



CHAPTER 20
ARTICLE 2 - UNIFORM DRIVER'S LICENSE ACT

N.C.G.S. § 20-7.1.

Notice of change of address or name.

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§ 20-7.1(a) Address. - A person whose address changes from the address stated on a drivers license must notify the Division of the change within 60 days after the change occurs. If the person's address changed because the person moved, the person must obtain a duplicate license within that time limit stating the new address. A person who does not move but whose address changes due to governmental action may not be charged with violating this subsection. A person who has provided an email or electronic address to the Division pursuant to G.S. 20-48(a) shall notify the Division of any change or discontinuance of that email or electronic address within 30 days after the change or discontinuance.

§ 20-7.1(b) Name. - A person whose name changes from the name stated on a drivers license must notify the Division of the change within 60 days after the change occurs and obtain a duplicate drivers license stating the new name.

§ 20-7.1(c) Fee. - G.S. 20-14 sets the fee for a duplicate license.

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APPARATUS I
6 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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01	1975	c. 223, s. 1	ENACTED
02	1979	c. 970	AMENDED
03	1983	c. 521, s. 1	AMENDED
04	1997	S.L. 1997-122, s. 4	AMENDED
05	2016	S.L. 2016-90, s. 10(a)	AMENDED
06	2025	S.L. 2025-25, s. 29(1)	AMENDED

APPARATUS II
2 AUTHORITIES

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 20-48(a)	(a)	"address to the Division pursuant to"
G.S. 20-14	(c)	"Fee. -"

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-7.1 (2025).

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N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-7.1(a) (2025).

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