2023 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 98

BY SENATOR CARTER AND REPRESENTATIVES ADAMS, BOYD, ROBBY CARTER, WILFORD CARTER, CORMIER, COX, EDMONSTON, FIRMENT, FISHER, FREIBERG, GADBERRY, GAROFALO, GLOVER, GREEN, HORTON, JENKINS, JORDAN, LAFLEUR, LARVADAIN, LYONS, MARINO, MIGUEZ, MOORE, NEWELL, ROBERT OWEN, PIERRE, SELDERS AND WRIGHT

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1	AN ACT
2	To enact R.S. 32:410(G), relative to donation of bone marrow; to provide for interest in bone
3	marrow donation during application or renewal of a Louisiana state-issued driver's
4	license; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 32:410(G) is hereby enacted to read as follows:
7	§410. Form of license; photograph, signature of licensee, anatomical gift statement,
8	declaration of life-sustaining procedures, interest in bone marrow
9	donation, and additional information on license
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11	G. Any person between the ages of eighteen and forty years old applying
12	for or renewing their driver's license may indicate their intention to be a bone
13	marrow donor on the application for the driver's license, or on any other
14	document provided by the department during the application or renewal
15	process. The person shall give written consent for their personal identifying
16	information and contact information to be shared with the National Marrow
17	Donor Program. The department shall provide the personal identifying
18	information and contact information of any person who has given written
19	consent to share their information to the National Marrow Donor Program, for
20	that program to contact the person to obtain their genetic information. The
21	genetic information shall be stored in a secure national database accessible to
22	cancer doctors to find a match for their patients. The department shall

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promulgate such rules as are necessary to implement this Paragraph. Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall become effective on July 1, 2024.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____