

By: Senator(s) Wiggins

To: Corrections

SENATE BILL NO. 2185

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TO NOTIFY THE
 2 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY ON A WEEKLY BASIS OF ALL PROBATION AND
 3 PAROLE STATUSES; TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY TO
 4 INCLUDE THE PAROLE AND PROBATION DATA OF A LICENSEE OR APPLICANT
 5 FOR A STATE-ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION CARD, IF THERE IS ANY SUCH
 6 DATA, WITHIN THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE MAGNETIC STRIP OF
 7 ANY LICENSE OR IDENTIFICATION CARD ISSUED IN THE STATE; TO AMEND
 8 SECTIONS 45-35-5, 45-35-53 AND 45-35-71, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
 9 TO CONFORM; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

11 **SECTION 1.** The Department of Corrections shall notify the
 12 Department of Public Safety on a weekly basis of all probation and
 13 parole statuses. The Department of Public Safety shall include
 14 the parole and probation data of a licensee, if there is any such
 15 data, within the information contained in the magnetic strip of
 16 any license issued under the authority of Title 63, Chapter 1,
 17 Mississippi Code of 1972. The Department of Public Safety shall
 18 ensure that the probation and parole data under this section shall
 19 not appear within the information contained in the magnetic strip
 20 once a person is no longer on probation or parole under the
 21 authority of the Department of Corrections.



22 **SECTION 2.** Section 45-35-5, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
23 amended as follows:

24 45-35-5. (1) Data for the issuance of an identification
25 card shall include a birth certificate or other document to
26 establish the age and identity of the applicant, the social
27 security number of the applicant, and such other identifying data
28 as is required on an application for issuance of a driver's
29 license.

30 (2) The department shall include the probation and parole
31 data of an applicant, if there is any such data, in the
32 information contained in the magnetic strip of any identification
33 card issued under the authority of this section pursuant to the
34 procedure provided in Section 1 of this act.

35 **SECTION 3.** Section 45-35-53, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
36 amended as follows:

37 45-35-53. (1) The Department of Public Safety shall issue
38 personal identification cards to persons with disabilities who
39 make application to the department in accordance with rules and
40 regulations prescribed by the commissioner by filing with the
41 Secretary of State under the Administrative Procedures Act. The
42 identification card for persons with disabilities shall
43 prominently display the international handicapped symbol and, in
44 addition to any other information required by this article, may
45 contain a recent color photograph of the applicant and the
46 following information:



47 (a) Full legal name;
48 (b) Address of residence;
49 (c) Birth date;
50 (d) Date identification card was issued;
51 (e) Date identification card expires;
52 (f) Sex;
53 (g) Height;
54 (h) Weight;
55 (i) Eye color;
56 (j) Location where the identification card was issued;
57 (k) Signature of person identified or facsimile
58 thereof; and
59 (l) Such other information as required by the
60 department.

61 (2) The identification card for persons with disabilities
62 shall bear an identification card number which shall not be the
63 same as the applicant's social security number. The commissioner
64 shall prescribe the form of identification cards issued pursuant
65 to this article to persons who are not United States citizens.
66 The identification cards of such persons shall include a number
67 and any other identifying information prescribed by the
68 commissioner.

69 (3) The department shall include the probation and parole
70 data of an applicant, if there is any such data, in the
71 information contained in the magnetic strip of any identification



72 card issued under the authority of this section pursuant to the
73 procedure provided in Section 1 of this act.

74 **SECTION 4.** Section 45-35-71, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
75 amended as follows:

76 45-35-71. The Department of Public Safety shall be the state
77 agency with responsibility for regulating a digital wallet for
78 state agency credentials. The Commissioner of Public Safety may
79 promulgate rules and regulations regarding such digital wallet
80 technology. The commissioner shall ensure that the probation and
81 parole data of an applicant, if there is any such data, shall be
82 included in the information contained in such digital wallet
83 pursuant to the procedure provided in Section 1 of this act.

84 **SECTION 5.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
85 and after July 1, 2024.

