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1 A bill to be entitled

> An act relating to driver license education requirements; amending s. 322.095, F.S.; specifying the age at which an applicant for a driver license must complete a traffic law and substance abuse education course; amending s. 322.1615, F.S.; requiring an applicant for a learner's driver license to complete a certain driver education course approved by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; providing an effective date.

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

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Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 322.095, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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322.095 Traffic law and substance abuse education program for driver license applicants.-

(1) Each applicant for a driver license who is 18 years of age or older must complete a traffic law and substance abuse education course, unless the applicant has been licensed in another jurisdiction or has satisfactorily completed a Department of Education driver education course offered pursuant to s. 1003.48.

Section 2. Paragraph (c) of subsection (1) of section 322.1615, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

322.1615 Learner's driver license.

- (1) The department may issue a learner's driver license to a person who is at least 15 years of age and who:
  - (c) Has satisfactorily completed a driver education course

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approved by the department which meets or exceeds the Department
of Education Driver Education/Traffic Safety-Classroom 1900300
course version description the traffic law and substance abuse
education course prescribed in s. 322.095; and
Section 3 This act shall take effect July 1 2025

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