

HB 685 -- REAL ID ACT COMPLIANT DRIVER'S LICENSES

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This bill repeals the prohibition against the Missouri Department of Revenue amending its procedures relating to driver's and nondriver's licenses in order to comply with the Federal REAL ID Act of 2005. This bill makes additional necessary changes to allow the Department of Revenue to meet the requirements of the federal REAL ID Act so that the department can issue REAL ID compliant driver's and nondriver's licenses to Missouri residents. REAL ID compliant licenses will provide Missouri residents with continued access to federal buildings, military bases, and domestic airline travel.

This bill also removes outdated language relating to duties the Department of Revenue was required to perform by December 31, 2013, and language relating to the department issuing concealed carry endorsements, which it no longer has the authority to do.

This bill is similar to HB 2138 (2016).