

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Bill No. 586 by Representative St. Germain

MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC: Increases the age by which a person must submit a signed statement attesting to supervised driving practice when issued a Class "E" driver's license for the first time

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. The parent or guardian of a seventeen year old or an eighteen year old or older first time Class "E" applicant must provide a signed statement attesting to their completion of fifty hours of supervised driving practice.
2. Emancipated seventeen year olds applying for a Class "E" license for the first time shall provide such attestation for himself with the necessary identifying documents.

Digest of Bill as Finally Passed by Senate

Present law requires a 17 year old or older first time Class "E" license applicant to provide a signed statement to the department attesting that the applicant has completed a minimum of 50 hours of supervised driving practice with a licensed parent, guardian, or adult of at least 21 years of age or older.

Proposed law increases the age at which a person must submit a signed statement to 18 years of age.

(Amends R.S. 32:405.1)