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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2013–14 REGULAR SESSION

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 2308**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Stone**  
**(Coauthor: Assembly Member Skinner)**  
*(Coauthors: Senators Hancock and Mitchell)*

February 21, 2014

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An act to add Section 3007.05 to the Penal Code, relating to prisoners.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2308, as amended, Stone. Prisoners: identification cards.

Existing law authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles (*DMV*) to issue an identification card to a person attesting to the true full name, correct age, and other identifying data as certified by the applicant for the identification card. *Existing law also establishes the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to oversee the state prison system.*

This bill would require the Department of Corrections *and Rehabilitation* and the ~~Department of Motor Vehicles~~ *DMV* to ensure that all eligible inmates released from state prisons have valid identification cards. *The bill would define "eligible inmate" for this purpose to mean an inmate who has previously held a California driver's license or identification card, who has a useable photo on file with the DMV that is not more than 10 years old, who has no outstanding fees due for a prior California driver's license or identification card, and who has provided certain other information*

verified by the DMV, including, among other things, the inmate’s true full name and date of birth.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 3007.05 is added to the Penal Code, to
- 2 read:
- 3 3007.05. (a) The Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
- 4 and the Department of Motor Vehicles shall ensure that all eligible
- 5 inmates released from state prisons have valid identification cards,
- 6 issued pursuant to Article 5 (commencing with Section 13000) of
- 7 Chapter 1 of Division 6 of the Vehicle Code.
- 8 (b) For purposes of this section, “eligible inmate” means an
- 9 inmate who meets all of the following requirements:
- 10 (1) The inmate has previously held a California driver’s license
- 11 or identification card.
- 12 (2) The inmate has a usable photo on file with the Department
- 13 of Motor Vehicles that is not more than 10 years old.
- 14 (3) The inmate has no outstanding fees due for a prior California
- 15 driver’s license or identification card.
- 16 (4) The inmate has provided, and the Department of Motor
- 17 Vehicles has verified, all of the following information:
- 18 (A) The inmate’s true full name.
- 19 (B) The inmate’s date of birth.
- 20 (C) The inmate’s social security number.
- 21 (D) The inmate’s legal presence in the United States.

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