

1 AN ACT relating to issuance of operator's licenses and other identity documents.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 186.531 is amended to read as follows:

4 (1) As used in this section:

5 (a)~~["AOC Fund" means the circuit court clerk salary account created in KRS~~
6 ~~27A.052;~~

7 ~~(b)}~~ "GF" means the general fund;

8 ~~(b)~~~~(c)}~~ "IP" means instruction permit;

9 ~~(c)~~~~(d)}~~ "License Fund" or "LF" means the KYTC photo license account created
10 in KRS 174.056;

11 ~~(d)~~~~(e)}~~ "MC" means motorcycle;

12 ~~(e)~~~~(f)}~~ "MC Fund" or "MCF" means the motorcycle safety education program
13 fund established in KRS 176.5065;

14 ~~(f)~~~~(g)}~~ "OL" means operator's license; and

15 ~~(g)~~~~(h)}~~ "PIDC" means personal identification card.

16 (2) The fees imposed for voluntary travel ID operator's licenses, instruction permits,
17 and personal identification cards shall be as follows. The fees received shall be
18 distributed as shown in the table. The fees shown, unless otherwise noted, are for an
19 eight (8) year period:

20 Card Type	Fee	LF	GF	MCF
21 OL (initial/renewal)	\$48	\$48	\$0	\$0
22 OL (Under 21) (Up to 4 years)	\$18	\$18	\$0	\$0
23 Any OL, MC, or combination				
24 (duplicate/corrected)	\$15	\$13.25	\$1.75	\$0
25 Motor vehicle IP (3 years)	\$18	\$16	\$2	\$0
26 Motorcycle IP (1 year)	\$18	\$13	\$1	\$4
27 Motorcycle OL (initial/renewal)	\$48	\$38	\$0	\$10

1	Combination vehicle/MC OL				
2	(initial/renewal)	\$58	\$48	\$0	\$10
3	PIDC (initial/renewal)	\$28	\$25	\$3	\$0
4	PIDC (duplicate/corrected)	\$15	\$13.50	\$1.50	\$0

5 (3) Except as provided in subsection (11) of this section, the fees imposed for
 6 standard operator's licenses, instruction permits, and personal identification
 7 cards shall be as follows and:

8 ~~(a) If the identity document is issued through a circuit clerk's office, the fees~~
 9 ~~received shall be distributed as shown in the table. The fees shown, unless~~
 10 ~~otherwise noted, are for an eight (8) year period:~~

11	Card	Fee	Road	License	AOC	GF	MC
12	Type		Fund	Fund	Fund		
13			Fund				
14	OL						
15	(initial/renewal)	\$43	\$28	\$7	\$8	\$0	\$0
16	OL (Under 21)						
17	(Up to 4 years)	\$15	\$7.50	\$4	\$3.50	\$0	\$0
18	Any OL, MC OL						
19	or combination						
20	(duplicate /corrected)	\$15	\$5.25	\$4	\$4	\$1.75	\$0
21	Motor vehicle IP						
22	(3 years)	\$15	\$5	\$4	\$4	\$2	\$0
23	Motorcycle IP						
24	(1 year)	\$15	\$5	\$4	\$1	\$1	\$4
25	Motorcycle OL						
26	(initial/renewal)	\$43	\$17.50	\$8	\$7.50	\$0	\$10
27	Combination						

1	vehicle/MC OL						
2	(initial/renewal)	\$53	\$25	\$7	\$11	\$0	\$10
3	PIDC						
4	(initial/renewal)	\$23	\$8	\$8	\$4	\$3	\$0
5	PIDC						
6	(duplicate/corrected)	\$15	\$6	\$4	\$3.50	\$1.50	\$0
7	PIDC						
8	(no fixed address)						
9	KRS 186.4122(5) and						
10	186.4123(5)	\$10	\$0	\$5	\$5	\$0	\$0

11 ~~(b) If the identity document is issued through a Transportation Cabinet office, the~~
 12 ~~fees received shall be distributed as shown in the table. The fees shown],~~
 13 ~~unless otherwise noted, are for an eight (8) year period:~~

14	Card Type	Fee	LF	GF	MCF
15	OL(initial/renewal)	\$43	\$43	\$0	\$0
16	OL (Under 21) (Up to 4 years)	\$15	\$15	\$0	\$0
17	Any OL, MC, or combination				
18	(duplicate/corrected)	\$15	\$13.25	\$1.75	\$0
19	Motor vehicle IP (3 years)	\$15	\$13	\$2	\$0
20	Motorcycle IP (1 year)	\$15	\$10	\$1	\$4
21	Motorcycle OL (initial/renewal)	\$43	\$33	\$0	\$10
22	Combination vehicle/MC OL				
23	(initial/renewal)	\$53	\$43	\$0	\$10
24	PIDC (initial/renewal)	\$23	\$20	\$3	\$0
25	PIDC (duplicate/corrected)	\$15	\$13.50	\$1.50	\$0
26	PIDC (no fixed address) under				
27	KRS 186.4122(5)/186.4123(5)	\$10	\$10	\$0	\$0

- 1 (4) The fee for a second or subsequent duplicate personal identification card for a
2 person who does not have a fixed, permanent address, as allowed under KRS
3 186.4122(5) and 186.4123(5), shall be the same as for a duplicate regular personal
4 identification card.
- 5 (5) The fee for a four (4) year original or renewal license issued pursuant to KRS
6 186.4101 shall be fifty percent (50%) of the amount shown in subsections (2) and
7 (3) of this section. The distribution of fees shown in subsections (2) and (3) of this
8 section shall also be reduced by fifty percent (50%) for licenses that are issued for
9 four (4) years.
- 10 (6) Any fee for any identity document applied for using alternative technology under
11 KRS 186.410 and 186.4122 shall be distributed in the same manner as a document
12 applied for in person with the cabinet.
- 13 (7) (a) An applicant for an original or renewal operator's license, permit, commercial
14 driver's license, motorcycle operator's license, or personal identification card
15 shall be requested by the cabinet to make a donation to promote an organ
16 donor program.
- 17 (b) The donation under this subsection shall be added to the regular fee for an
18 original or renewal motor vehicle operator's license, permit, commercial
19 driver's license, motorcycle operator's license, or personal identification card.
20 One (1) donation may be made per issuance or renewal of a license or any
21 combination thereof.
- 22 (c) The fee shall be paid to the cabinet and shall be forwarded by the cabinet on a
23 monthly basis to the Kentucky Circuit Court Clerks' Trust for Life, and such
24 moneys are hereby appropriated to be used exclusively for the purpose of
25 promoting an organ donor program. A donation under this subsection shall be
26 voluntary and may be refused by the applicant at the time of issuance or
27 renewal.

- 1 (8) In addition to the fees outlined in this section, the following individuals, upon
2 application for an initial or renewal operator's license, instruction permit, or
3 personal identification card, shall pay an additional application fee of thirty dollars
4 (\$30), which shall be deposited in the photo license account:
- 5 (a) An applicant who is not a United States citizen or permanent resident and who
6 applies under KRS 186.4121 or 186.4123; or
- 7 (b) An applicant who is applying for a instruction permit, operator's license, or
8 personal identification card without a photo under KRS 186.4102(9).
- 9 (9) (a) Except for individuals exempted under paragraph (c) of this subsection, an
10 applicant for relicensing after revocation or suspension shall pay a
11 reinstatement fee of forty dollars (\$40).
- 12 (b) The reinstatement fee under this subsection shall be distributed by the State
13 Treasurer as follows:
- 14 1. Thirty-five dollars (\$35) shall be deposited into the photo license
15 account; and
- 16 2. Five dollars (\$5) shall be deposited into a trust and agency fund to be
17 used in defraying the costs and expenses of administering a driver
18 improvement program for problem drivers.
- 19 (c) This subsection shall not apply to:
- 20 1. Any person whose license was suspended for failure to meet the
21 conditions set out in KRS 186.411 when, within one (1) year of
22 suspension, the driving privileges of the individual are reinstated; or
- 23 2. A student who has had his or her license revoked pursuant to KRS
24 159.051.
- 25 (10) As payment for any fee identified in this section, the cabinet:
- 26 (a) Shall accept cash and personal checks; and
- 27 (b) May accept other methods of payment in accordance with KRS 45.345.

- 1 (11) There shall be no fee assessed for the initial, renewal, or duplicate standard personal
2 identification card to an individual, if the individual:
- 3 (a) Does not possess a valid operator's license or a commercial driver's license;
4 and
- 5 (b) Is at least eighteen (18) years of age on or before the next regular election.

6 ➔Section 2. KRS 186.510 is amended to read as follows:

7 The licensee shall have his or her license in his or her immediate possession at all times
8 when driving a motor vehicle and shall display it upon demand to~~[the circuit clerk or~~
9 ~~examiner,]~~ a peace officer, a member of the Department of Kentucky State Police, or a
10 field deputy or inspector of the Department of Vehicle Regulation or Transportation
11 Cabinet or, pursuant to KRS 67A.075 or 83A.088, a safety officer who is in the process
12 of securing information to complete an accident report. It shall be a defense to any charge
13 under this section if the person so charged produces in court an operator's license, issued
14 to him or her before his or her arrest and valid at the time of his or her arrest.

15 ➔Section 3. KRS 27A.052 is amended to read as follows:

- 16 (1) The Circuit Court clerk salary account is created as a trust and agency account in
17 the State Treasury to be administered by the Administrative Office of the Courts.
18 The account shall consist of~~[the portion of fees directed to the account under KRS~~
19 ~~186.531 and any other]~~ proceeds from grants, contributions, appropriations, or other
20 moneys made available for the purposes of the account.
- 21 (2) Notwithstanding KRS 45.229, any moneys remaining in the account not expended
22 at the close of a fiscal year shall not lapse but shall be carried forward to the next
23 fiscal year.
- 24 (3) Any interest earnings of the account shall become a part of the account and shall
25 not lapse.
- 26 (4) Moneys in the account shall be used for the purposes of hiring additional deputy
27 circuit clerks and providing salary adjustments to deputy circuit clerks and are

1 hereby appropriated for these purposes.

2 ➔Section 4. The following KRS section is repealed:

3 186.490 Duties of the circuit clerk -- Issuing offices to close by June 30, 2022.