

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 375

Short Title: Motorcycle Learner's Permit.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Rand.

Referred to: Transportation.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO SHORTEN THE DURATION OF A MOTORCYCLE LEARNER'S
2 PERMIT AND TO SET THE FEE FOR THE PERMIT.
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-7(a2) reads as rewritten:

6 "(a2) Motorcycle Learner's Permit. – The following persons are eligible for a
7 motorcycle learner's permit:

- 8 (1) A person who is at least 16 years old but less than 18 years old and has
9 a full provisional license issued by the Division.
10 (2) A person who is at least 18 years old and has a license issued by the
11 Division.

12 To obtain a motorcycle learner's permit, an applicant shall pass a vision test, a road
13 sign test, and a written test specified by the Division. A motorcycle learner's permit
14 expires ~~18 months~~ six months after it is ~~issued~~ issued and may be renewed for one
15 additional six-month period. The holder of a motorcycle learner's permit may not drive
16 a motorcycle with a passenger. The fee for ~~a the motorcycle learner's permit is the~~
17 amount set in G.S. 20-7(1) for a learner's permit shall be ten dollars (\$10.00), and
18 the fee for the one additional renewal of the learner's permit shall be fifty dollars
19 (\$50.00)."

20 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective October 1, 2007.