



# Ohio Legislative Service Commission

## Bill Analysis

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### H.B. 269

129th General Assembly

(As Reported by H. Transportation, Public Safety & Homeland Security)

**Reps.** Dovilla, Beck, Murray, Maag, Blair, McGregor, Stebelton, Reece, J. Adams, Letson, Mecklenborg, Kozlowski, Celebrezze, Johnson, Ruhl

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## BILL SUMMARY

- Provides that a person who holds a current, valid driver's license from another state is required to pass only vision screening in order to be issued a driver's license instead of the regular examination for obtaining a driver's license.

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## CONTENT AND OPERATION

### Tests required of new residents who hold a driver's license from another jurisdiction

Under the bill, any person who has in the person's possession a valid and current driver's license or motorcycle operator's license or endorsement issued to the person by another jurisdiction recognized by this state is exempt from having to submit to the regular examination for obtaining a driver's license or motorcycle operator's endorsement in this state if the person submits to and passes the usual vision screening, the person surrenders to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles or deputy registrar the person's driver's license issued by the other jurisdiction, and the person complies with all other applicable requirements for issuance by this state of a driver's license, driver's license with a motorcycle operator's endorsement, or restricted license to operate a motorcycle.<sup>1</sup> Current law provides that such a person is exempt from obtaining a temporary instruction permit but is required to submit to the regular examination in obtaining a driver's license or motorcycle operator's endorsement.

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<sup>1</sup> R.C. 4507.05(D).

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## HISTORY

### ACTION

### DATE

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