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**Fiscal Note**



Fiscal Note On: **HB 613** HLS 26RS 446

Bill Text Version: **ENROLLED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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<b>Subject:</b> Image indicating US citizenship on driver's license		

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Requires the office of motor vehicles to display an image indicating the United States citizenship status on driver's licenses and state identification cards of cardholders

Proposed law provides for an administrative modification to state-issued identification by directing the Office of Motor Vehicles (OMV) to apply a visible citizenship indicator (an eagle in flight) to driver's licenses and identification cards.

EXPENDITURES	2026-27	2027-28	2028-29	2029-30	2030-31	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Agy. Self-Gen.	<b>SEE BELOW</b>	<b>SEE BELOW</b>	<b>SEE BELOW</b>	<b>SEE BELOW</b>	<b>SEE BELOW</b>	
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
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**EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION**

Proposed law is anticipated to result in an increase in state expenditures within the OMV. However, implementation may require one-time expenditures for information technology modifications, including updates to licensing systems, database fields, and card design templates to incorporate the citizenship indicator. Additional costs may include vendor adjustments for card production and testing to ensure compliance with existing identification standards.

OMV may also incur administrative expenses associated with updating internal procedures, staff training, and public-facing materials. These costs are expected to be absorbed within existing resources, but could vary depending on implementation scope.

Note: Information regarding the specific fiscal impact of the proposed legislation was requested from the Department of Public Safety, Office of Motor Vehicles. No responses were received prior to the publication of this fiscal note. This document will be updated to reflect any information provided once responses are received.

**REVENUE EXPLANATION**

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

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13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S & H}

6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}

13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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