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Introduced by M. of A. GANTT -- read once and referred to the Committee  
on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to dishonored  
check fees

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-  
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1     Section 1. Section 202-b of the vehicle and traffic law, as added by  
2 chapter 190 of the laws of 1990, is amended to read as follows:  
3     S 202-b. Penalties for submission of dishonored checks. A thirty-five  
4 dollar penalty fee shall be charged to any person who has submitted a  
5 check to the commissioner or his or her agent as payment for any  
6 license, permit or registration or any other type of fee for any type of  
7 transaction as required by this chapter and such check has been dishon-  
8 ored. Such thirty-five dollar penalty shall be added to the amount due  
9 to the commissioner. In addition, [any or all licenses, permits or  
10 registrations] THE LICENSE, PERMIT OR REGISTRATION issued in the name of  
11 such person FOR WHICH SUCH CHECK WAS SUBMITTED may be suspended [and, if  
12 a suspension has been issued, any other transaction in the name of such  
13 person with this department may be prohibited] until full satisfaction  
14 of the amount due to the commissioner and the thirty-five dollar penalty  
15 fee is paid to the commissioner. No such suspension shall be issued  
16 until thirty days after notification that the check THAT has been  
17 dishonored is mailed to such person. If satisfaction is made within  
18 thirty days from the date of mailing of such notification, no suspension  
19 shall be issued.  
20     S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
21 have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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