

1 AN ACT concerning government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Identification Card Act is amended  
5 by changing Section 8 as follows:

6 (15 ILCS 335/8) (from Ch. 124, par. 28)

7 Sec. 8. Expiration.

8 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this Section:

9 (1) Every identification card issued hereunder, except  
10 to persons who have reached their 15th birthday, but are  
11 not yet 21 years of age, persons who are 65 years of age or  
12 older, and persons who are issued an Illinois Person with  
13 a Disability Identification Card, shall expire 5 years  
14 from the ensuing birthday of the applicant and a renewal  
15 shall expire 5 years thereafter.

16 (2) Every original or renewal identification card  
17 issued to a person who has reached his or her 15th  
18 birthday, but is not yet 21 years of age shall expire 3  
19 months after the person's 21st birthday.

20 (b) Except as provided elsewhere in this Section, every  
21 original, renewal, or duplicate: (i) non-REAL ID  
22 identification card issued to a person who has reached his or  
23 her 65th birthday shall be permanent and need not be renewed;

1 (ii) REAL ID compliant identification card issued on or after  
2 July 1, 2017, to a person who has reached his or her 65th  
3 birthday shall expire 8 years thereafter; (iii) non-REAL ID  
4 Illinois Person with a Disability Identification Card issued  
5 to a qualifying person shall expire 10 years thereafter; and  
6 (iv) REAL ID compliant Illinois Person with a Disability  
7 Identification Card issued on or after July 1, 2017, shall  
8 expire 8 years thereafter. The Secretary of State shall  
9 promulgate rules setting forth the conditions and criteria for  
10 the renewal of all Illinois Person with a Disability  
11 Identification Cards.

12 (c) Every identification card or Illinois Person with a  
13 Disability Identification Card issued under this Act to an  
14 applicant who is not a United States citizen or permanent  
15 resident, ~~other than a conditional permanent resident,~~ or an  
16 individual who has an approved application for asylum in the  
17 United States or has entered the United States in refugee  
18 status, shall expire on whichever is the earlier date of the  
19 following:

20 (1) as provided under subsection (a) or (b) of this  
21 Section;

22 (2) on the date the applicant's authorized stay in the  
23 United States terminates; or

24 (3) if the applicant's authorized stay is indefinite  
25 and the applicant is applying for a Limited Term REAL ID  
26 compliant identification card, one year from the date of

1 issuance of the card.

2 (d) Every REAL ID compliant identification card or REAL ID  
3 compliant Person with a Disability Identification Card issued  
4 under this Act to an applicant who is not a United States  
5 citizen or permanent resident, ~~other than a conditional~~  
6 ~~permanent resident,~~ or an individual who has an approved  
7 application for asylum in the United States or has entered the  
8 United States in refugee status, shall be marked "Limited  
9 Term".

10 (Source: P.A. 100-248, eff. 8-22-17; 100-827, eff. 8-13-18;  
11 101-185, eff. 1-1-20.)

12 Section 10. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
13 changing Section 6-115 as follows:

14 (625 ILCS 5/6-115) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 6-115)

15 Sec. 6-115. Expiration of driver's license.

16 (a) Except as provided elsewhere in this Section, every  
17 driver's license issued under the provisions of this Code  
18 shall expire 4 years from the date of its issuance, or at such  
19 later date, as the Secretary of State may by proper rule and  
20 regulation designate, not to exceed 12 calendar months; in the  
21 event that an applicant for renewal of a driver's license  
22 fails to apply prior to the expiration date of the previous  
23 driver's license, the renewal driver's license shall expire 4  
24 years from the expiration date of the previous driver's

1 license, or at such later date as the Secretary of State may by  
2 proper rule and regulation designate, not to exceed 12  
3 calendar months.

4 The Secretary of State may, however, issue to a person not  
5 previously licensed as a driver in Illinois a driver's license  
6 which will expire not less than 4 years nor more than 5 years  
7 from date of issuance, except as provided elsewhere in this  
8 Section.

9 (a-5) Every driver's license issued under this Code to an  
10 applicant who is not a United States citizen or permanent  
11 resident, ~~other than a conditional permanent resident,~~ or an  
12 individual who has an approved application for asylum in the  
13 United States or has entered the United States in refugee  
14 status, shall expire on whichever is the earlier date of the  
15 following:

16 (1) as provided under subsection (a), (f), (g), or (i)  
17 of this Section;

18 (2) on the date the applicant's authorized stay in the  
19 United States terminates; or

20 (3) if the applicant's authorized stay is indefinite  
21 and the applicant is applying for a Limited Term REAL ID  
22 compliant driver's license, one year from the date of  
23 issuance of the license.

24 (a-10) Every REAL ID compliant driver's license issued  
25 under this Code to an applicant who is not a United States  
26 citizen or permanent resident, ~~other than a conditional~~

1 ~~permanent resident,~~ or an individual who has an approved  
2 application for asylum in the United States or has entered the  
3 United States in refugee status, shall be marked "Limited  
4 Term".

5 (b) Before the expiration of a driver's license, except  
6 those licenses expiring on the individual's 21st birthday, or  
7 3 months after the individual's 21st birthday, the holder  
8 thereof may apply for a renewal thereof, subject to all the  
9 provisions of Section 6-103, and the Secretary of State may  
10 require an examination of the applicant. A licensee whose  
11 driver's license expires on his 21st birthday, or 3 months  
12 after his 21st birthday, may not apply for a renewal of his  
13 driving privileges until he reaches the age of 21.

14 (c) The Secretary of State shall, 30 days prior to the  
15 expiration of a driver's license, forward to each person whose  
16 license is to expire a notification of the expiration of said  
17 license which may be presented at the time of renewal of said  
18 license.

19 There may be included with such notification information  
20 explaining the anatomical gift and Emergency Medical  
21 Information Card provisions of Section 6-110. The format and  
22 text of such information shall be prescribed by the Secretary.

23 There shall be included with such notification, for a  
24 period of 4 years beginning January 1, 2000 information  
25 regarding the Illinois Adoption Registry and Medical  
26 Information Exchange established in Section 18.1 of the

1 Adoption Act.

2 (d) The Secretary may defer the expiration of the driver's  
3 license of a licensee, spouse, and dependent children who are  
4 living with such licensee while on active duty, serving in the  
5 Armed Forces of the United States outside of the State of  
6 Illinois, and 120 days thereafter, upon such terms and  
7 conditions as the Secretary may prescribe.

8 (d-5) The Secretary may defer the expiration of the  
9 driver's license of a licensee, or of a spouse or dependent  
10 children living with the licensee, serving as a civilian  
11 employee of the United States Armed Forces or the United  
12 States Department of Defense, outside of the State of  
13 Illinois, and 120 days thereafter, upon such terms and  
14 conditions as the Secretary may prescribe.

15 (e) The Secretary of State may decline to process a  
16 renewal of a driver's license of any person who has not paid  
17 any fee or tax due under this Code and is not paid upon  
18 reasonable notice and demand.

19 (f) The Secretary shall provide that each original or  
20 renewal driver's license issued to a licensee under 21 years  
21 of age shall expire 3 months after the licensee's 21st  
22 birthday. Persons whose current driver's licenses expire on  
23 their 21st birthday on or after January 1, 1986 shall not renew  
24 their driver's license before their 21st birthday, and their  
25 current driver's license will be extended for an additional  
26 term of 3 months beyond their 21st birthday. Thereafter, the

1 expiration and term of the driver's license shall be governed  
2 by subsection (a) hereof.

3 (g) The Secretary shall provide that each original or  
4 renewal driver's license issued to a licensee 81 years of age  
5 through age 86 shall expire 2 years from the date of issuance,  
6 or at such later date as the Secretary may by rule and  
7 regulation designate, not to exceed an additional 12 calendar  
8 months. The Secretary shall also provide that each original or  
9 renewal driver's license issued to a licensee 87 years of age  
10 or older shall expire 12 months from the date of issuance, or  
11 at such later date as the Secretary may by rule and regulation  
12 designate, not to exceed an additional 12 calendar months.

13 (h) The Secretary of State shall provide that each special  
14 restricted driver's license issued under subsection (g) of  
15 Section 6-113 of this Code shall expire 12 months from the date  
16 of issuance. The Secretary shall adopt rules defining renewal  
17 requirements.

18 (i) The Secretary of State shall provide that each  
19 driver's license issued to a person convicted of a sex offense  
20 as defined in Section 2 of the Sex Offender Registration Act  
21 shall expire 12 months from the date of issuance or at such  
22 date as the Secretary may by rule designate, not to exceed an  
23 additional 12 calendar months. The Secretary may adopt rules  
24 defining renewal requirements.

25 (Source: P.A. 100-248, eff. 8-22-17; 100-863, eff. 8-14-18;  
26 101-185, eff. 1-1-20.)