

SENATE BILL SUMMARY

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SB 1424

Driving Privileges/Driving Under the Influence by Senator Wise

Requires that a court order the mandatory placement for a period of at least 10 years, at the convicted person's sole expense, of an ignition interlock device approved by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (HSMV) upon all vehicles that are individually or jointly leased or owned and routinely operated by any person convicted for a fourth or subsequent offense of driving under the influence (DUI) if the convicted person obtains a restricted license or permit, regardless of whether the conviction was for a misdemeanor or felony.

Provides conditions under which a person convicted of a second DUI within 5 years after the date of a prior conviction, a third DUI within 10 years after the date of a prior conviction, or a fourth or subsequent DUI may petition the HSMV for reinstatement of his or her driving privilege on a restricted basis.

Requires that an ignition interlock device be installed for a period of not less than 10 years if a person is convicted of a fourth or subsequent DUI. Provides that any person operating a motor vehicle in violation of an ignition interlock restriction commits an offense of the same degree and is punishable in the same manner as provided by state law regarding driving or being in actual physical control of a vehicle while his or her license is suspended or revoked. (See bill for details)