

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Existing law authorizes any credential that is authorized or required by the state to be made available in digitized format on a program accessible through an electronic wallet.

New law permits the commissioner of administration to coordinate with the governing bodies of the following professions and occupations to implement digitized credentials:

- (1) The La. State Bar Assoc. for the inclusion of bar membership cards.
- (2) The La. High School Athletic Assoc. for the inclusion of a referee credential.
- (3) Public and private universities and colleges in La. for the inclusion of faculty, staff, and student credentials.
- (4) The Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections, office of motor vehicles, for the inclusion of mobility impaired identification cards.

Prior law (R.S. 32:707.2(C)(2)) requires each lender that originates more than 250 motor vehicle transactions per year to designate a public tag agent and requires the lender to interface its computer system for the purpose of receiving and transmitting electronic information from the office of motor vehicles.

R.S. 32:707.2(C)(2) as amended in ACT 454 of the 2026 R.S. reduces the number of motor vehicle transactions originated by a lender per year from 250 to 25.

New law, as contained in ACT 850 of the 2026 R.S. reinstates the number of required motor vehicle transactions originated by a lender per year to 250.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Amends R.S. 32:707.2(C)(2) and 39:17.2(A))