

By the Committee on Local Government & Veterans Affairs
and Representative Byrd

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to drivers' licenses; amending
3 s. 322.02, F.S.; directing the Department of
4 Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to allow any
5 county tax collector that elects to do so to be
6 an exclusive agent of the department, for that
7 county only, to administer driver license
8 services authorized in chapter 322, F.S.;
9 amending s. 322.135, F.S.; providing a schedule
10 of fees to be paid to county tax collectors for
11 services provided by the county tax collector
12 as agent of the Department of Highway Safety
13 and Motor Vehicles; providing an effective
14 date.

15
16 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

17
18 Section 1. Subsection (5) is added to section 322.02,
19 Florida Statutes, to read:

20 322.02 Administration.--

21 (5) The department shall allow any county tax
22 collector that elects to do so to be an exclusive agent of the
23 department, for that county only, to administer driver license
24 services authorized in this chapter.

25 Section 2. Subsection (5) is added to section 322.135,
26 Florida Statutes, to read: 322.135 Driver's license agents.--

27 (5)(a) The county tax collector, who is the exclusive
28 agent of the department, shall be paid the following fees from
29 the various trust funds of the Department of Highway Safety
30 and Motor Vehicles for the services provided by the county tax
31 collector as agent of the department:

- 1 1. Issuing original driver's license and conducting
2 road test.....\$20.
3 2. Issuing original driver's license or learner's
4 permit without road test.....\$10.
5 3. Renewal of driver's license.....\$4.50.
6 4. Issuing original and duplicate identification
7 cards.....\$3.
8 5. Reinstatement of driver's license because of
9 revocation or disqualification.....\$15.
10 6. Issuing a duplicate of an instruction permit or
11 driver's license.....\$5.
12 7. Issuing a replacement license.....\$5.
13 8. Issuing change of address sticker.....\$2.
14 (b) The fees provided for in paragraph (a) shall be
15 adjusted biennially by a percentage equal to the increase in
16 the cost-of-living index published by the United States
17 Department of Commerce.
18 (c) The county tax collector who is the exclusive
19 agent of the department is authorized to charge and retain as
20 income to his or her office those fees enumerated in s.
21 322.20(11)(a).

22 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 2, 2002.
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31