

**Department of Planning and Budget  
2026 General Assembly Session  
State Fiscal Impact Statement**

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**ORIGINAL**

**Bill Number:** HB1224

**Patron:** Delaney

**Bill Title:** Driver's licenses; requirements for initial licensure; persons age 18 to 21.

**Bill Summary:** Expands from 60 days to 90 days the length of time an applicant for a first-time noncommercial driver's license who is at least 18 years old and not more than 21 years old is required to hold a learner's permit prior to his first behind-the-wheel examination by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

**Budget Amendment Necessary:** No

**Items Impacted:** None

**Explanation:** N/A

**Fiscal Summary:** Any anticipated state fiscal impact related to implementation costs associated with this proposed legislation is expected to be absorbed within existing resources.

**Fiscal Analysis:** The Department of Motor Vehicles anticipates some information system costs associated with implementation of this bill, but these costs can be absorbed through the normal course of business operations.