

Department of Finance and Administration

Legislative Impact Statement

Bill: HB1294

Bill Subtitle: TO EXTEND THE EXPIRATION DATE FOR THE ARKANSAS VOLUNTARY ENHANCED SECURITY DRIVERS LICENSE AND IDENTIFICATION CARD ACT, AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

Basic Change : Sponsor: Rep. Mayberry

Currently Arkansas law grants the Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) the option of establishing enhanced security driver's licenses and identification cards. This bill will extend the period of time for DFA to decide whether to issue enhanced security driver's licenses and identification cards from June 30, 2015, to June 30, 2017, allowing additional time to await the actions of the U.S. Congress as to enforcement deadlines.

Revenue Impact :

None

Taxpayer Impact :

None

Resources Required :

None

Time Required :

None

Procedural Changes :

None

Other Comments :

The bill has an emergency clause.

Legal Analysis :

HB1294 will extend the period of time for DFA to monitor federal legislation and decide whether to issue enhanced security driver's licenses and identification cards. The bill extends the time period from June 30, 2015 to June 30, 2017.