

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2015 and 2016 HB5644

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

New Act

Creates the Electronic Driver's License Pilot Program Act. Provides that the Secretary of State shall develop a program to test the use of electronic driver's licenses and designate a group of volunteer employees within its office to conduct a test of the app. At the end of the pilot program period, the Secretary shall report all the findings to the General Assembly.

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

- Section 1. Short title. This Act may be cited as the Electronic Driver's License Pilot Program Act.
- Section 5. Purpose. The purpose of this Act is to create a pilot program that would test the use of electronic driver's licenses in this State and to report the findings to the General Assembly.
- 10 Section 10. Pilot Program.

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- (a) Six months after the effective date of this Act, the Secretary of State shall develop a program to test the use of electronic driver's licenses in this State for purposes similar to the use of physical driver's licenses.
 - (b) Six months after the effective date of this Act, the Secretary shall designate a limited group of volunteer employees within its office, who frequently use state or private vehicles, to be part of a group that shall test an electronic driver's license program for a period of at least 90 days.
- 21 (c) The pilot program group may use all features of the 22 electronic driver's license app, except for the purpose of

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- purchasing alcohol, and shall be responsible for examining the app's security features and ease of use.
- 3 (d) At the end of the pilot program period, the test group 4 shall give its findings to the Secretary who shall file a 5 report with the General Assembly. The report shall include, but 6 is not limited to:
- 7 (1) the overall function of the electronic licenses;
- 8 (2) the benefits to the State of having an electronic 9 driver's license app;
 - (3) the security concerns while using the app; and
- 11 (4) the cost projection for State-wide use of 12 electronic driver's licenses.
- Section 15. Expiration. This Act is repealed on December 31, 2018.