

April 3, 2003

S 852. EXPAND ADVANCE HEALTH CARE REGISTRY. TO EXPAND THE ADVANCE HEALTH CARE DIRECTIVES REGISTRY TO INCLUDE A SEPARATE REGISTRY FOR REGISTRATION OF CONSENT FOR ORGAN, TISSUE, OR EYE DONATION; TO ESTABLISH THE LIFE DECISIONS REGISTRY TRUST FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR VOLUNTARY DONATIONS TO THE LIFE DECISIONS REGISTRY TRUST FUND THROUGH CONTRIBUTIONS MADE AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION FOR DRIVERS LICENSE AND MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION. Blank bill.

Intro. by Metcalf.

Ref. to

GS 90

June 5, 2003

S 852. ORGAN DONOR ORG'S./ACCESS TO DMV RECORDS (NEW). Intro. 4/03/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Replaces blank bill with bill concerning use of DMV records and fees to facilitate organ donations. Directs DMV to establish a statewide Organ Donor Internet site, with purpose of enabling organ procurement organizations and eye banks to have timely access to names of individuals who have stated to DMV their intention to be organ donors. Sets out information to be on site and requires that access be limited to organ procurement organizations and eye banks. Amends GS 20-43.1 (disclosure of personal information in motor vehicle records) accordingly. Amends GS 20-7.3 to reference new Internet site and to enable applicants for drivers licenses to contribute \$1 to License to Give Trust Fund; adds new GS 20-7.4 establishing cited Fund and providing that moneys in Fund may be used to make grants-in-aid for initiatives that educate about and promote organ and tissue donation. Enacts new GS 20-7.5 establishing License to Give Trust Fund Comm'n, which will decide upon criteria for grants from new Trust Fund. Provides for 15 members, appointed as follows: four by General Assembly, upon recommendation of Senate President Pro Tem. – one representative of Carolina Donor Services, one representative of LifeShare of the The Carolinas, and two persons who have demonstrated an interest in organ donation and education; four by General Assembly upon recommendation of Speaker – one representative of The North Carolina Eye Bank, Inc., one representative of The Carolinas Center for Hospice and end-of-Life Care, and two persons who have demonstrated an interest in promoting advance care planning education; and seven by Governor – three members representing donation recipients or families of donors or recipients, one transplant physician licensed in NC, one member who has demonstrated an interest in organ donation and education, one member who has demonstrated an interest in promoting advance care planning education, and one representative of NC DOT.

Appropriates \$100,000 in 2003-04 and \$10,000 in 2004-05 from General Fund to DMV for start-up and maintenance costs of new Organ Donor internet site. Effective Jan. 1, 2004.

July 16, 2003

S 852. ORGAN DONOR ORG'S./ACCESS TO DMV RECORDS. Intro. 4/3/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Changes funding method for License to Give Trust Fund and Organ Donor Internet site. Deletes provision authorizing DMV to collect voluntary \$1.00 contribution to trust fund from applicants for drivers license or special identification card. Also deletes appropriation of \$100,000 for FY 2003-04 and \$10,000 for FY 2004-05 for costs of Internet site. Instead, effective Nov. 1, 2003, increases fees by \$.25 for Class A, B, and C regular drivers license and for duplicate license and earmarks increases for costs of Internet site and then trust fund. Changes effective date for establishment of trust fund from Jan. 1, 2004, to Nov. 1, 2003.

July 17, 2003

S 852. ORGAN DONOR ORG'S./ACCESS TO DMV RECORDS. Intro. 4/3/03. Senate committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Reduces increases in drivers' license fees to \$4.30 for Classes A and B and \$3.05 for Class C (previous edition raised these fees to \$4.50 and \$3.25 respectively); and sets fee for duplicate license at \$10.05, rather than \$10.25.

July 1, 2004

S 852. ORGAN DONOR ORG'S./ACCESS TO DMV RECORDS. Intro. 04/03/03. House amendment makes the following changes to 4th edition. (1) Changes throughout the bill the phrase "organ procurement organizations and eye banks" to "federally designated organ procurement organizations and eye banks." (2) Amends sec. 1 by adding requirement that read-only information from the Organ Donor Internet site will be used for the sole purpose of seeking consent from a prospective donor's next of kin. (3) Amends proposed amendment of GS 20-7.3 in sec. 3 of the bill to require that organ donation information be provided to each drivers license applicant separately from the organ donor card offered to the applicant.

August 18, 2004

SL 2004-189 (S 852). ORGAN DONOR ORGANIZATIONS/ACCESS TO DMV RECORDS. AN ACT TO PROVIDE INTERNET ACCESS BY ORGAN PROCUREMENT ORGANIZATIONS AND EYE BANKS TO INFORMATION IN DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLE RECORDS PERTAINING TO ORGAN DONATION; TO ESTABLISH THE "LICENSE TO GIVE TRUST FUND" TO FUND INITIATIVES THAT EDUCATE AND PROMOTE ORGAN AND TISSUE DONATION; AND TO INCREASE THE FEE FOR ISSUANCE, RENEWAL, AND DUPLICATION OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD AND PROVIDE THAT THE PROCEEDS OF THE INCREASE SHALL BE USED TO IMPLEMENT THIS ACT. Summarized in *Daily Bulletin* 6/5/03, 7/16/03, 7/17/03, and 7/1/04. Enacted August 17, 2004. Sections 4(a) and 5 are effective November 1, 2004. The remainder of this act is effective January 1, 2005.