General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 6042

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LCO No. **3280**

Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
REP. COURPAS, 149th Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING GOVERNMENT-ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION FOR VOTING PURPOSES.

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

That the general statutes be amended to (1) provide that, prior to receiving and being able to cast a ballot at the polling place, each elector shall present to the official checker or checkers a current and valid government-issued photo identification, which identification clearly displays such elector's name and residential address; and (2) establish a program for waiving the fee associated with obtaining, for voting purposes, a motor vehicle operator's license, identity card or other government-issued form of photo identification.

Statement of Purpose:
To require government-issued photo identification at the polls in order to vote and establish a program for electors to obtain such identification at no cost.