7-day period, or fails to comply with the order or judgment of
- 26 the court, including, but not limited to, paying all fines,
- 27 costs, and crime victim rights assessments, within the 14-day

- 1 period, the court shall immediately inform the secretary of state
- 2 who shall immediately suspend the person's operator's or
- 3 chauffeur's license and notify the person of the suspension by
- 4 first-class mail sent to the person's last known address.
- (4) IF THE PERSON IS CITED WITH, OR IS DETERMINED TO BE
- 6 RESPONSIBLE FOR, A VIOLATION OF SECTION 33B(1) OR (3) OF ACT
- 7 NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, BEING SEC-
- 8 TION 436.33B OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, AND THE PERSON FAILS
- 9 TO ANSWER A CITATION OR A NOTICE TO APPEAR IN COURT ISSUED PURSU-
- 10 ANT TO SECTION 33B OF ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA
- 11 SESSION OF 1933, OR FAILS TO COMPLY WITH AN ORDER OR JUDGMENT OF
- 12 THE COURT ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 33B OF ACT NO. 8 OF THE
- 13 PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, INCLUDING, BUT NOT
- 14 LIMITED TO, PAYING ALL FINES AND COSTS, THE COURT SHALL IMMEDI-
- 15 ATELY GIVE NOTICE BY FIRST-CLASS MAIL SENT TO THE PERSON'S LAST
- 16 KNOWN ADDRESS THAT IF THE PERSON FAILS TO APPEAR WITHIN 7 DAYS
- 17 AFTER THE NOTICE IS ISSUED, OR FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE ORDER OR
- 18 JUDGMENT OF THE COURT, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PAYING ALL
- 19 FINES AND COSTS, WITHIN 14 DAYS AFTER THE NOTICE IS ISSUED, THE
- 20 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL SUSPEND THE PERSON'S OPERATOR'S OR
- 21 CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE. IF THE PERSON FAILS TO APPEAR WITHIN THE
- 22 7-DAY PERIOD, OR FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE ORDER OR JUDGMENT OF
- 23 THE COURT, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PAYING ALL FINES AND
- 24 COSTS, WITHIN THE 14-DAY PERIOD, THE COURT SHALL IMMEDIATELY
- 25 INFORM THE SECRETARY OF STATE WHO SHALL IMMEDIATELY SUSPEND THE
- 26 PERSON'S OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE AND NOTIFY THE PERSON

- 1 OF THE SUSPENSION BY FIRST-CLASS MAIL SENT TO THE PERSON'S LAST
- 2 KNOWN ADDRESS.
- 3 (5) -(4) A suspension imposed under -subsection (2) or (3)-
- 4 SUBSECTION (2), (3), OR (4) shall remain in effect until both of
- 5 the following occur:
- 6 (a) The court informs the secretary of state that the person
- 7 has appeared before the court and that all matters relating to
- 8 the violation or to the noncompliance with section 907 OR SECTION
- 9 33B OF ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933
- 10 are resolved.
- 11 (b) The person has paid to the court a \$25.00 driver license
- 12 reinstatement fee. The increase in the reinstatement fee from
- 13 \$10.00 to \$25.00 shall be imposed for a license that is suspended
- 14 on or after April 5, 1988 regardless of when the license was
- 15 suspended.
- 16 (6) -(5) The court shall not notify the secretary of state,
- 17 and the secretary of state shall not suspend the person's
- 18 license, if the person fails to appear in response to a citation
- 19 issued for, or fails to comply with an order or judgment involv-
- 20 ing 1 or more of the following infractions:
- 21 (a) The parking or standing of a vehicle.
- (b) A pedestrian, passenger, or bicycle violation.
- 23 (7) -(6) The court may notify a person who has done either
- 24 of the following, that if the person does not appear within 10
- 25 days after the notice is issued, the court will inform the secre-
- 26 tary of state of the person's failure to appear:

- 1 (a) Failed to answer 2 or more parking violation notices or 2 citations for violating a provision of this act or an ordinance 3 substantially corresponding to a provision of this act pertaining 4 to handicapper parking issued or served after the effective date 5 of the amendatory act that added this subdivision SEPTEMBER 19, 6 1989.
- 7 (b) Failed to answer 6 or more parking violation notices or 8 citations, issued or served after March 31, 1981, regarding ille-9 gal parking.
- 10 (8) -(7) The secretary of state, upon being informed of the
 11 failure of a person to appear as provided in subsection -(6)
 12 (7), shall not issue a license to the person until both of the
 13 following occur:
- (a) The court informs the secretary of state that the person 15 has resolved all outstanding matters regarding the notices or 16 citations.
- 17 (b) The person has paid to the court a \$25.00 driver license
 18 reinstatement fee. The increase in the reinstatement fee from
 19 \$10.00 to \$25.00 shall be imposed for a license that is suspended
 20 on or after April 5, 1988 regardless of when the license was
 21 suspended. If the court determines that the person is not
 22 responsible for any of the parking violations for which the
 23 person's license was suspended under this subsection, the court
 24 shall waive payment of the fee.
- 25 (9) (8) For the purposes of subsections (4) (a) and
 26 (7) (a) SUBSECTIONS (5) (A) AND (8) (A), the court shall give to
 27 the person a copy of the information being transmitted to the

- 1 secretary of state. Upon showing that copy, the person shall not
- 2 be arrested or issued a citation for driving on a suspended
- 3 license on the basis of any matter resolved under -subsection
- 4 (4)(a) or (7)(a) SUBSECTION (5)(A) OR (8)(A), even if the infor-
- 5 mation being sent to the secretary of state has not yet been
- 6 received or recorded by the department.
- 7 (10) $\frac{(9)}{(9)}$ Sixty percent of the driver license reinstatement
- 8 fees received under -subsections (4)(b) and (7)(b) SUBSECTIONS
- 9 (5) (B) AND (8) (B) shall be transmitted by the court to the secre-
- 10 tary of state on a monthly basis. The funds received by the sec-
- 11 retary of state pursuant to this subsection shall be deposited in
- 12 the state general fund and shall be used to defray the expenses
- 13 of the secretary of state in processing the suspension and rein-
- 14 statement of driver licenses under this section.
- Sec. 624a. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2), a
- 16 person shall not transport or possess alcoholic liquor in a con-
- 17 tainer that is open or uncapped or upon which the seal is broken
- 18 within the passenger compartment of a vehicle upon a highway, or
- 19 within the passenger compartment of a moving vehicle in any place
- 20 open to the general public or generally accessible to motor vehi-
- 21 cles, including an area designated for the parking of vehicles,
- 22 in this state.
- 23 (2) A person may transport or possess alcoholic liquor in a
- 24 container that is open or uncapped or upon which the seal is
- 25 broken within the passenger compartment of a vehicle upon a high-
- 26 way or other place open to the general public or generally
- 27 accessible to motor vehicles, including an area designated for

- 1 the parking of vehicles in this state, if the vehicle does not
- 2 have a trunk or compartment separate from the passenger compart-
- 3 ment, the container is enclosed or encased, and the container is
- 4 not readily accessible to the occupants of the vehicle.
- 5 (3) A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor.
- 7 (4) IF THE PERSON VIOLATING THIS SECTION IS LESS THAN 21
- 8 YEARS OF AGE, IMMEDIATELY UPON THE ENTRY OF A CONVICTION OR A
- 9 PROBATE COURT ORDER OF DISPOSITION FOR A VIOLATION OF THIS SEC-
- 10 TION, THE COURT SHALL CONSIDER ALL PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR PROBATE
- 11 COURT ORDERS OF DISPOSITION FOR VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION OR
- 12 SECTION 624B, OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE OR LAW OF ANOTHER STATE SUB-
- 13 STANTIALLY CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION OR SECTION 624B, AND THE
- 14 COURT MAY ORDER THE FOLLOWING SANCTIONS:
- 15 (A) IF THE COURT FINDS THAT THE PERSON DOES NOT HAVE A PRIOR
- 16 CONVICTION OR PROBATE COURT ORDER OF DISPOSITION, THE COURT SHALL
- 17 ORDER THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO SUSPEND THE OPERATOR'S OR
- 18 CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE OF THE PERSON FOR A PERIOD OF 90 DAYS, AND
- 19 MAY ORDER THE PERSON TO PARTICIPATE IN A SUBSTANCE ABUSE SCREEN-
- 20 ING AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
- 21 OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, AT HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE.
- 22 BASED UPON THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE PERSON CONDUCT-
- 23 ING THE SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT, THE COURT MAY ORDER THAT THE
- 24 PERSON ATTEND A SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION AND TREATMENT PROGRAM
- 25 APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE AT
- 26 HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE. UPON THE SATISFACTORY COMPLETION OF A
- 27 PROGRAM OF EDUCATION AND TREATMENT, THE COURT SHALL ORDER THE

- 1 SECRETARY OF STATE TO REDUCE THE SUSPENSION TO 45 DAYS. IN THE
- 2 CASE OF A PERSON WHO DOES NOT POSSESS AN OPERATOR OR CHAUFFEUR
- 3 LICENSE, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DENY THE APPLICATION FOR AN
- 4 OPERATOR OR CHAUFFEUR LICENSE FOR THE APPLICABLE SUSPENSION
- 5 PERIOD.
- 6 (B) IF THE COURT FINDS THAT THE PERSON HAS 1 OR MORE SUCH
- 7 PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR PROBATE COURT ORDERS OF DISPOSITION, THE
- 8 COURT SHALL ORDER THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO SUSPEND THE
- 9 OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE OF THE PERSON FOR A PERIOD OF
- 10 180 DAYS, AND SHALL ORDER THE PERSON TO PARTICIPATE IN A SUB-
- 11 STANCE ABUSE SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE
- 12 ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, AT HIS
- 13 OR HER OWN EXPENSE. BASED UPON THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION
- 14 OF THE PERSON CONDUCTING THE SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT, THE COURT
- 15 MAY ORDER THAT THE PERSON ATTEND A SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION AND
- 16 TREATMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF
- 17 SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, AT HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE. IN THE CASE
- 18 OF A PERSON WHO DOES NOT POSSESS AN OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S
- 19 LICENSE, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DENY THE APPLICATION FOR AN
- 20 OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE FOR THE APPLICABLE SUSPENSION
- 21 PERIOD.
- 22 (5) -(4) This section does not apply to a passenger in a
- 23 chartered vehicle authorized to operate by the Michigan STATE
- 24 TRANSPORTATION department. -of transportation.
- 25 SEC. 624B. (1) A PERSON LESS THAN 21 YEARS OF AGE SHALL NOT
- 26 KNOWINGLY TRANSPORT OR POSSESS, IN A MOTOR VEHICLE, ALCOHOLIC
- 27 LIQUOR UNLESS THE PERSON IS EMPLOYED BY A LICENSEE UNDER THE

- 1 MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL ACT, ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE
- 2 EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, BEING SECTIONS 436.1 TO 436.58 OF THE
- 3 MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS, A COMMON CARRIER DESIGNATED BY THE LIQUOR
- 4 CONTROL COMMISSION PURSUANT TO ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF
- 5 THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933, THE LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION, OR AN
- 6 AGENT OF THE LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION AND IS TRANSPORTING OR
- 7 HAVING THE ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR IN A MOTOR VEHICLE UNDER THE PERSON'S
- 8 CONTROL DURING REGULAR WORKING HOURS AND IN THE COURSE OF THE
- 9 PERSON'S EMPLOYMENT. A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SUBSECTION IS
- 10 GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR.
- 11 (2) WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE CONVICTION OF A PERSON FOR THE
- 12 VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (1), WHICH CONVICTION HAS BECOME FINAL,
- 13 COMPLAINT MAY BE MADE BY THE ARRESTING OFFICER OR THE OFFICER'S
- 14 SUPERIOR BEFORE THE COURT FROM WHICH THE WARRANT WAS ISSUED.
- 15 WHICH COMPLAINT SHALL BE UNDER OATH AND SHALL CONTAIN A DESCRIP-
- 16 TION OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH ALCOHOLIC LIOUOR WAS POSSESSED
- 17 OR TRANSPORTED BY THE PERSON LESS THAN 21 YEARS OF AGE IN COMMIT-
- 18 TING THE OFFENSE AND REQUESTING THAT THE MOTOR VEHICLE BE
- 19 IMPOUNDED AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION. UPON THE FILING OF THE
- 20 COMPLAINT, THE COURT SHALL ISSUE TO THE OWNER OF THE MOTOR VEHI-
- 21 CLE AN ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY THE MOTOR VEHICLE SHOULD NOT BE
- 22 IMPOUNDED. THE ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE SHALL HAVE A DATE AND TIME
- 23 FIXED IN THE ORDER FOR A HEARING, WHICH DATE SHALL NOT BE LESS
- 24 THAN 10 DAYS AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THE ORDER AND SHALL BE SERVED
- 25 BY DELIVERING A TRUE COPY TO THE OWNER NOT LESS THAN 3 FULL DAYS
- 26 BEFORE THE DATE OF HEARING OR, IF THE OWNER CANNOT BE LOCATED, BY
- 27 SENDING A TRUE COPY BY CERTIFIED MAIL TO THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS

- 1 OF THE OWNER. IF THE OWNER IS A NONRESIDENT OF THE STATE,
- 2 SERVICE MAY BE MADE UPON THE SECRETARY OF STATE AS PROVIDED IN
- 3 SECTION 403.
- 4 (3) IF THE COURT DETERMINES UPON THE HEARING OF THE ORDER TO
- 5 SHOW CAUSE, FROM COMPETENT AND RELEVANT EVIDENCE, THAT AT THE
- 6 TIME OF THE COMMISSION OF THE OFFENSE THE MOTOR VEHICLE WAS BEING
- 7 DRIVEN BY THE PERSON LESS THAN 21 YEARS OF AGE WITH THE EXPRESS
- 8 OR IMPLIED CONSENT OR KNOWLEDGE OF THE OWNER, AND THAT THE USE OF
- 9 THE MOTOR VEHICLE IS NOT NEEDED BY THE OWNER IN THE DIRECT PUR-
- 10 SUIT OF THE OWNER'S EMPLOYMENT OR THE ACTUAL OPERATION OF THE
- 11 OWNER'S BUSINESS, THE COURT SHALL AUTHORIZE THE IMPOUNDING OF THE
- 12 VEHICLE FOR A PERIOD, TO BE DETERMINED BY THE COURT, OF NOT LESS
- 13 THAN 15 DAYS OR MORE THAN 30 DAYS. THE COURT'S ORDER AUTHORIZING
- 14 THE IMPOUNDING OF THE VEHICLE SHALL AUTHORIZE A LAW ENFORCEMENT
- 15 OFFICER TO TAKE POSSESSION WITHOUT OTHER PROCESS OF THE MOTOR
- 16 VEHICLE WHEREVER LOCATED AND TO STORE THE VEHICLE IN A PUBLIC OR
- 17 PRIVATE GARAGE AT THE EXPENSE AND RISK OF THE OWNER OF THE
- 18 VEHICLE. THE OWNER OF THE VEHICLE MAY APPEAL THE ORDER TO THE
- 19 CIRCUIT COURT AND THE PROVISIONS GOVERNING THE TAKING OF APPEALS
- 20 FROM JUDGMENTS FOR DAMAGES SHALL APPLY TO THE APPEAL. THIS SEC-
- 21 TION DOES NOT PREVENT A BONA FIDE LIENHOLDER FROM EXERCISING
- 22 RIGHTS UNDER A LIEN.
- 23 (4) A PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY TRANSFERS TITLE TO A MOTOR VEHI-
- 24 CLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF AVOIDING THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A
- 25 MISDEMEANOR.
- 26 (5) IMMEDIATELY UPON THE ENTRY OF A CONVICTION OR A PROBATE
- 27 COURT ORDER OF DISPOSITION FOR A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION, THE

- 1 COURT SHALL CONSIDER ALL PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR PROBATE COURT
- 2 ORDERS OF DISPOSITION FOR VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION OR
- 3 SECTION 624A, OR A LOCAL ORDINANCE OR LAW OF ANOTHER STATE SUB-
- 4 STANTIALLY CORRESPONDING TO THIS SECTION OR SECTION 624A, AND THE
- 5 COURT SHALL DO THE FOLLOWING:
- (A) IF THE COURT FINDS THAT THE PERSON DOES NOT HAVE A PRIOR
- 7 CONVICTION OR PROBATE COURT ORDER OF DISPOSITION, THE COURT SHALL
- 8 ORDER THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO SUSPEND THE OPERATOR'S OR
- 9 CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE OF THE PERSON FOR A PERIOD OF 90 DAYS. AND
- 10 MAY ORDER THE PERSON TO PARTICIPATE IN A SUBSTANCE ABUSE SCREEN-
- 11 ING AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
- 12 OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, AT HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE.
- 13 BASED UPON THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE PERSON CONDUCT-
- 14 ING THE SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT, THE COURT MAY ORDER THAT THE
- 15 PERSON ATTEND A SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION AND TREATMENT PROGRAM
- 16 APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE
- 17 SERVICES, AT HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE. UPON THE SATISFACTORY COM-
- 18 PLETION OF A PROGRAM OF EDUCATION AND TREATMENT, THE COURT SHALL
- 19 ORDER THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO REDUCE THE SUSPENSION TO 45
- 20 DAYS. IN THE CASE OF A PERSON WHO DOES NOT POSSESS AN OPERATOR
- 21 OR CHAUFFEUR LICENSE, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DENY THE
- 22 APPLICATION FOR AN OPERATOR OR CHAUFFEUR LICENSE FOR THE APPLICA-
- 23 BLE SUSPENSION PERIOD.
- 24 (B) IF THE COURT FINDS THAT THE PERSON HAS 1 OR MORE SUCH
- 25 PRIOR CONVICTIONS OR PROBATE COURT ORDERS OF DISPOSITION, THE
- 26 COURT SHALL ORDER THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO SUSPEND THE
- 27 OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE OF THE PERSON FOR A PERIOD OF

- 1 180 DAYS, AND SHALL ORDER THE PERSON TO PARTICIPATE IN A
- 2 SUBSTANCE ABUSE SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE
- 3 ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, AT HIS
- 4 OR HER OWN EXPENSE. BASED UPON THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATION
- 5 OF THE PERSON CONDUCTING THE SCREENING AND ASSESSMENT, THE COURT
- 6 MAY ORDER THAT THE PERSON ATTEND A SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION AND
- 7 TREATMENT PROGRAM APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE OFFICE OF
- 8 SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, AT HIS OR HER OWN EXPENSE. IN THE CASE
- 9 OF A PERSON WHO DOES NOT POSSESS AN OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S
- 10 LICENSE, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DENY THE APPLICATION FOR AN
- 11 OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE FOR THE APPLICABLE SUSPENSION
- 12 PERIOD.
- 13 (6) THE COURT SHALL IMMEDIATELY FORWARD THE SURRENDERED
- 14 LICENSE AND AN ABSTRACT OF CONVICTION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE.
- 15 A SUSPENSION ORDERED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE IN ADDITION
- 16 TO ANY OTHER SUSPENSION OF THE PERSON'S OPERATOR'S OR CHAUFFEUR'S
- 17 LICENSE. IF THE JUDGMENT IS APPEALED TO CIRCUIT COURT, THE COURT
- 18 MAY, EX PARTE, ORDER THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO STAY THE SUSPEN-
- 19 SION ISSUED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION PENDING THE OUTCOME OF THE
- 20 APPEAL.
- 21 (7) A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY SHALL NOTIFY THE PARENT OR PAR-
- 22 ENTS, CUSTODIAN, OR GUARDIAN OF A PERSON CONVICTED UNDER SUBSEC-
- 23 TION (1) IF THE PERSON IS LESS THAN 18 YEARS OF AGE. IF THE
- 24 PERSON IS ATTENDING ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY SCHOOL. THE LAW
- 25 ENFORCEMENT AGENCY SHALL NOTIFY THE PRINCIPAL OF THE SCHOOL THAT
- 26 THE PERSON IS ATTENDING.

- 1 (8) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR" MEANS THAT
 2 TERM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 2(A) OF THE MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL
- 3 ACT, ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF 1933,
- 4 BEING SECTION 436.2 OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- 5 Sec. 732. (1) Each municipal judge and each clerk of a
- 6 court of record shall keep a full record of every case in which a
- 7 person is charged with or cited for a violation of this act or of
- 8 a law corresponding to this act regulating the operation of vehi-
- 9 cles on highways.
- (2) Within 14 days after the conviction or forfeiture of 11 bail of a person, or entry of a civil infraction determination, 12 default judgment, or probate court order of disposition for a 13 child found to be within the provisions of chapter XIIA of Act 14 No. 288 of the Public Acts of 1939, being sections 712A.1 to 15 712A.28 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, upon a charge of, or 16 citation for, violating this act or a local ordinance correspond-17 ing to this act regulating the operation of vehicles on highways, 18 and, for each case charging a violation of section 625(1), (3), 19 (4), or (5), or a local ordinance substantially corresponding to 20 section 625(1) or (3) in which the charge is dismissed or the 21 defendant is acquitted, except as provided in subsection (15), 22 the municipal judge or clerk of the court of record shall prepare 23 and immediately forward to the secretary of state an abstract of 24 the record of the court for the case. The abstract shall be cer-25 tified by signature, stamp, or facsimile signature by the person 26 required to prepare the abstract to be true and correct. 27 city or village department, bureau, or person is authorized to

- 1 accept a payment of money as a settlement for a violation of a
- 2 local ordinance corresponding to this act, the city or village
- 3 department, bureau, or person shall send a full report of each
- 4 case in which a person pays any amount of money to the city or
- 5 village department, bureau, or person to the secretary of state
- 6 upon a form prescribed by the secretary of state.
- 7 (3) The abstract or report required under this section shall
- 8 be made upon a form furnished by the secretary of state and shall
- 9 include all of the following:
- 10 (a) The name, address, and date of birth of the person
- 11 charged or cited.
- 12 (b) The number of the person's operator's or chauffeur's
- 13 license, if any.
- 14 (c) The date and nature of the violation.
- 15 (d) The type of vehicle driven at the time of the violation
- 16 and, if the vehicle is a commercial motor vehicle, that vehicle's
- 17 group designation and indorsement classification.
- (e) The date of the conviction, finding, forfeiture, judg-
- 19 ment, or CIVIL INFRACTION determination.
- 20 (f) Whether bail was forfeited.
- 21 (g) Any license revocation, restriction, suspension, or
- 22 denial ordered by the court pursuant to this act.
- 23 (h) Other information considered necessary to the secretary
- 24 of state.
- 25 (4) The clerk of the court also shall forward an abstract of
- 26 the record of the court to the secretary of state upon the
- 27 conviction of a person or entry of a probate court order of

- 1 disposition for a child found to be within the provisions of
- 2 chapter XIIA of Act No. 288 of the Public Acts of 1939 involving
- 3 any of the following:
- 4 (a) A violation of section 324, 413, 414, or 479a of the
- 5 Michigan penal code, Act No. 328 of the Public Acts of 1931,
- 6 being sections 750.324, 750.413, 750.414, and 750.479a of the
- 7 Michigan Compiled Laws.
- g (b) A violation of section 1 of Act No. 214 of the Public
- 9 Acts of 1931, being section 752.191 of the Michigan Compiled
- 10 Laws.
- 11 (C) A VIOLATION OF SECTION 33B OF THE MICHIGAN LIQUOR CON-
- 12 TROL ACT, ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION OF
- 13 1933, BEING SECTION 436.33B OF THE MICHIGAN COMPILED LAWS.
- 14 (D) -(c) An attempt to commit any of the offenses described
- 15 in subdivision (a), -er- (b), OR (C).
- 16 (5) As used in subsections (6) to (8), "felony in which a
- 17 motor vehicle was used" means a felony during the commission of
- 18 which the person operated a motor vehicle and while operating the
- 19 vehicle presented real or potential harm to persons or property
- 20 and 1 or more of the following circumstances existed:
- (a) The vehicle was used as an instrument of the felony.
- 22 (b) The vehicle was used to transport a victim of the
- 23 felony.
- (c) The vehicle was used to flee the scene of the felony.
- 25 (d) The vehicle was necessary for the commission of the
- 26 felony.

- 1 (6) If a person is charged with a felony in which a motor
- 2 vehicle was used, other than a felony specified in subsection (4)
- 3 or section 319(1)(a) to (e), the prosecuting attorney shall
- 4 include the following statement on the complaint and information
- 5 filed in district or circuit court:
- 6 "You are charged with the commission of a felony in which a
- 7 motor vehicle was used. If you are convicted and the judge finds
- 8 that the conviction is for a felony in which a motor vehicle was
- 9 used, as defined in section 319 of the Michigan vehicle code, Act
- 10 No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, being section 257.319 of the
- 11 Michigan Compiled Laws, your driver's license shall be suspended
- 12 by the secretary of state."
- 13 (7) If a child is accused of an act the nature of which con-
- 14 stitutes a felony in which a motor vehicle was used, other than a
- 15 felony specified in subsection (4) or section 319(1)(a) to (e),
- 16 the prosecuting attorney or juvenile court shall include on the
- 17 petition filed in the probate court:
- 18 "You are accused of an act the nature of which constitutes a
- 19 felony in which a motor vehicle was used. If the accusation is
- 20 found to be true and the judge or referee finds that the nature
- 21 of the act constitutes a felony in which a motor vehicle was
- 22 used, as defined in section 319 of the Michigan vehicle code, Act
- 23 No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, being section 257.319 of the
- 24 Michigan Compiled Laws, your driver's license shall be suspended
- 25 by the secretary of state."
- 26 (8) If the judge or juvenile court referee determines as
- 27 part of the sentence or disposition that the felony for which the

- 1 defendant was convicted or adjudicated and with respect to which
- 2 notice was given pursuant to subsection (6) or (7) is a felony in
- 3 which a motor vehicle was used, the clerk of the court shall for-
- 4 ward an abstract of the court record of that conviction or adju-
- 5 dication to the secretary of state.
- 6 (9) As used in subsections (10) and (11), -"Felony "FELONY
- 7 in which a commercial motor vehicle was used" means a felony
- 8 during the commission of which the person operated a commercial
- 9 motor vehicle and while the person was operating the vehicle 1 or
- 10 more of the following circumstances existed:
- 11 (a) The vehicle was used as an instrument of the felony.
- 12 (b) The vehicle was used to transport a victim of the
- 13 felony.
- (c) The vehicle was used to flee the scene of the felony.
- 15 (d) The vehicle was necessary for the commission of the
- 16 felony.
- 17 (10) If a person is charged with a felony in which a commer-
- 18 cial motor vehicle was used and for which a vehicle group desig-
- 19 nation on a license is subject to suspension or revocation under
- 20 section 319b(1)(c)(iii), 319b(1)(d), or 319b(1)(e)(iii) or (vi),
- 21 the prosecuting attorney shall include the following statement on
- 22 the complaint and information filed in district or circuit
- 23 court:
- "You are charged with the commission of a felony in which a
- 25 commercial motor vehicle was used. If you are convicted and the
- 26 judge finds that the conviction is for a felony in which a
- 27 commercial motor vehicle was used, as defined in section 319b of

- 1 the Michigan vehicle code, Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of
- 2 1949, being section 257.319b of the Michigan Compiled Laws, all
- 3 vehicle group designations on your driver's license shall be sus-
- 4 pended or revoked by the secretary of state."
- 5 (11) If the judge determines as part of the sentence that
- 6 the felony for which the defendant was convicted and with respect
- 7 to which notice was given pursuant to subsection (10) is a felony
- 8 in which a commercial motor vehicle was used, the clerk of the
- 9 court shall forward an abstract of the court record of that con-
- 10 viction to the secretary of state.
- 11 (12) Every person required to forward abstracts to the sec-
- 12 retary of state under this section shall certify for the period
- 13 from January 1 through June 30 and for the period from July 1
- 14 through December 31 that all abstracts required to be forwarded
- 15 during the period have been forwarded. The certification shall
- 16 be filed with the secretary of state not later than 28 days after
- 17 the end of the period covered by the certification. The certifi-
- 18 cation shall be made upon a form furnished by the secretary of
- 19 state and shall include all of the following:
- 20 (a) The name and title of the person required to forward
- 21 abstracts.
- 22 (b) The court for which the certification is filed.
- (c) The time period covered by the certification.
- 24 (d) The following statement:
- "I certify that all abstracts required by section 732 of the
- 26 Michigan vehicle code, MCL 257.732; MSA 9.2432, for the period

- 1 ____ through ____ have been forwarded to the 2 secretary of state."
- (e) Other information the secretary of state considers
 4 necessary.
- (f) The signature of the person required to forward abstracts.
- 7 (13) The failure, refusal, or neglect of a person to comply 8 with this section shall constitute misconduct in office and shall 9 be grounds for removal from office.
- (14) Except as provided in subsection (15), the secretary of state shall keep all abstracts received under this section at the secretary of state's main office and the abstracts shall be open for public inspection during the office's usual business hours.

 14 Each abstract shall be entered upon the master driving record of the person to whom it pertains.
- (15) The court shall not submit, and the secretary of state

 17 shall discard and not enter on the master driving record, an

 18 abstract for a conviction, civil infraction determination, or

 19 probate court order of disposition for any of the following

 20 offenses:
- (a) The parking or standing of a vehicle.
- (b) A nonmoving violation that is not the basis for the sec-23 retary of state's suspension, revocation, or denial of an24 operator's or chauffeur's license.
- (c) A violation of chapter II that is not the basis for the secretary of state's suspension, revocation, or denial of an operator's or chauffeur's license.

- 1 (d) A EXCEPT FOR A VIOLATION OF SECTIONS 624A AND 624B AND
- 2 SECTION 33B OF ACT NO. 8 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF THE EXTRA SESSION
- 3 OF 1933, A pedestrian, passenger, or bicycle violation.
- 4 (e) A violation of section 710e.
- 5 (16) The secretary of state shall discard and not enter on
- 6 the master driving record an abstract for a bond forfeiture that
- 7 occurred outside this state. However, the secretary of state
- 8 shall retain and enter on the master driving record an abstract
- 9 of an out-of-state bond forfeiture for an offense that occurred
- 10 after January 1, 1990 in connection with the operation of a com-
- 11 mercial motor vehicle.
- 12 (17) The secretary of state shall inform the courts of this
- 13 state of the nonmoving violations and violations of chapter II
- 14 that are used by the secretary of state as the basis for the sus-
- 15 pension, restriction, revocation, or denial of an operator's or
- 16 chauffeur's license.
- 17 (18) If a conviction, civil infraction determination, or
- 18 probate court order of disposition is reversed upon appeal, the
- 19 person whose conviction, determination, or order of disposition
- 20 has been reversed may serve on the secretary of state a certified
- 21 copy of the order of reversal, and the secretary of state shall
- 22 enter the order in the proper book or index in connection with
- 23 the record of the conviction, civil infraction determination, or
- 24 probate court order of disposition.
- 25 (19) The secretary of state may permit a city or village
- 26 department, bureau, person, or court to modify the requirement as
- 27 to the time and manner of reporting a conviction, civil

- 1 infraction determination, settlement, or probate court order of
- 2 disposition to the secretary of state if the modification will
- 3 increase the economy and efficiency of collecting and utilizing
- 4 the records. If the permitted abstract of court record reporting
- 5 a conviction, civil infraction determination, settlement, or pro-
- 6 bate court order of disposition originates as a part of the writ-
- 7 ten notice to appear, authorized in section 728(1) or 742(1), the
- 8 form of the written notice and report shall be as prescribed by
- 9 the secretary of state.
- 10 Section 2. This amendatory act shall not take effect unless
- 11 Senate Bill No. 204
- of the 87th Legislature is enacted into law.