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Overview

This act modifies provisions related to disability parking.

Section

Scope of privilege. Eliminates a requirement that a disability certificate displayed on the dash board of a vehicle must be placed on the driver's side.

Certificates providing special parking privileges must generally be hung from a rear view mirror, but may be placed on the dash board if the vehicle lacks a rear view mirror or if the certificate holder's disability precludes its placement on the mirror.

Misdemeanor; enforcement. Amends an exemption from conviction for a violation of disability parking restrictions when the person charged is entitled to a disability plate or certificate. Limits the exemption so that a permit or certificate used to establish disability parking eligibility cannot have been expired for more than 90 days. Requires a permit or certificate that has expired to be turned in.