

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

4 ENGROSSED SENATE
5 BILL NO. 216

6 By: Bergstrom of the Senate

7 and

8 Miller of the House

9 An Act relating to driver licenses; providing for
10 extension of certain driver license; requiring
11 mailing of driver license to certain individual;
12 requiring Service Oklahoma and Department of
13 Corrections to enter into certain agreement;
14 authorizing rule promulgation; amending 47 O.S. 2021,
15 Section 6-212, as amended by Section 73, Chapter 282,
16 O.S.L. 2022 (47 O.S. Supp. 2024, Section 6-212),
17 which relates to provisional licenses; modifying
18 provisions related to license reinstatement;
19 requiring certain notification; prohibiting certain
20 eligibility; requiring Service Oklahoma to enter into
21 certain agreements; requiring the Department of
22 Corrections to provide certain assistance;
23 authorizing promulgation of rules; removing obsolete
24 language; amending 57 O.S. 2021, Section 513.3, as
25 amended by Section 1, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 2022 (57
26 O.S. Supp. 2024, Section 513.3), which relates to the
27 Sarah Stitt Act; updating statutory reference;
28 providing for codification; and providing an
29 effective date.

30 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

1 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
2 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 6-205.3 of Title 47, unless
3 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

4 A. Any person who held a valid, unexpired Oklahoma driver
5 license upon imprisonment in the custody of the Department of
6 Corrections which expired within the last three (3) years during the
7 person's term of imprisonment, shall have the expiration date of his
8 or her driver license extended for a period of six (6) months after
9 he or she is released from the custody of the Department of
10 Corrections. Upon release from custody, Service Oklahoma shall mail
11 a replacement driver license to an address provided by the person.

12 B. Service Oklahoma and the Department of Corrections shall
13 enter into a data-sharing agreement to facilitate the exchange of
14 necessary data to carry out the provisions of this section.

15 C. Service Oklahoma and the Department of Corrections are
16 authorized to promulgate rules and procedures to implement the
17 provisions of this section.

18 SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 6-212, as
19 amended by Section 73, Chapter 282, O.S.L. 2022 (47 O.S. Supp. 2024,
20 Section 6-212), is amended to read as follows:

21 Section 6-212. A. Service Oklahoma shall not assess and
22 collect multiple reinstatement fees when reinstating the driving
23 privilege of any person having more than one suspension or

1 revocation affecting the person's driving privilege at the time of
2 reinstatement.

3 B. Service Oklahoma shall:

4 1. Suspend or revoke a person's driving privilege as delineated
5 within the Oklahoma Statutes; and

6 2. Require any person having more than one suspension or
7 revocation affecting the person's driving privilege to meet the
8 statutory requirements for each action as a condition precedent to
9 the reinstatement of any driving privilege. Provided, however,
10 reinstatement fees shall not be cumulative, and a single
11 reinstatement fee, as provided for in subsection C of this section,
12 shall be paid for all suspensions or revocations as shown by Service
13 Oklahoma's records at the time of reinstatement.

14 C. Whenever a person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle is
15 suspended or revoked pursuant to any provision as authorized by the
16 Oklahoma Statutes, the license or privilege to operate a motor
17 vehicle shall remain under suspension or revocation and shall not be
18 reinstated until:

19 1. The expiration of each such revocation or suspension order;

20 2. The person has paid to Service Oklahoma:

21 a. if such privilege is suspended or revoked pursuant to
22 Section 1115.5 of Title 22 of the Oklahoma Statutes or
23 pursuant to any provisions of this title, except as
24 provided in subparagraph b of this paragraph, a

1 processing fee of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for
2 each such suspension or revocation as shown by Service
3 Oklahoma's records, or

- 4 b. (1) if such privilege is suspended or revoked
5 pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-205, 6-
6 205.1, 7-612, 753, 754 or 761 of this title or
7 pursuant to subsection A of Section 7-605 of this
8 title for a conviction for failure to maintain
9 the mandatory motor vehicle insurance required by
10 law or pursuant to subsection B of Section 6-206
11 of this title for a suspension other than for
12 points accumulation, a processing fee of Seventy-
13 five Dollars (\$75.00) for each such suspension or
14 revocation as shown by Service Oklahoma's
15 records, and a special assessment trauma-care fee
16 of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) to be deposited
17 into the Trauma Care Assistance Revolving Fund
18 created in Section 1-2530.9 of Title 63 of the
19 Oklahoma Statutes, for each suspension or
20 revocation as shown by the records of Service
21 Oklahoma, and
22 (2) in addition to any other fees required by this
23 section, if such privilege is suspended or
24 revoked pursuant to an arrest ~~on or after~~

1 November 1, 2008, under the provisions of
2 paragraph 2 or 6 of subsection A of Section 6-205
3 of this title or of Section 753, 754 or 761 of
4 this title, a fee of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00),
5 which shall be apportioned pursuant to the
6 provisions of Section 3-460 of Title 43A of the
7 Oklahoma Statutes; and

8 3. The person has paid to Service Oklahoma a single
9 reinstatement fee of, ~~beginning on July 1, 2013, and any year~~
10 ~~thereafter~~, Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).

11 Service Oklahoma shall notify the license holder within three (3)
12 days of reinstatement that the license holder shall apply for a new
13 driver license pursuant to subsection A of Section 6-209 of this
14 title.

15 D. Service Oklahoma ~~is hereby authorized to~~ shall enter into
16 agreements with persons whose license to operate a motor vehicle or
17 commercial motor vehicle has been suspended or revoked, for issuance
18 of a provisional license subject to any restrictions imposed by law
19 or a court order. The provisional license would allow such persons
20 to drive from 6:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. Driving privileges for a
21 provisional license are limited from 12:00 a.m. to 5:59 a.m. to
22 driving:

23 1. Between their place of residence and their place of
24 employment or potential employment;

1 2. During the scope and course of their employment;

2 3. Between their place of residence and a college, university

3 or technology center;

4 4. Between their place of residence and their child's school or

5 day care provider;

6 5. Between their place of residence and a place of worship; or

7 6. Between their place of residence and any court-ordered

8 treatment program,

9 with the condition that such persons pay a minimum total of Five

10 Dollars (\$5.00) per month toward the satisfaction of outstanding

11 fees, including, but not limited to, provisional license fees,

12 warrant fees, court costs or fees, driver license or commercial

13 driver license reinstatement fees. Service Oklahoma may suspend or

14 revoke a provisional license pursuant to this section if the person

15 fails to honor the payment plan. The person may re-enroll in the

16 provisional driver license program.

17 E. Any person convicted of an offense specified in paragraph 1,

18 4, or 8 of subsection A of Section 6-205 of this title shall not be

19 eligible for a provisional license.

20 F. Any violation of law by the person holding the provisional

21 license that would result in the suspension or revocation of a

22 driver license, except for the failure to pay fines, fees, or other

23 financial obligations if the person is participating in a payment

24 plan, shall result in the revocation of the provisional license.

1 F. G. Eligibility for a provisional license shall not take into
2 consideration any outstanding fines and fees owed, including, but
3 not limited to, warrant fees, court costs or fees, driver license or
4 commercial driver license reinstatement fees.

5 G. H. A person with a suspended driver license shall not have
6 to take a driver license test to be eligible for a provisional
7 license~~s~~, provided, the suspended license has not expired.

8 H. I. The Department of Corrections shall provide inmates with
9 relevant documentation to obtain a provisional license as provided
10 in subsection D of this section before being released from custody.
11 The Department of Corrections shall develop rules and procedures
12 necessary to implement the provisions of this subsection.

13 J. Service Oklahoma shall develop rules and procedures
14 necessary to implement the provisions of this section except as
15 otherwise provided by this title.

16 I. Effective July 1, 2002, and for

17 K. For each fiscal year thereafter:

18 1. Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) of all
19 monies collected each month pursuant to this section shall be
20 apportioned as provided in Section 1104 of this title, except as
21 otherwise provided in this section; and

22 2. Except as otherwise provided in this section, all other
23 monies collected in excess of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars

1 (\$250,000.00) each month shall be deposited in the General Revenue
2 Fund.

3 SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 57 O.S. 2021, Section 513.3, as
4 amended by Section 1, Chapter 64, O.S.L. 2022 (57 O.S. Supp. 2024,
5 Section 513.3), is amended to read as follows:

6 Section 513.3. A. When any inmate shall be discharged from an
7 institution of the Department of Corrections and the intended
8 residence designated by the inmate is within this state, the
9 Department of Corrections shall provide the inmate with relevant
10 documentation to assist the inmate in obtaining post-release
11 employment and shall coordinate with ~~the Department of Public Safety~~
12 Service Oklahoma to provide a REAL ID Noncompliant Identification
13 Card if the inmate does not have a current state-issued
14 identification card or driver license.

15 B. 1. Within nine (9) months prior to the release of an inmate
16 from custody, the Department of Corrections shall identify whether
17 the inmate has a current form of state identification and begin the
18 process of gathering the documentation required for the issuance of
19 a REAL ID Noncompliant Identification Card pursuant to Section 6-
20 105.3 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes. If an inmate has any
21 valid form of a state-issued identification card or driver license,
22 the inmate may avail himself or herself of the provisions of this
23 section.

1 2. The Department of Corrections may utilize any funds
2 available to cover the costs associated with the implementation and
3 administration of this section and the purchase of REAL ID
4 Noncompliant Identification Cards, including, but not limited to,
5 inmate trust funds, existing funds of the Department of Corrections,
6 and donations.

7 3. The provisions of this section shall apply only to inmates
8 who may receive a state-issued identification card pursuant to
9 Section 1550.42 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

10 C. For purposes of assisting an inmate in obtaining post-
11 release employment, the Department of Corrections shall provide the
12 inmate with the following documentation:

13 1. A copy of the vocational training record of the inmate, if
14 applicable;

15 2. A copy of the work record of the inmate, if applicable;

16 3. A certified copy of the birth certificate of the inmate, if
17 obtainable;

18 4. A Social Security card or a replacement Social Security card
19 of the inmate, if obtainable;

20 5. A resume that includes any trade learned by the inmate and
21 the proficiency at that trade by the inmate; and

22 6. Documentation that the inmate has completed a practice job
23 interview.

1 In addition, the Department shall notify the inmate if he or she
2 is eligible to apply for a license from a state entity charged with
3 oversight of an occupational license or certification.

4 D. The following categories of inmates are not required to
5 complete resumes or practice job interviews prior to their release
6 from incarceration:

- 7 1. Inmates sixty-five (65) years of age or older;
- 8 2. Inmates releasing to medical parole or discharging from a
9 prison infirmary setting;
- 10 3. Inmates releasing from a Department of Corrections Mental
11 Health Unit;
- 12 4. Inmates releasing to the custody of another jurisdiction on
13 a warrant or detainer;
- 14 5. Inmates returning to community supervision from an
15 intermediate revocation facility; and
- 16 6. Inmates that the Department determines would be physically
17 or mentally unable to return to the workforce upon release from
18 incarceration.

19 E. The Department of Corrections is authorized to promulgate
20 rules and procedures to implement the provisions of this section.

21 SECTION 4. This act shall become effective July 1, 2026.

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23 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND PUBLIC SAFETY, dated
04/17/2025 - DO PASS.

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