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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1315

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

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10 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A BLOOD TYPE DESIGNATION TO BE  
11 PLACED ON A DRIVER'S LICENSE OR IDENTIFICATION CARD;  
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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16 TO AUTHORIZE A BLOOD TYPE DESIGNATION TO  
17 BE PLACED ON A DRIVER'S LICENSE OR  
18 IDENTIFICATION CARD.  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 16, Subchapter 8, is  
23 amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

24 27-16-818. Blood type designation.

25 (a)(1) A person, or the parent or guardian of a person, may apply to  
26 the Office of Driver Services to obtain a blood type designation on a  
27 driver's license or identification card issued under this subchapter by  
28 providing:

29 (A) A signed form stating the blood type of the person;

30 and

31 (B) Payment of the fee for the driver's license or  
32 identification card authorized under this chapter.

33 (2) If the person seeks a duplicate or substitute driver's  
34 license with the blood type designation and his or her driver's license has  
35 not expired, the fee shall be as provided under § 27-16-806.

36 (b) The Office of Driver Services may:



1 (1) Determine the appropriate placement of the blood type  
2 designation on a driver's license or identification card authorized under  
3 this section; and

4 (2) Promulgate rules for the administration of this section.

5 (c) This section does not require a person other than an applicant  
6 under this section to:

7 (1) Provide his or her blood type to the Office of Driver  
8 Services; or

9 (2) Have a blood type designation placed on his or her driver's  
10 license or identification card.

11 (d) An applicant under this section is exclusively responsible for:

12 (1) The accuracy of information submitted to the Office of  
13 Driver Services; and

14 (2) Verification of the accuracy of the information placed on  
15 the applicant's driver's license or identification card, including without  
16 limitation the obligation to request an immediate correction if the  
17 information is incorrect.

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19 SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. Effective date. This act is effective on  
20 and after January 1, 2026.

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