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HF 2127

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act providing for waiver of penalties for late motor vehicle  
2 registration for activated national guard and reserve forces  
3 members.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 321.134, Code 2003, is amended by  
2 adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 5. The department shall waive the  
4 penalties imposed by this section for an owner who, as a  
5 member of the Iowa national guard or the reserve forces of the  
6 United States, is ordered to active duty status. The waiver  
7 shall apply during the period of activation and for thirty  
8 days from the date the period of active military service ends,  
9 according to rules adopted by the department.

10 EXPLANATION

11 This bill requires the state department of transportation  
12 to waive penalties for overdue motor vehicle registration fees  
13 if the motor vehicle owner is an Iowa national guard or United  
14 States reserve forces member and is ordered to active duty  
15 status. The penalty waiver applies for 30 days after the end  
16 of the period of military activation.

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