



General Assembly

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**Raised Bill No. 939**

LCO No. 3866



Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by:  
(TRA)

**AN ACT CONCERNING TECHNICAL CHANGES TO CERTAIN  
TRANSPORTATION-RELATED STATUTES.**

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 14-37a of the general statutes, as  
2 amended by section 2 of public act 14-228, is repealed and the  
3 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2015*):

4 (b) The commissioner may, in the commissioner's discretion upon a  
5 showing of significant hardship, grant each such application that is  
6 submitted in proper form and contains such information and  
7 attestation by the applicant as the commissioner may require. With  
8 respect to an application for an education permit, an applicant shall  
9 also be required to submit a schedule of the time and location of all  
10 classes or other required educational activities attended by such  
11 applicant. Such schedule shall be attested to by the registrar of such  
12 educational institution. In determining whether to grant such  
13 application, the commissioner may also consider the driving record of  
14 the applicant and shall ascertain that the suspension is a final order  
15 that is not under appeal pursuant to section 4-183. A special operator's  
16 permit shall not be issued pursuant to this section to any person for the

17 operation of a motor vehicle for which a public passenger  
18 [transportation permit] endorsement, as defined in section 14-1, or  
19 commercial driver's license is required or to any person whose  
20 operator's license has been suspended previously pursuant to section  
21 14-227a or 14-227b. A person shall not be ineligible to be issued a  
22 special operator's permit under this section solely on the basis of being  
23 convicted of two violations of section 14-227a unless such second  
24 conviction is for a violation committed after a prior conviction.

25 Sec. 2. Subsection (f) of section 14-41 of the general statutes is  
26 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*  
27 *1, 2015*):

28 (f) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 1-3a, if the expiration  
29 date of any motor vehicle operator's license or any public passenger  
30 endorsement, as defined in section 14-1, falls on any day when offices  
31 of the commissioner are closed for business or are open for less than a  
32 full business day, the license or [permit] endorsement shall be deemed  
33 valid until midnight of the next day on which offices of the  
34 commissioner are open for a full day of business.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2015</i>	14-37a(b)
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2015</i>	14-41(f)

**TRA**      *Joint Favorable*