

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2024**  
**Substitute for Raised H.B. No. 5331**

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**Introducer(s):**

Transportation Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING THE SUSPENSION OF MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATORS' LICENSES FOR FAILURE TO PAY FINES OR FEES OR FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR A SCHEDULED COURT APPEARANCE.

**Statement of Purpose:** To (1) prohibit the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles from suspending a license solely for failing to pay fines, fees or other charges resulting from a motor vehicle infraction or violation or for failure to appear for any scheduled court appearance with regard to any such infraction or violation, and (2) restore the operator's license of any person whose license was suspended for such failure.

**Bill History:**

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03-18-2024 JOINT FAVORABLE

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04-12-2024 NO NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

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04-16-2024 REFERRED BY HOUSE TO COMMITTEE ON Appropriations Committee

**Co-sponsor(s):**

Rep. Joshua M. Hall, 7th Dist.      Rep. Fred Gee, 126th Dist.

Rep. Geraldo C. Reyes, 75th Dist.      Sen. Patricia Billie Miller, 27th Dist.

Rep. Bobby G. Gibson, 15th Dist.      Sen. Herron Gaston, 23rd Dist.

Rep. Derell Wilson, 46th Dist.

Rep. Maryam Khan, 5th Dist.