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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2016**

# AN ACT

#### RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - REGISTRATION FEES

<u>Introduced By:</u> Representatives Reilly, Giarrusso, Shekarchi, Trillo, and Costa

Date Introduced: January 14, 2016

Referred To: House Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 31-6-15 of the General Laws in Chapter 31-6 entitled "Registration
- 2 Fees" is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 3 31-6-15. Payment of fees by credit card. [Contingent effective date; see note.] -- (a)
- 4 The division of motor vehicles may accept payment by credit card of all fees paid to the division
- 5 of motor vehicles as provided by this chapter.
- 6 (b) The division of motor vehicles shall determine which fees may be paid by credit card
- 7 and the manner in which the payments may be made; provided however, any convenience fee
- 8 <u>assessed in connection with the use of a credit card for an online transaction shall be prohibited.</u>
- 9 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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### **EXPLANATION**

### BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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This act would prohibit the assessment of a convenience fee in connection with an online transaction with the division of motor vehicles.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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