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AN ACT

1 Amending Titles 18 (Crimes and Offenses) and 75 (Vehicles) of
2 the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in firearms and other
3 dangerous articles, further providing for licenses; and, in
4 licensing of drivers, further providing for issuance and
5 content of driver's license and providing for revocation of
6 license following acquisition, expiration or revocation of
7 license to carry firearms.

8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
9 hereby enacts as follows:

10 Section 1. Section 6109 of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania
11 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:

12 § 6109. Licenses.

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14 (1.1) Notification for issuance, expiration or revocation of
15 license.--If a person is issued a license to carry a firearm or
16 if a person's license to carry a firearm expires or is revoked,
17 the sheriff in the county in which the person resides or the
18 chief of police of a city of the first class for persons who
19 reside in a city of the first class shall notify the Department
20 of Transportation within seven days of the issuance, expiration

1 or revocation on a form developed by the Department of
2 Transportation for the purposes of revoking the person's current
3 driver's license.

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5 Section 2. Section 1510(a) of Title 75 is amended to read:

6 § 1510. Issuance and content of driver's license.

7 (a) General rule.--The department shall, upon payment of the
8 required fee, issue to every qualified applicant a driver's
9 license indicating the type or general class of vehicles the
10 licensee is authorized to drive and any endorsements or
11 restrictions, which license, except as provided in subsection
12 (j), shall contain a distinguishing number assigned by the
13 department to the licensee, the actual name, date of birth,
14 residence address, a color photograph or photographic facsimile
15 of the licensee, a section indicating whether the person
16 possesses a valid license to carry a firearm under 18 Pa.C.S. §
17 6109 (relating to licenses) and such other information as may be
18 required by the department, and either a facsimile of the
19 signature of the licensee or a space upon which the licensee
20 shall write his usual signature with pen and ink. Program
21 participants in the Address Confidentiality Program under 23
22 Pa.C.S. Ch. 67 (relating to domestic and sexual violence victim
23 address confidentiality) may use a substitute address designated
24 by the Office of Victim Advocate as their address. Personal
25 medical data and other information for use in an emergency may
26 be included as a part of the license. Information other than
27 that required to identify the licensee, the distinguishing
28 number and the class of license issued may be included in
29 microdata form. Except as provided in subsection (f), an
30 applicant shall include his Social Security number on his

1 license application, but the Social Security number shall not be
2 included on the license. No driver's license shall be valid
3 until it has been signed by the licensee.

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5 Section 3. Title 75 is amended by adding a section to read:

6 § 1557. Revocation of license following acquisition, expiration
7 or revocation of a license to carry firearms.

8 (a) General rule.--The department shall, within 48 hours of
9 receiving a form informing the department of a person's
10 acquisition, expiration or revocation of a license to carry
11 firearms, revoke the person's driver's license if the driver's
12 license no longer provides accurate information regarding
13 whether the person possesses a valid license to carry a firearm
14 under 18 Pa.C.S. § 6109 (relating to licenses).

15 (b) Revocation.--

16 (1) Upon the revocation of a person's driver's license
17 under subsection (a), the department shall notify the person
18 in writing at the address of record to surrender the person's
19 driver's license to the department. Driver's licenses that
20 are surrendered to the department under subsection (a) may be
21 destroyed.

22 (2) The department shall include with the written notice
23 of revocation under this section a temporary driver's license
24 containing accurate information regarding whether the person
25 possesses a valid license to carry a firearm under 18 Pa.C.S.
26 § 6109 which shall be valid for no longer than one month.

27 (3) Upon receipt of a surrendered driver's license under
28 this section, the department shall send the person a new
29 driver's license containing accurate information regarding
30 whether the person possesses a valid license to carry a

1 firearm under 18 Pa.C.S. § 6109 to the person's address of
2 record.

3 Section 4. This act shall take effect in 60 days.