2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 680 (Substitute for House Bill No. 631 by Representative Bayham)

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC: Reduces the fee applicable to updating a name on a driver's license to a handling fee

1	AN ACT	
2	To enact R.S. 32:413(F), relative to the fee associated with updating the name on a driver's	
3	license; to provide applicants not eligible for driver's license renewal an exemption	
4	from duplicate fees solely for updating a name; to only require a handling fee for	
5	purposes of updating the name on a driver's license; and to provide for related	
6	matters.	
7	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:	
8	Section 1. R.S. 32:413(F) is hereby enacted to read as follows:	
9	§413. Loss or destruction of licenses; duplicate driver's license	
10	* * *	
11	F. An applicant who updates his name on a driver's license prior to the	
12	license becoming eligible for renewal shall be exempt from the fee imposed pursuant	
13	to the provisions of this Section and be required to only pay the handling fee	
14	provided for in R.S. 32:412.1(B)(1)(c).	

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Abstract: Reduces the fee applicable to updating a name on a driver's license to a handling fee as provided for in <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u> requires the office of motor vehicles collect, in addition to any fee authorized by law, a handling charge of \$12 for each Class "D" and "E" driver's license transactions.

<u>Proposed law</u> specifies that an applicant who updates his name on a driver's license prior to the license becoming eligible for renewal be exempt from the fee imposed pursuant to the <u>present law</u> and only be required to pay the handling fee.

(Adds R.S. 32:413(F))