
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO THE RENEWAL OF DRIVER'S LICENSES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 286-107, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. By amending subsection (c) to read:

4 "(c) Any person who holds a category (1), (2), or (3)
5 license issued under this part [~~who is unable to appear in~~
6 ~~person before the examiner of drivers to apply for a renewal of~~
7 ~~the driver's license,~~] may apply for a renewal of the
8 driver's license online, by using any electronic or digital
9 means provided by the examiner of drivers, or by mail, if the
10 person is not disqualified from renewing the license under
11 subsection (a) except as provided under subsection (h) [~~, apply~~
12 ~~for a renewal by mail]~~. The applicant's request to have the
13 license renewed by mail must be received by the examiner of
14 drivers within ninety days after the expiration of the license
15 or it shall be treated as an application for reactivation of an
16 expired license under section 286-107.5. The examiner of
17 drivers shall, upon receipt of the request, furnish the



1 applicant with all necessary forms and instructions. An
2 application for renewal by mail made pursuant to this subsection
3 shall be accompanied by a statement from a licensed physician,
4 physician assistant, or advanced practice registered nurse
5 certifying that the applicant was examined by the licensed
6 physician, physician assistant, or advanced practice registered
7 nurse not more than six months [~~prior to~~] before the expiration
8 date of the applicant's license and that the applicant was found
9 by the examination to have met the physical requirements
10 established by the state director of transportation for the
11 renewal of licenses. The application for renewal by mail shall
12 also be accompanied by:

- 13 (1) A notarized statement of the applicant certifying that
14 the applicant does not possess any valid license to
15 operate the same or similar category or categories of
16 motor vehicles, issued by another licensing authority
17 (unless the license is concurrently surrendered); and
18 (2) [~~Such~~] Any other information as may be required by the
19 examiner of drivers that is reasonably necessary to
20 confirm the identity of the applicant and the



1 applicant's fitness to continue to operate a motor
2 vehicle."

3 2. By amending subsection (f) to read:

4 "(f) No driver's license shall be renewable by mail[+] or
5 by electronic or digital means:

6 (1) For more than two consecutive renewals, regardless of
7 whether the license expires, as provided under section
8 286-106, on the eighth[~~7~~] or fourth[~~7~~, ~~or~~ ~~second~~]
9 birthday after issuance; or

10 (2) Sixteen years have lapsed since the applicant had
11 appeared in person;

12 provided that this subsection shall not apply to a resident
13 military person or that person's immediate family if the
14 resident military person resides outside the State on official
15 military orders."

16 SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
17 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

18 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Driver's Licenses; Renewal by Mail; Online Renewal

Description:

Allows for the renewal of driver's licenses by mail or online.
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