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SB 151 Reengrossed

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Present law describes circumstances in which a person's DNA is required to be taken.

Proposed law provides that any person who fails to submit a required DNA sample is considered noncompliant.

Proposed law requires the office of motor vehicles to flag a noncompliant person's driving record and prohibits the issuance, renewal, or reinstatement of a driver's license or identification card until DNA sample is received.

Proposed law requires that no later than January 1, 2027, the state police promulgate rules to flag a driver's license for outstanding Combined DNA Index System (CODIS) hits and persons that lawfully owe the state a DNA sample in order to complete their full DNA profile.

Effective August 1, 2026.

(Adds R.S. 15:609(K))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

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