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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to procedures for the issuance of a personal identification certificate to a person 65 years of age or older whose driver's license is surrendered.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1.  Section 521.101, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Subsection (n) to read as follows:

(n)  The department shall adopt procedures to allow a person who is 65 years of age or older to apply for a personal identification certificate online or by phone if the person surrenders the person's driver's license in a manner prescribed by the department. The procedures:

(1)  must be in compliance with federal guidelines governing the issuance of identity documents; and

(2)  may require the person issued a personal identification certificate to update information previously provided to the department under Section 521.142.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect September 1, 2023.