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Short Title: Allow Drivers Licenses for DACA Beneficiaries. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Luebke, Gill, Glazier, and McManus (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT BENEFICIARIES OF THE FEDERAL DEFERRED ACTION  
3 FOR CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS INITIATIVE ARE ELIGIBLE TO OBTAIN A  
4 DRIVERS LICENSE IN THIS STATE.  
5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:  
6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-7(s) reads as rewritten:  
7 "(s) Notwithstanding the requirements of subsection (b1) of this section that an applicant  
8 present a valid social security number, the Division shall issue a drivers license of limited  
9 duration, under subsection (f) of this section, to an ~~applicant~~ applicant, including a beneficiary  
10 of the federal Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) initiative, present in the United  
11 States who holds valid documentation issued by, or under the authority of, the United States  
12 government that demonstrates the applicant's legal presence of limited duration in the United  
13 States if the applicant presents that valid documentation and meets all other requirements for a  
14 license of limited duration. Notwithstanding the requirements of subsection (n) of this section  
15 addressing background colors and borders, a drivers license of limited duration issued under  
16 this section shall bear a distinguishing mark or other designation on the face of the license  
17 clearly denoting the limited duration of the license. However, a license of limited duration  
18 granted to a beneficiary of the federal DACA initiative shall not be distinguishable in any  
19 manner from other licenses issued pursuant to this subsection."  
20 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

