

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 2565**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Muratsuchi**

February 21, 2014

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An act to amend Section 20003 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2565, as introduced, Muratsuchi. Vehicles: accidents.

Existing law requires the driver of any vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury to or death of any person to also give his or her name, current residence address, the names and current residence addresses of any occupant of the driver's vehicle injured in the accident, the registration number of the vehicle he or she is driving, and the name and current residence address of the owner to the person struck or the driver or occupants of any vehicle collided with, and must give the information to any traffic or police officer at the scene of the accident. Existing law also requires the driver to render to any person injured in the accident reasonable assistance, including transporting, or making arrangements for transporting, any injured person to a physician, surgeon, or hospital for medical or surgical treatment if it is apparent that treatment is necessary or if that transportation is requested by any injured person.

This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to that provision.

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

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 20003 of the Vehicle Code is amended  
2 to read:  
3 20003. (a) The driver of ~~any~~ a vehicle involved in an accident  
4 resulting in injury to or death of any person shall also give his or  
5 her name, current residence address, the names and current  
6 residence addresses of any occupant of the driver's vehicle injured  
7 in the accident, the registration number of the vehicle he or she is  
8 driving, and the name and current residence address of the owner  
9 to the person struck or the driver or occupants of any vehicle  
10 collided with, and shall give the information to any traffic or police  
11 officer at the scene of the accident. The driver also shall render to  
12 any person injured in the accident reasonable assistance, including  
13 transporting, or making arrangements for transporting, any injured  
14 person to a physician, surgeon, or hospital for medical or surgical  
15 treatment if it is apparent that treatment is necessary or if that  
16 transportation is requested by any injured person.  
17 (b) Any driver or injured occupant of a driver's vehicle subject  
18 to the provisions of subdivision (a) shall also, upon being requested,  
19 exhibit his or her driver's license, if available, or, in the case of  
20 an injured occupant, any other available identification, to the person  
21 struck or to the driver or occupants of any vehicle collided with,  
22 and to any traffic or police officer at the scene of the accident.

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