

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6018



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: REP. CANDELORA V., 86th Dist. REP. O'DEA, 125th Dist. REP. RUTIGLIANO, 123rd Dist. REP. ACKERT, 8th Dist.

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AN ACT REQUIRING PHOTO IDENTIFICATION FOR VOTING PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) provide that, prior to
- 2 receiving and being able to cast a ballot at the polling place, each elector
- 3 shall present to the official checker or checkers a current and valid photo
- 4 identification, which identification clearly displays such elector's name
- 5 and residential address; and (2) establish a program for waiving the fee
- 6 associated with obtaining, for voting purposes, a motor vehicle
- 7 operator's license, identity card or other government-issued form of
- 8 photo identification.

Statement of Purpose:

To require photo identification at the polls in order to vote and establish a program for electors to obtain such identification at no cost.