### A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO RENEWAL OF DRIVER'S LICENSES.

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION 1. Section 286-107, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
amended as follows:

3 1. By amending subsection (c) to read:

4 "(c) Any person who holds a category (1), (2), or (3) 5 license issued under this part [who is unable to appear in 6 person before the examiner of drivers to apply for a renewal of 7 the driver's license, may[-7] apply for a renewal of the 8 driver's license online, by using any electronic or digital 9 means provided by the examiner of drivers, or by mail, if the 10 person is not disqualified from renewing the license under 11 subsection (a) except as provided under subsection (h) [, apply for a renewal by mail]. The applicant's request to have the 12 13 license renewed by mail must be received by the examiner of drivers within ninety days after the expiration of the license 14 15 or it shall be treated as an application for reactivation of an 16 expired license under section 286-107.5. The examiner of drivers shall, upon receipt of the request, furnish the 17



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1 applicant with all necessary forms and instructions. An 2 application for renewal by mail made pursuant to this subsection 3 shall be accompanied by a statement from a licensed physician, 4 physician assistant, or advanced practice registered nurse 5 certifying that the applicant was examined by the licensed 6 physician, physician assistant, or advanced practice registered 7 nurse not more than six months prior to the expiration date of 8 the applicant's license and that the applicant was found by the 9 examination to have met the physical requirements established by 10 the state director of transportation for the renewal of 11 licenses. The application for renewal by mail shall also be 12 accompanied by:

13 (1) A notarized statement of the applicant certifying that 14 the applicant does not possess any valid license to 15 operate the same or similar category or categories of 16 motor vehicles, issued by another licensing authority 17 (unless the license is concurrently surrendered); and [Such] Any other information as may be required by the 18 (2) 19 examiner of drivers that is reasonably necessary to 20 confirm the identity of the applicant and the



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1	applicant's fitness to continue to operate a motor
2	vehicle."
3	2. By amending subsection (f) to read:
4	"(f) No driver's license shall be renewable by mail[ $\div$ ] or
5	by electronic or digital means:
6	(1) For more than two consecutive renewals, regardless of
7	whether the license expires, as provided under section
8	286-106, on the eighth[ $-$ ] or fourth[ $-$ or second]
9	birthday after issuance; or
10	(2) Sixteen years have lapsed since the applicant had
11	appeared in person;
12	provided that this subsection shall not apply to a resident
13	military person or that person's immediate family if the
14	resident military person resides outside the State on official
15	military orders."
16	SECTION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
17	and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2025.

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INTRODUCED BY:

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#### Report Title:

City and County of Honolulu Package; Driver's Licenses; Renewal; Online; Electronic; Digital

#### Description:

Authorizes the renewal of driver's licenses online or by electronic or digital means.

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