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KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill

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Referred to Committee: Senate 5

Action on the Bill

School: Woodford Co. MS City: Versailles		House	Senate	
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1	An act to require drivers to retake the drivers' test every other time t	hev renew their lic	ense	
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3	Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky			
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5	Section 1: Currently Kentucky drivers only have to take their written drivers' exam once upon obtaining a			
6	learner's permit. Studies indicate that drivers lose driving skills over time without accountability. This may			
7	lead to an increase in wrecks and accidents.			
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9	Section 2: This bill will require drivers to take the written portion of the drivers' test every other time the			
10	license is renewed (i.e., every ten years). At that time, a driver will be required to earn a score of at least 80%			
11	on the test.			
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13	Section 3: The Kentucky Department of Transportation will promulgate regulations for how and in what			
14 15	manner the written exam is administered, as well as training current personne	i to proctor the ex	kam.	
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17	Section 4: Drivers who fail to pass the exam will not be allowed to renew their license. They may retake the test up to two times, after which there will be a 60 day waiting period to try again.			
18	Current penalties for driving on a non-renewed license will apply to this legislation and include:			
19	1st offense: warning	and melade.		
20	2nd offense: \$250 fine and/or up to 90 days in jail			
21	3rd and subsequent offense: \$500 fine and/or up to one year in jail			
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23	Section 5: This bill will be enforced by the Kentucky State Police and local law	enforcement agen	cies in the	
24	course of their regular traffic monitoring.			
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26	Section 6: This bill will take effect on July 1, 2015.			