

**CHAPTER 124**  
**HB 260 - FINAL VERSION**

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HOUSE BILL                **260**

AN ACT                    relative to the purging of motor vehicle violations.

SPONSORS:              Rep. Sykes, Graf. 13

COMMITTEE:            Transportation

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ANALYSIS

This bill adds violations to the type of records that shall be purged from a motor vehicle record and clarifies that some records shall be purged 10 years after a driver's license or driving privilege is reinstated.

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Explanation:            Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.  
                              Matter removed from current law appears ~~[in brackets and struckthrough]~~  
                              Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

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*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Nineteen*

AN ACT                    relative to the purging of motor vehicle violations.

*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1            124:1 Motor Vehicles; License Suspension and Revocation; Suspension or Revocation for Default,  
2 Noncompliance, or Nonpayment of Fine. Amend RSA 263:56-a, II(b) to read as follows:

3            (b) The director shall purge the record of ***violations***, violations in default, related  
4 suspensions, and all fees and fines assessed against these defaults and suspensions under this  
5 section that have been on file for more than 7 years; provided, however, that the director shall not  
6 purge such records for a violation of RSA 265:79, RSA 265-A:2, I, RSA 265-A:3, RSA 265:115, RSA  
7 265:117, and any offense which is a misdemeanor or felony during the defendant's lifetime until ***10***  
8 ***years after*** the defendant's driver's license or driving privilege is reinstated. All courts shall notify  
9 the director of any such failure on a form prescribed by the director.

124:2 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved: June 25, 2019

Effective Date: June 25, 2019