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Summary

This bill establishes eligibility for driver's license reinstatement for individuals whose license was suspended for various violations that, due to a 2021 change, are no longer grounds for suspension. It directs the Department of Public Safety to make an individual eligible for driver's license reinstatement if the license is only suspended based on:

- 1) failure to appear in court for a petty misdemeanor citation or for driving after suspension;
- 2) a conviction for driving after suspension or revocation;
- 3) failure to pay a parking fine or fee; or
- 4) a combination of the previous listed items.

Suspensions, revocations, or cancellations for any other reason remain in effect.

The bill also directs the department to send notices to eligible holders of suspended licenses regarding reinstatement, and sets a single fee of \$20 for reinstatement.