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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

**JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2018** 

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#### AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- RHODE ISLAND UNIFORM COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE ACT -- APPLICATION, EXAMINATION AND ISSUANCE

Introduced By: Representatives Phillips, Solomon, Casey, Filippi, and Newberry

Date Introduced: March 30, 2018

Referred To: House Corporations

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 31-10.3-24 of the General Laws in Chapter 31-10.3 entitled "Rhode
- 2 Island Uniform Commercial Driver's License Act" is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 3 **31-10.3-24.** Renewals.
- 4 (a) Every commercial license shall be renewable on or as early as forty-five (45) days
- 5 before its expiration upon application, payment of all required fees, and satisfactory completion
- 6 of any examination required by federal or state law or regulation.
- 7 (b) Any applicant for renewal of a commercial license, whose license has expired, been
- 8 suspended, revoked, cancelled, or otherwise withdrawn in excess of one year, shall be required to
- 9 successfully complete all appropriate examinations, which shall include all tests required upon
- 10 the original application.
- SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on January 1, 2019.

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# **EXPLANATION**

# BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

#### AN ACT

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This act would eliminate the requirement that a renewal applicant, whose commercial driver's license has expired for more than one year, take examinations.

This act would take effect on January 1, 2019.