

2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 698

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN

MOTOR VEHICLES: Provides relative to the suspension, revocation, renewal, and cancellation of licenses

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 32:414(N), relative to the suspension of driving and motor
3 vehicle registration privileges; to provide for penalties for payments and fees made
4 with an insufficient funds check; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 32:414(N) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §414. Suspension, revocation, renewal, and cancellation of licenses; judicial review

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9 N. The department may suspend the driving and motor vehicle registration
10 privileges of any person who pays taxes or fees to the office of motor vehicles, or to
11 a public license tag agent contracted with and acting on behalf of the office of motor
12 vehicles, with a check which is subsequently dishonored for insufficient funds, if the
13 person fails to redeem the check within thirty days after the date notice of suspension
14 is mailed to the licensee by the department. The period of suspension shall begin
15 thirty days after the date ~~the~~ notice of suspension is mailed to the licensee by the
16 department. Any license so suspended shall remain suspended until all pending
17 assessments against the person, including a reinstatement fee provided for in
18 Subsection H of this Section, have been paid in cash. No economic hardship license
19 shall be issued when a person's driving and motor vehicle registration privileges have
20 been suspended under the provisions of this Subsection. The department shall

