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Short Title: Hold On To Your Drivers License.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANY BUSINESS TO REQUIRE THAT A
LICENSED DRIVER RELINQUISH HIS OR HER DRIVERS LICENSE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. Article 2A of Chapter 75 of the General Statutes is amended by
adding a new section to read:

"§ 75-62.1. Drivers license protection.

(a) A business may not require that a person licensed to operate a motor vehicle
surrender or relinquish his or her drivers license to the business for any purpose except as
provided by subsection (b) of this section.

(b) A business may request and copy a person's drivers license but shall return the
drivers license to the person immediately after making the copy.

(c) A violation of this section is a violation of G.S. 75-1.1."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

