

ASSEMBLY, No. 4796

STATE OF NEW JERSEY 219th LEGISLATURE

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SYNOPSIS

Requires MVC to waive convenience fee charged for online transactions during COVID-19 public health emergency and state of emergency.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As introduced.



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1 AN ACT requiring the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission to
2 waive the convenience fee charged for online transactions during
3 the COVID-19 public health emergency and state of emergency.
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5 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
6 *of New Jersey:*
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8 1. During the public health emergency and state of emergency
9 declared on March 9, 2020 by the Governor, pursuant to Executive
10 Order No. 103 and extended, where applicable, by subsequent
11 executive orders and notwithstanding the provision of any other
12 law, rule, or regulation to the contrary, the New Jersey Motor
13 Vehicle Commission shall waive the convenience fee charged for
14 online transactions made through the commission website. The
15 commission shall reimburse any person who has paid the
16 convenience fee during the public health emergency and state of
17 emergency in the period prior to the effective date of this act.
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19 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall expire upon
20 the rescission by the Governor of Executive Order No. 103 of 2020
21 and any subsequent executive orders extending the public health
22 emergency; or, in the absence of a rescission by the Governor, upon
23 the termination in any other manner of the declared state of
24 emergency and public health emergency.
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27 STATEMENT
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29 This bill requires the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission
30 (commission) to waive the convenience fee charged for online
31 transactions on the commission website during the Coronavirus
32 disease 2019 (COVID-19) public health emergency and state of
33 emergency. The bills also requires the commission to reimburse
34 any person who has paid the convenience fee during the public
35 health emergency and state of emergency in the period prior to the
36 effective date of the bill.

37 The provisions of the bill are to expire upon the rescission by the
38 Governor of Executive Order No. 103 of 2020 and any subsequent
39 executive orders extending the public health emergency; or, in the
40 absence of a rescission by the Governor, upon the termination in
41 any other manner of the declared state of emergency and public
42 health emergency.