



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 335

LCO No. 1800



Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by:
(TRA)

***AN ACT REQUIRING CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR
CONNECTICUT'S DRIVERS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 14-41 of the 2014 supplement to the general
2 statutes is amended by adding subsection (g) as follows (*Effective*
3 *October 1, 2014*):

4 (NEW) (g) (1) On and after January 1, 2016, a licensee seeking
5 renewal of a motor vehicle operator's license shall be required to pass a
6 comprehensive test as to knowledge of the laws concerning motor
7 vehicles and the rules of the road. If such licensee does not pass such
8 knowledge test on the first attempt, such licensee shall be required to
9 pass an on-the-road skills test, as prescribed by the commissioner, in
10 addition to such knowledge test.

11 (2) If the commissioner requires a written test of any licensee under
12 this subsection, the test shall be given in English or Spanish at the
13 option of the licensee, provided the commissioner shall require that the
14 licensee has sufficient understanding of English for the interpretation

15 of traffic control signs.

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | October 1, 2014 | 14-41 |

Statement of Purpose:

To require a continuing education class before the renewal of a motor vehicle operator's license.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]