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Senator Manning

A BILL

То	amend sections 325.33, 2903.06, 2903.08,	1
	2921.331, 2929.14, 2929.41, 2935.031, 4507.112,	2
	4509.101, 4510.036, and 4511.251 of the Revised	3
	Code to prohibit causing the death of or serious	4
	physical harm to another while operating a	5
	utility vehicle or mini-truck, to require law	6
	enforcement entities to train officers related	7
	to the pursuit of a motor vehicle, to increase	8
	penalties for fleeing from law enforcement and	9
	forms of stunt driving, and to make changes to	10
	the distribution of certain driving-related	11
	fees.	12

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 325.33, 2903.06, 2903.08,	13
2921.331, 2929.14, 2929.41, 2935.031, 4507.112, 4509.101,	14
4510.036, and 4511.251 of the Revised Code be amended to read as	15

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follows:	16
Sec. 325.33. (A) Notwithstanding sections 325.27 and	17
325.31 of the Revised Code, all fees retained by the clerk of	18
courts under Chapters 1548., 4505., and 4519. of the Revised	19
Code, all fees the clerk of courts receives as a third-party	20
administrator of the motor vehicle skills test under section	21
$\underline{4507.112}$ of the Revised Code, and all fees the clerk of courts	22
receives in the capacity of deputy registrar under section	23
4503.03 of the Revised Code shall be paid into the county	24
treasury to the credit of the certificate of title	25
administration fund, which is hereby created. Fees credited to	26
the fund shall be used as follows:	27
(1) To pay the costs incurred by the clerk of courts in	28
processing titles under Chapters 1548., 4505., and 4519. of the	29
Revised Code;	30
(2) To pay the clerk of courts an eight thousand dollar	31
annual pay supplement for performing the duties of a deputy	32
registrar if the clerk is not a limited authority deputy	33
registrar, as described in section 4501:1-6-04 of the Ohio	34
Administrative Code.	35
(B) If the board of county commissioners and the clerk of	36
courts agree that the money in the fund exceeds what is needed	37
to pay the costs specified in division (A) of this section, the	38
excess may be transferred to the county general fund and used	39
for other county purposes. If the board of county commissioners	40
and the clerk of courts are unable to agree on the amount of any	41
such excess, the county budget commission shall determine the	42
amount that will be transferred to the county general fund.	43

Sec. 2903.06. (A) No person, while operating or

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<u>vehicle</u> , <u>mini-truck</u> , or motorcycle in a construction zone, a	73
speeding offense, provided that this division applies only if	74
the person whose death is caused or whose pregnancy is	75
unlawfully terminated is in the construction zone at the time of	76
the offender's commission of the speeding offense in the	77
construction zone and does not apply as described in division	78
(F) of this section.	79
(4) As the proximate result of committing a violation of	80
any provision of any section contained in Title XLV of the	81
Revised Code that is a minor misdemeanor or of a municipal	82
ordinance that, regardless of the penalty set by ordinance for	83
the violation, is substantially equivalent to any provision of	84
any section contained in Title XLV of the Revised Code that is a	85
minor misdemeanor.	86
(B)(1) Whoever violates division (A)(1) or (2) of this	87
section is guilty of aggravated vehicular homicide and shall be	88
punished as provided in divisions (B)(2) and (3) of this	89
section.	90
(2)(a) Except as otherwise provided in division (B)(2)(b)	91
or (c) of this section, aggravated vehicular homicide committed	92
in violation of division (A)(1) of this section is a felony of	93
the second degree and the court shall impose a mandatory prison	94
term on the offender as described in division (E) of this	95
section.	96

(b) Except as otherwise provided in division (B)(2)(c) of

this section, aggravated vehicular homicide committed in

any of the following apply:

violation of division (A)(1) of this section is a felony of the

first degree, and the court shall impose a mandatory prison term

on the offender as described in division (E) of this section, if

(i) At the time of the offense, the offender was driving 103 under a suspension or cancellation imposed under Chapter 4510. 104 or any other provision of the Revised Code or was operating a 105 motor vehicle or motorcycle, did not have a valid driver's 106 license, commercial driver's license, temporary instruction 107 permit, probationary license, or nonresident operating 108 privilege, and was not eligible for renewal of the offender's 109 driver's license or commercial driver's license without 110 examination under section 4507.10 of the Revised Code. 111 (ii) The offender previously has been convicted of or 112 pleaded guilty to a violation of this section. 113 (iii) The offender previously has been convicted of or 114 pleaded guilty to any traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or 115 assault offense. 116 (c) Aggravated vehicular homicide committed in violation 117 of division (A)(1) of this section is a felony of the first 118 degree, and the court shall sentence the offender to a mandatory 119 prison term as provided in section 2929.142 of the Revised Code 120 and described in division (E) of this section if any of the 121 following apply: 122 (i) The offender previously has been convicted of or 123 pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A) 124 of section 4511.19 of the Revised Code or of a substantially 125 equivalent municipal ordinance within the previous ten years. 126 (ii) The offender previously has been convicted of or 127 pleaded quilty to three or more prior violations of division (A) 128 of section 1547.11 of the Revised Code or of a substantially 129 equivalent municipal ordinance within the previous ten years. 130

(iii) The offender previously has been convicted of or

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pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A)	132
(3) of section 4561.15 of the Revised Code or of a substantially	133
equivalent municipal ordinance within the previous ten years.	134
(iv) The offender previously has been convicted of or	135
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A)	136
(1) of this section within the previous ten years.	137
(1) of this section within the previous ten years.	107
(v) The offender previously has been convicted of or	138
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A)	139
(1) of section 2903.08 of the Revised Code within the previous	140
ten years.	141
(vi) The offender previously has been convicted of or	142
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of section	143
2903.04 of the Revised Code within the previous ten years in	144
circumstances in which division (D) of that section applied	145
regarding the violations.	146
(vii) The offender previously has been convicted of or	147
pleaded guilty to three or more violations of any combination of	148
the offenses listed in division (B)(2)(c)(i), (ii), (iii), (iv),	149
(v), or (vi) of this section within the previous ten years.	150
(viii) The offender previously has been convicted of or	151
pleaded guilty to a second or subsequent felony violation of	152
division (A) of section 4511.19 of the Revised Code.	153
(d) In addition to any other sanctions imposed pursuant to	154
division (B)(2)(a), (b), or (c) of this section for aggravated	155
vehicular homicide committed in violation of division (A)(1) of	156
this section, the court shall impose upon the offender a class	157
one suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial	158
driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary	159
license, or nonresident operating privilege as specified in	160

division (A)(1) of section 4510.02 of the Revised Code.

Divisions (A)(1) to (3) of section 4510.54 of the Revised 162

Code apply to a suspension imposed under division (B)(2)(d) of 163

this section.

(3) Except as otherwise provided in this division, 165 aggravated vehicular homicide committed in violation of division 166 (A)(2) of this section is a felony of the third degree. 167 Aggravated vehicular homicide committed in violation of division 168 (A)(2) of this section is a felony of the second degree if, at 169 the time of the offense, the offender was driving under a 170 suspension or cancellation imposed under Chapter 4510. or any 171 other provision of the Revised Code or was operating a motor 172 vehicle or motorcycle, did not have a valid driver's license, 173 commercial driver's license, temporary instruction permit, 174 probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege, and 175 was not eligible for renewal of the offender's driver's license 176 or commercial driver's license without examination under section 177 4507.10 of the Revised Code or if the offender previously has 178 been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a violation of this 179 section or any traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or 180 assault offense. The court shall impose a mandatory prison term 181 on the offender when required by division (E) of this section. 182

In addition to any other sanctions imposed pursuant to 183 this division for a violation of division (A)(2) of this 184 section, the court shall impose upon the offender a class two 185 suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial 186 driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary 187 license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range 188 specified in division (A)(2) of section 4510.02 of the Revised 189 Code or, if the offender previously has been convicted of or 190

pleaded guilty to a traffic-related murder, felonious assault,	191
or attempted murder offense, a class one suspension of the	192
offender's driver's license, commercial driver's license,	193
temporary instruction permit, probationary license, or	194
nonresident operating privilege as specified in division (A)(1)	195
of that section.	196

(C) Whoever violates division (A)(3) of this section is 197 quilty of vehicular homicide. Except as otherwise provided in 198 this division, vehicular homicide is a misdemeanor of the first 199 degree. Vehicular homicide committed in violation of division 200 (A)(3) of this section is a felony of the fourth degree if, at 201 the time of the offense, the offender was driving under a 202 203 suspension or cancellation imposed under Chapter 4510. or any other provision of the Revised Code or was operating a motor 204 vehicle or motorcycle, did not have a valid driver's license, 205 commercial driver's license, temporary instruction permit, 206 probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege, and 207 was not eligible for renewal of the offender's driver's license 208 or commercial driver's license without examination under section 209 4507.10 of the Revised Code or if the offender previously has 210 been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a violation of this 211 section or any traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or 212 assault offense. The court shall impose a mandatory jail term or 213 a mandatory prison term on the offender when required by 214 division (E) of this section. 215

In addition to any other sanctions imposed pursuant to

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this division, the court shall impose upon the offender a class

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four suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial

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driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary

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license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range

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specified in division (A) (4) of section 4510.02 of the Revised

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Code, or, if the offender previously has been convicted of or 222 pleaded guilty to a violation of this section or any traffic-223 related homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense, a class 224 three suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial 225 driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary 226 license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range 227 228 specified in division (A)(3) of that section, or, if the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a 229 traffic-related murder, felonious assault, or attempted murder 230 offense, a class two suspension of the offender's driver's 231 license, commercial driver's license, temporary instruction 232 permit, probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege 233 as specified in division (A)(2) of that section. 234

(D) Whoever violates division (A) (4) of this section is 235 quilty of vehicular manslaughter. Except as otherwise provided 236 in this division, vehicular manslaughter is a misdemeanor of the 2.37 second degree. Vehicular manslaughter is a misdemeanor of the 238 first degree if, at the time of the offense, the offender was 239 240 driving under a suspension or cancellation imposed under Chapter 4510. or any other provision of the Revised Code or was 241 242 operating a motor vehicle or motorcycle, did not have a valid driver's license, commercial driver's license, temporary 243 instruction permit, probationary license, or nonresident 244 operating privilege, and was not eligible for renewal of the 245 offender's driver's license or commercial driver's license 246 without examination under section 4507.10 of the Revised Code or 247 if the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded 248 quilty to a violation of this section or any traffic-related 249 homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense. 250

In addition to any other sanctions imposed pursuant to 251 this division, the court shall impose upon the offender a class 252

six suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial	253
driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary	254
license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range	255
specified in division (A)(6) of section 4510.02 of the Revised	256
Code or, if the offender previously has been convicted of or	257
pleaded guilty to a violation of this section, any traffic-	258
related homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense, or a	259
traffic-related murder, felonious assault, or attempted murder	260
offense, a class four suspension of the offender's driver's	261
license, commercial driver's license, temporary instruction	262
permit, probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege	263
from the range specified in division (A)(4) of that section.	264

(E)(1) The court shall impose a mandatory prison term on 265 an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to a violation 266 of division (A)(1) of this section. Except as otherwise provided 267 in this division, the mandatory prison term shall be a definite 268 term from the range of prison terms provided in division (A)(1) 269 (b) of section 2929.14 of the Revised Code for a felony of the 270 first degree or from division (A)(2)(b) of that section for a 271 felony of the second degree, whichever is applicable, except 272 that if the violation is committed on or after March 22, 2019, 273 the court shall impose as the minimum prison term for the 274 offense a mandatory prison term that is one of the minimum terms 275 prescribed for a felony of the first degree in division (A)(1) 276 (a) of section 2929.14 of the Revised Code or one of the terms 277 prescribed for a felony of the second degree in division (A)(2) 278 (a) of that section, whichever is applicable. If division (B)(2) 279 (c)(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v), (vi), (vii), or (viii) of this 280 section applies to an offender who is convicted of or pleads 2.81 quilty to the violation of division (A)(1) of this section, the 282 court shall impose the mandatory prison term pursuant to 283

- division (B) of section 2929.142 of the Revised Code. The court

 shall impose a mandatory jail term of at least fifteen days on

 an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to a

 misdemeanor violation of division (A)(3)(b) of this section and

 may impose upon the offender a longer jail term as authorized

 pursuant to section 2929.24 of the Revised Code.

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- (2) The court shall impose a mandatory prison term on an 290 offender who is convicted of or pleads quilty to a violation of 291 division (A)(2) or (3)(a) of this section or a felony violation 292 of division (A)(3)(b) of this section if either division (E)(2) 293 (a) or (b) of this section applies. The mandatory prison term 294 shall be a definite term from the range of prison terms provided 295 in division (A)(3)(a) of section 2929.14 of the Revised Code for 296 a felony of the third degree or from division (A)(4) of that 297 section for a felony of the fourth degree, whichever is 298 applicable. The court shall impose a mandatory prison term on an 299 offender in a category described in this division if either of 300 the following applies: 301
- (a) The offender previously has been convicted of or 302 pleaded guilty to a violation of this section or section 2903.08 303 of the Revised Code. 304
- (b) At the time of the offense, the offender was driving 305 under suspension or cancellation under Chapter 4510. or any 306 other provision of the Revised Code or was operating a motor 307 vehicle or motorcycle, did not have a valid driver's license, 308 commercial driver's license, temporary instruction permit, 309 probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege, and 310 was not eliqible for renewal of the offender's driver's license 311 or commercial driver's license without examination under section 312 4507.10 of the Revised Code. 313

described in section 2903.081 of the Revised Code are erected in that construction zone in accordance with the guidelines and design specifications established by the director of transportation under section 5501.27 of the Revised Code. The failure to erect signs of the type described in section 2903.081 of the Revised Code in a particular construction zone in accordance with those guidelines and design specifications does not limit or affect the application of division (A) (1), (A) (2) (a), (A) (3) (a), or (A) (4) of this section in that construction zone or the prosecution of any person who violates any of those divisions in that construction zone. (G) (1) As used in this section: (a) "Mandatory prison term" and "mandatory jail term" have the same meanings as in section 2929.01 of the Revised Code. (b) "Traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense" means a violation of section 2903.04 of the Revised Code in circumstances in which division (D) of that section applies, a violation of section 2903.06 or 2903.08 of the Revised Code, or a violation of section 2903.06, 2903.07, or 2903.08 of the Revised Code as they existed prior to March 23, 2000. (c) "Construction zone" has the same meaning as in section 330 (c) "Construction zone" has the same meaning as in section 330 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of section 4511.20 of the Revised Code or a municipal ordinance 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of section 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 340 (d) "Reckless operation offense"	(F) Divisions (A)(2)(b) and (3)(b) of this section do not	314
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the same meanings as in section 2929.01 of the Revised Code. (b) "Traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense" means a violation of section 2903.04 of the Revised 33.05 Code in circumstances in which division (D) of that section 33.06 applies, a violation of section 2903.06 or 2903.08 of the 33.07 applies, a violation of section 2903.06 or 2903.08 of the 33.07 applies, a violation of section 2903.06, 2903.07, or 33.08 of the Revised Code as they existed prior to March 23, 33.07 applies. (c) "Construction zone" has the same meaning as in section 33.07 applies. (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 33.07 applies. (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of 33.07 applies.	(G)(1) As used in this section:	327
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offense" means a violation of section 2903.04 of the Revised Code in circumstances in which division (D) of that section applies, a violation of section 2903.06 or 2903.08 of the Revised Code, or a violation of section 2903.06, 2903.07, or 2903.08 of the Revised Code as they existed prior to March 23, 2000. (c) "Construction zone" has the same meaning as in section 5501.27 of the Revised Code. (d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of section 4511.20 of the Revised Code or a municipal ordinance 330 340 340	the same meanings as in section 2929.01 of the Revised Code.	329
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-	(d) "Reckless operation offense" means a violation of	339
substantially equivalent to section 4511.20 of the Revised Code. 343	section 4511.20 of the Revised Code or a municipal ordinance	340
	substantially equivalent to section 4511.20 of the Revised Code.	341

(e) "Speeding offense" means a violation of section

4511.21 of the Revised Code or a municipal ordinance pertaining	343
to speed.	344
(f) "Traffic-related murder, felonious assault, or	345
attempted murder offense" means a violation of section 2903.01	346
or 2903.02 of the Revised Code in circumstances in which the	347
offender used a motor vehicle as the means to commit the	348
violation, a violation of division (A)(2) of section 2903.11 of	349
the Revised Code in circumstances in which the deadly weapon	350
used in the commission of the violation is a motor vehicle, or	351
an attempt to commit aggravated murder or murder in violation of	352
section 2923.02 of the Revised Code in circumstances in which	353
the offender used a motor vehicle as the means to attempt to	354
commit the aggravated murder or murder.	355
(g) "Motor vehicle," has "mini-truck," and "utility	356
vehicle" have the same meaning meanings as in section 4501.01 of	357
the Revised Code.	358
(2) For the purposes of this section, when a penalty or	359
suspension is enhanced because of a prior or current violation	360
of a specified law or a prior or current specified offense, the	361
reference to the violation of the specified law or the specified	362
offense includes any violation of any substantially equivalent	363
municipal ordinance, former law of this state, or current or	364
former law of another state or the United States.	365
Sec. 2903.08. (A) No person, while operating or	366
participating in the operation of a motor vehicle, motorcycle,	367
utility vehicle, mini-truck, snowmobile, locomotive, watercraft,	368
or aircraft, shall cause serious physical harm to another person	369
or another's unborn in any of the following ways:	370
(1)(a) As the proximate result of committing a violation	371

the speeding offense in the construction zone and does not apply

(B)(1) Whoever violates division (A)(1) of this section is

as described in division (E) of this section.

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guilty of aggravated vehicular assault. Except as otherwise	401
provided in this division, aggravated vehicular assault is a	402
felony of the third degree. Aggravated vehicular assault is a	403
felony of the second degree if any of the following apply:	404
(a) At the time of the offense, the offender was driving	405
under a suspension imposed under Chapter 4510. or any other	406
provision of the Revised Code.	407
(b) The offender previously has been convicted of or	408
pleaded guilty to a violation of this section.	409
(c) The offender previously has been convicted of or	410
pleaded guilty to any traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or	411
assault offense.	412
(d) The offender previously has been convicted of or	413
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A)	414
of section 4511.19 of the Revised Code or a substantially	415
equivalent municipal ordinance within the previous ten years.	416
(e) The offender previously has been convicted of or	417
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A)	418
of section 1547.11 of the Revised Code or of a substantially	419
equivalent municipal ordinance within the previous ten years.	420
(f) The offender previously has been convicted of or	421
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of division (A)	422
(3) of section 4561.15 of the Revised Code or of a substantially	423
equivalent municipal ordinance within the previous ten years.	424
(g) The offender previously has been convicted of or	425
pleaded guilty to three or more prior violations of any	426
combination of the offenses listed in division (B)(1)(d), (e),	427
or (f) of this section.	428

- (h) The offender previously has been convicted of orpleaded guilty to a second or subsequent felony violation ofdivision (A) of section 4511.19 of the Revised Code.430
- (2) In addition to any other sanctions imposed pursuant to 432 division (B)(1) of this section, except as otherwise provided in 433 this division, the court shall impose upon the offender a class 434 three suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial 435 driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary 436 license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range 437 specified in division (A)(3) of section 4510.02 of the Revised 438 Code. If the offender previously has been convicted of or 439 pleaded guilty to a violation of this section, any traffic-440 related homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense, or any 441 traffic-related murder, felonious assault, or attempted murder 442 offense, the court shall impose either a class two suspension of 443 the offender's driver's license, commercial driver's license, 444 temporary instruction permit, probationary license, or 445 nonresident operating privilege from the range specified in 446 division (A)(2) of that section or a class one suspension as 447 specified in division (A)(1) of that section. 448
- (C) (1) Whoever violates division (A) (2) or (3) of this 449 section is guilty of vehicular assault and shall be punished as 450 provided in divisions (C) (2) and (3) of this section. 451
- (2) Except as otherwise provided in this division, 452 vehicular assault committed in violation of division (A)(2) of 453 this section is a felony of the fourth degree. Vehicular assault 454 committed in violation of division (A)(2) of this section is a 455 felony of the third degree if, at the time of the offense, the 456 offender was driving under a suspension imposed under Chapter 457 4510. or any other provision of the Revised Code, if the 458

offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a
violation of this section or any traffic-related homicide,

manslaughter, or assault offense, or if, in the same course of
conduct that resulted in the violation of division (A)(2) of
this section, the offender also violated section 4549.02,
4549.021, or 4549.03 of the Revised Code.
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In addition to any other sanctions imposed, the court 465 shall impose upon the offender a class four suspension of the 466 offender's driver's license, commercial driver's license, 467 temporary instruction permit, probationary license, or 468 nonresident operating privilege from the range specified in 469 division (A)(4) of section 4510.02 of the Revised Code or, if 470 the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty 471 to a violation of this section, any traffic-related homicide, 472 manslaughter, or assault offense, or any traffic-related murder, 473 felonious assault, or attempted murder offense, a class three 474 suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial 475 driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary 476 license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range 477 specified in division (A)(3) of that section. 478

(3) Except as otherwise provided in this division, 479 vehicular assault committed in violation of division (A)(3) of 480 this section is a misdemeanor of the first degree. Vehicular 481 assault committed in violation of division (A)(3) of this 482 section is a felony of the fourth degree if, at the time of the 483 offense, the offender was driving under a suspension imposed 484 under Chapter 4510. or any other provision of the Revised Code 485 or if the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded 486 guilty to a violation of this section or any traffic-related 487 homicide, manslaughter, or assault offense. 488

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In addition to any other sanctions imposed, the court	489
shall impose upon the offender a class four suspension of the	490
offender's driver's license, commercial driver's license,	491
temporary instruction permit, probationary license, or	492
nonresident operating privilege from the range specified in	493
division (A)(4) of section 4510.02 of the Revised Code or, if	494
the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty	495
to a violation of this section, any traffic-related homicide,	496
manslaughter, or assault offense, or any traffic-related murder,	497
felonious assault, or attempted murder offense, a class three	498
suspension of the offender's driver's license, commercial	499
driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary	500
license, or nonresident operating privilege from the range	501
specified in division (A)(3) of section 4510.02 of the Revised	502
Code.	503
(D)(1) The court shall impose a mandatory prison term, as	504
described in division (D)(4) of this section, on an offender who	505
is convicted of or pleads guilty to a violation of division (A)	506
(1) of this section.	507

- (2) The court shall impose a mandatory prison term, as described in division (D)(4) of this section, on an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to a violation of division (A)
 (2) of this section or a felony violation of division (A)(3) of this section if either of the following applies:
- (a) The offender previously has been convicted of or 513 pleaded guilty to a violation of this section or section 2903.06 514 of the Revised Code. 515
- (b) At the time of the offense, the offender was driving 516 under suspension under Chapter 4510. or any other provision of 517 the Revised Code. 518

- (3) The court shall impose a mandatory jail term of at

 least seven days on an offender who is convicted of or pleads

 guilty to a misdemeanor violation of division (A)(3) of this

 section and may impose upon the offender a longer jail term as

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 authorized pursuant to section 2929.24 of the Revised Code.

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- (4) A mandatory prison term required under division (D)(1) 524 or (2) of this section shall be a definite term from the range 525 of prison terms provided in division (A)(2)(b) of section 526 2929.14 of the Revised Code for a felony of the second degree, 527 from division (A)(3)(a) of that section for a felony of the 528 third degree, or from division (A)(4) of that section for a 529 felony of the fourth degree, whichever is applicable, except 530 that if the violation is a felony of the second degree committed 531 on or after March 22, 2019, the court shall impose as the 532 minimum prison term for the offense a mandatory prison term that 533 is one of the minimum terms prescribed for a felony of the 534 second degree in division (A)(2)(a) of section 2929.14 of the 535 Revised Code. 536
- (E) Divisions (A)(2)(a) and (3) of this section do not 537 apply in a particular construction zone unless signs of the type 538 described in section 2903.081 of the Revised Code are erected in 539 that construction zone in accordance with the quidelines and 540 design specifications established by the director of 541 transportation under section 5501.27 of the Revised Code. The 542 failure to erect signs of the type described in section 2903.081 543 of the Revised Code in a particular construction zone in 544 accordance with those quidelines and design specifications does 545 not limit or affect the application of division (A)(1) or (2)(b) 546 of this section in that construction zone or the prosecution of 547 any person who violates either of those divisions in that 548 construction zone. 549

(F) As used in this section:	550
(1) "Mandatory prison term" and "mandatory jail term" have	551
the same meanings as in section 2929.01 of the Revised Code.	552
(2) "Traffic-related homicide, manslaughter, or assault	553
offense" and "traffic-related murder, felonious assault, or	554
attempted murder offense" have the same meanings as in section	555
2903.06 of the Revised Code.	556
(3) "Construction zone" has the same meaning as in section	557
5501.27 of the Revised Code.	558
(4) "Reckless operation offense" and "speeding offense"	559
have the same meanings as in section 2903.06 of the Revised	560
Code.	561
(G) For the purposes of this section, when a penalty or	562
suspension is enhanced because of a prior or current violation	563
of a specified law or a prior or current specified offense, the	564
reference to the violation of the specified law or the specified	565
offense includes any violation of any substantially equivalent	566
municipal ordinance, former law of this state, or current or	567
former law of another state or the United States.	568
Sec. 2921.331. (A) No person shall fail to comply with any	569
lawful order or direction of any police officer invested with	570
authority to direct, control, or regulate traffic.	571
(B) No person shall operate a motor vehicle so as	572
willfully to elude or flee a police officer after receiving a	573
visible or audible signal from a police officer to bring the	574
person's motor vehicle to a stop.	575
(C)(1) Whoever violates this section is guilty of failure	576
to comply with an order or signal of a police officer.	577

(2) A violation of division (A) of this section is a	578
misdemeanor of the first degree.	579
(3) Except as provided in divisions (C)(4) and (5) of this	580
section, a violation of division (B) of this section is a	581
misdemeanor felony of the first fourth degree.	582
(4) Except as provided in division (C) (5) of this section,	583
$a-\underline{A}$ violation of division (B) of this section is a felony of the	584
fourth third degree if the jury or judge as trier of fact finds	585
by proof beyond a reasonable doubt that, in committing the	586
offense, the offender was fleeing immediately after the	587
commission of a felony.	588
(5)(a) A violation of division (B) of this section is a	589
felony of the third degree if the jury or judge as trier of fact	590
finds any of the following by proof beyond a reasonable doubt:	591
(i) The operation of the motor vehicle by the offender was	592
a proximate cause of serious physical harm to persons or	593
property.	594
(ii) The operation of the motor vehicle by the offender	595
caused a substantial risk of serious physical harm to persons or	596
property.	597
(b) If a police officer pursues an offender who is	598
violating division (B) of this section and division (C)(5)(a) of	599
this section applies, the sentencing court, in determining the	600
seriousness of an offender's conduct for purposes of sentencing	601
the offender for a violation of division (B) of this section,	602
shall consider, along with the factors set forth in sections	603
2929.12 and 2929.13 of the Revised Code that are required to be	604
considered, all of the following:	605
(i) The duration of the pursuit;	606

(ii) The distance of the pursuit;	607
(iii) The rate of speed at which the offender operated the	608
motor vehicle during the pursuit;	609
(iv) Whether the offender failed to stop for traffic	610
lights or stop signs during the pursuit;	611
(v) The number of traffic lights or stop signs for which	612
the offender failed to stop during the pursuit;	613
(vi) Whether the offender operated the motor vehicle	614
during the pursuit without lighted lights during a time when	615
lighted lights are required;	616
(vii) Whether the offender committed a moving violation	617
during the pursuit;	618
(viii) The number of moving violations the offender	619
committed during the pursuit;	620
(ix) Any other relevant factors indicating that the	621
offender's conduct is more serious than conduct normally	622
constituting the offense.	623
(D) If an offender is sentenced pursuant to division (C)	624
(4) or (5) of this section for a violation of division (B) of	625
this section, and if the offender is sentenced to a prison term	626
for that a violation of division (B) of this section, the	627
offender shall serve the prison term consecutively to any other	628
prison term or mandatory prison term imposed upon the offender.	629
(E) In addition to any other sanction imposed for a felony	630
violation of division (B) of this section, the court shall	631
impose a class two suspension from the range specified in	632
division (A)(2) of section 4510.02 of the Revised Code. In	633
addition to any other sanction imposed for a violation of	634

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- (F) As used in this section:
- (1) "Moving violation" has the same meaning as in section 2743.70 of the Revised Code.
- (2) "Police officer" has the same meaning as in section 656 4511.01 of the Revised Code. 657

Sec. 2929.14. (A) Except as provided in division (B)(1), 658
(B)(2), (B)(3), (B)(4), (B)(5), (B)(6), (B)(7), (B)(8), (B)(9), 659
(B)(10), (B)(11), (E), (G), (H), (J), or (K) of this section or 660
in division (D)(6) of section 2919.25 of the Revised Code and 661
except in relation to an offense for which a sentence of death 662
or life imprisonment is to be imposed, if the court imposing a 663
sentence upon an offender for a felony elects or is required to 664

impose a prison term on the offender pursuant to this chapter,	665
the court shall impose a prison term that shall be one of the	666
following:	667
(1)(a) For a felony of the first degree committed on or	668
after March 22, 2019, the prison term shall be an indefinite	669
prison term with a stated minimum term selected by the court of	670
three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, or eleven years	671
and a maximum term that is determined pursuant to section	672
2929.144 of the Revised Code, except that if the section that	673
criminalizes the conduct constituting the felony specifies a	674
different minimum term or penalty for the offense, the specific	675
language of that section shall control in determining the	676
minimum term or otherwise sentencing the offender but the	677
minimum term or sentence imposed under that specific language	678
shall be considered for purposes of the Revised Code as if it	679
had been imposed under this division.	680
(b) For a felony of the first degree committed prior to	681
March 22, 2019, the prison term shall be a definite prison term	682
of three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, or eleven	683
years.	684
(2)(a) For a felony of the second degree committed on or	685
after March 22, 2019, the prison term shall be an indefinite	686
prison term with a stated minimum term selected by the court of	687
two, three, four, five, six, seven, or eight years and a maximum	688
term that is determined pursuant to section 2929.144 of the	689
Revised Code, except that if the section that criminalizes the	690
conduct constituting the felony specifies a different minimum	691
term or penalty for the offense, the specific language of that	692
section shall control in determining the minimum term or	693

otherwise sentencing the offender but the minimum term or

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sentence imposed under that specific language shall be	695
considered for purposes of the Revised Code as if it had been	696
imposed under this division.	697

- (b) For a felony of the second degree committed prior to March 22, 2019, the prison term shall be a definite term of two, three, four, five, six, seven, or eight years.
- (3) (a) For a felony of the third degree that is a 701 violation of section 2903.06, 2903.08, 2907.03, 2907.04, 702 2907.05, 2907.321, 2907.322, 2907.323, or 3795.04 of the Revised 703 Code, that is a violation of division (A) of section 4511.19 of 704 the Revised Code if the offender previously has been convicted 705 of or pleaded quilty to a violation of division (A) of that 706 section that was a felony, or that is a violation of section 707 2911.02 or 2911.12 of the Revised Code if the offender 708 previously has been convicted of or pleaded quilty in two or 709 more separate proceedings to two or more violations of section 710 2911.01, 2911.02, 2911.11, or 2911.12 of the Revised Code, or 711 that is a violation of division (B) of section 2921.331 of the 712 Revised Code if division (C)(5) of that section applies, the 713 714 prison term shall be a definite term of twelve, eighteen, twenty-four, thirty, thirty-six, forty-two, forty-eight, fifty-715 four, or sixty months. 716
- (b) For a felony of the third degree that is not an offense for which division (A)(3)(a) of this section applies, the prison term shall be a definite term of nine, twelve, eighteen, twenty-four, thirty, or thirty-six months.
- (4) For a felony of the fourth degree, the prison term

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 shall be a definite term of six, seven, eight, nine, ten,

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 eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen,

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 or eighteen months.

(5) For a felony of the fifth degree, the prison term	725
shall be a definite term of six, seven, eight, nine, ten,	726
eleven, or twelve months.	727
(B)(1)(a) Except as provided in division (B)(1)(e) of this	728
section, if an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to	729
a felony also is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	730
specification of the type described in section 2941.141,	731
2941.144, or 2941.145 of the Revised Code, the court shall	732
impose on the offender one of the following prison terms:	733
(i) A prison term of six years if the specification is of	734
the type described in division (A) of section 2941.144 of the	735
Revised Code that charges the offender with having a firearm	736
that is an automatic firearm or that was equipped with a firearm	737
muffler or suppressor on or about the offender's person or under	738
the offender's control while committing the offense;	739
(ii) A prison term of three years if the specification is	740
of the type described in division (A) of section 2941.145 of the	741
Revised Code that charges the offender with having a firearm on	742
or about the offender's person or under the offender's control	743
while committing the offense and displaying the firearm,	744
brandishing the firearm, indicating that the offender possessed	745
the firearm, or using it to facilitate the offense;	746
(iii) A prison term of one year if the specification is of	747
the type described in division (A) of section 2941.141 of the	748
Revised Code that charges the offender with having a firearm on	749
or about the offender's person or under the offender's control	750
while committing the offense;	751
(iv) A prison term of nine years if the specification is	752
of the type described in division (D) of section 2941.144 of the	753

Revised Code that charges the offender with having a firearm	754
that is an automatic firearm or that was equipped with a firearm	755
muffler or suppressor on or about the offender's person or under	756
the offender's control while committing the offense and	757
specifies that the offender previously has been convicted of or	758
pleaded guilty to a specification of the type described in	759
section 2941.141, 2941.144, 2941.145, 2941.146, or 2941.1412 of	760
the Revised Code;	761

- (v) A prison term of fifty-four months if the specification is of the type described in division (D) of section 2941.145 of the Revised Code that charges the offender with having a firearm on or about the offender's person or under the offender's control while committing the offense and displaying the firearm, brandishing the firearm, indicating that the offender possessed the firearm, or using the firearm to facilitate the offense and that the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a specification of the type described in section 2941.141, 2941.144, 2941.145, 2941.146, or 2941.1412 of the Revised Code;
- (vi) A prison term of eighteen months if the specification is of the type described in division (D) of section 2941.141 of the Revised Code that charges the offender with having a firearm on or about the offender's person or under the offender's control while committing the offense and that the offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a specification of the type described in section 2941.141, 2941.144, 2941.145, 2941.146, or 2941.1412 of the Revised Code.
- (b) If a court imposes a prison term on an offender under division (B)(1)(a) of this section, the prison term shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) of

section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other provision of Chapter	784
2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised Code. Except as provided	785
in division (B)(1)(g) of this section, a court shall not impose	786
more than one prison term on an offender under division (B)(1)	787
(a) of this section for felonies committed as part of the same	788
act or transaction.	789

- (c)(i) Except as provided in division (B)(1)(e) of this 790 section, if an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to 791 a violation of section 2923.161 of the Revised Code or to a 792 793 felony that includes, as an essential element, purposely or knowingly causing or attempting to cause the death of or 794 physical harm to another, also is convicted of or pleads quilty 795 to a specification of the type described in division (A) of 796 section 2941.146 of the Revised Code that charges the offender 797 with committing the offense by discharging a firearm from a 798 motor vehicle other than a manufactured home, the court, after 799 imposing a prison term on the offender for the violation of 800 section 2923.161 of the Revised Code or for the other felony 801 offense under division (A), (B)(2), or (B)(3) of this section, 802 shall impose an additional prison term of five years upon the 803 offender that shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, 804 division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any 805 other provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised 806 Code. 807
- (ii) Except as provided in division (B)(1)(e) of this

 section, if an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to

 a violation of section 2923.161 of the Revised Code or to a

 felony that includes, as an essential element, purposely or

 knowingly causing or attempting to cause the death of or

 physical harm to another, also is convicted of or pleads guilty

 to a specification of the type described in division (C) of

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section 2941.146 of the Revised Code that charges the offender	815
with committing the offense by discharging a firearm from a	816
motor vehicle other than a manufactured home and that the	817
offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a	818
specification of the type described in section 2941.141,	819
2941.144, 2941.145, 2941.146, or 2941.1412 of the Revised Code,	820
the court, after imposing a prison term on the offender for the	821
violation of section 2923.161 of the Revised Code or for the	822
other felony offense under division (A), (B)(2), or (3) of this	823
section, shall impose an additional prison term of ninety months	824
upon the offender that shall not be reduced pursuant to section	825
2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194,	826
or any other provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter 5120. of the	827
Revised Code.	828

- (iii) A court shall not impose more than one additional prison term on an offender under division (B)(1)(c) of this section for felonies committed as part of the same act or transaction. If a court imposes an additional prison term on an offender under division (B)(1)(c) of this section relative to an offense, the court also shall impose a prison term under division (B)(1)(a) of this section relative to the same offense, provided the criteria specified in that division for imposing an additional prison term are satisfied relative to the offender and the offense.
- (d) If an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to
 an offense of violence that is a felony also is convicted of or
 pleads guilty to a specification of the type described in
 section 2941.1411 of the Revised Code that charges the offender
 with wearing or carrying body armor while committing the felony
 offense of violence, the court shall impose on the offender an
 additional prison term of two years. The prison term so imposed
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shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A)	846
(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other	847
provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised Code.	848
A court shall not impose more than one prison term on an	849
offender under division (B)(1)(d) of this section for felonies	850
committed as part of the same act or transaction. If a court	851
imposes an additional prison term under division (B)(1)(a) or	852
(c) of this section, the court is not precluded from imposing an	853
additional prison term under division (B)(1)(d) of this section.	854

- (e) The court shall not impose any of the prison terms described in division (B)(1)(a) of this section or any of the additional prison terms described in division (B)(1)(c) of this section upon an offender for a violation of section 2923.12 or 2923.123 of the Revised Code. The court shall not impose any of the prison terms described in division (B)(1)(a) or (b) of this section upon an offender for a violation of section 2923.122 that involves a deadly weapon that is a firearm other than a dangerous ordnance, section 2923.16, or section 2923.121 of the Revised Code. The court shall not impose any of the prison terms described in division (B)(1)(a) of this section or any of the additional prison terms described in division (B)(1)(c) of this section upon an offender for a violation of section 2923.13 of the Revised Code unless all of the following apply:
- (i) The offender previously has been convicted of aggravated murder, murder, or any felony of the first or second degree.
- (ii) Less than five years have passed since the offender was released from prison or post-release control, whichever is later, for the prior offense.
 - (f)(i) If an offender is convicted of or pleads quilty to

a felony that includes, as an essential element, causing or 876 attempting to cause the death of or physical harm to another and 877 also is convicted of or pleads guilty to a specification of the 878 type described in division (A) of section 2941.1412 of the 879 Revised Code that charges the offender with committing the 880 offense by discharging a firearm at a peace officer as defined 881 in section 2935.01 of the Revised Code or a corrections officer, 882 as defined in section 2941.1412 of the Revised Code, the court, 883 after imposing a prison term on the offender for the felony 884 offense under division (A), (B)(2), or (B)(3) of this section, 885 shall impose an additional prison term of seven years upon the 886 offender that shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, 887 division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any 888 other provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised 889 Code. 890

(ii) If an offender is convicted of or pleads quilty to a 891 felony that includes, as an essential element, causing or 892 attempting to cause the death of or physical harm to another and 893 also is convicted of or pleads quilty to a specification of the 894 type described in division (B) of section 2941.1412 of the 895 Revised Code that charges the offender with committing the 896 offense by discharging a firearm at a peace officer, as defined 897 in section 2935.01 of the Revised Code, or a corrections 898 officer, as defined in section 2941.1412 of the Revised Code, 899 and that the offender previously has been convicted of or 900 pleaded guilty to a specification of the type described in 901 section 2941.141, 2941.144, 2941.145, 2941.146, or 2941.1412 of 902 the Revised Code, the court, after imposing a prison term on the 903 offender for the felony offense under division (A), (B)(2), or 904 (3) of this section, shall impose an additional prison term of 905 one hundred twenty-six months upon the offender that shall not 906 be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) 907 of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other provision of 908 Chapter 2967. or 5120. of the Revised Code. 909

(iii) If an offender is convicted of or pleads quilty to 910 two or more felonies that include, as an essential element, 911 causing or attempting to cause the death or physical harm to 912 another and also is convicted of or pleads guilty to a 913 specification of the type described under division (B)(1)(f) of 914 this section in connection with two or more of the felonies of 915 which the offender is convicted or to which the offender pleads 916 guilty, the sentencing court shall impose on the offender the 917 prison term specified under division (B)(1)(f) of this section 918 for each of two of the specifications of which the offender is 919 convicted or to which the offender pleads quilty and, in its 920 discretion, also may impose on the offender the prison term 921 922 specified under that division for any or all of the remaining specifications. If a court imposes an additional prison term on 923 an offender under division (B)(1)(f) of this section relative to 924 an offense, the court shall not impose a prison term under 925 division (B)(1)(a) or (c) of this section relative to the same 926 offense. 927

928 (q) If an offender is convicted of or pleads quilty to two or more felonies, if one or more of those felonies are 929 930 aggravated murder, murder, attempted aggravated murder, attempted murder, aggravated robbery, felonious assault, or 931 rape, and if the offender is convicted of or pleads quilty to a 932 specification of the type described under division (B)(1)(a) of 933 this section in connection with two or more of the felonies, the 934 sentencing court shall impose on the offender the prison term 935 specified under division (B)(1)(a) of this section for each of 936 the two most serious specifications of which the offender is 937

convicted or to which the offender pleads guilty and, in its	938
discretion, also may impose on the offender the prison term	939
specified under that division for any or all of the remaining	940
specifications.	941
(2)(a) If division (B)(2)(b) of this section does not	942
apply, the court may impose on an offender, in addition to the	943
longest prison term authorized or required for the offense or,	944
for offenses for which division (A)(1)(a) or (2)(a) of this	945
section applies, in addition to the longest minimum prison term	946
authorized or required for the offense, an additional definite	947
prison term of one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight,	948
nine, or ten years if all of the following criteria are met:	949
(i) The offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	950
specification of the type described in section 2941.149 of the	951
Revised Code that the offender is a repeat violent offender.	952
(ii) The offense of which the offender currently is	953
convicted or to which the offender currently pleads guilty is	954
aggravated murder and the court does not impose a sentence of	955
death or life imprisonment without parole, murder, terrorism and	956
the court does not impose a sentence of life imprisonment	957
without parole, any felony of the first degree that is an	958
offense of violence and the court does not impose a sentence of	959
life imprisonment without parole, or any felony of the second	960
degree that is an offense of violence and the trier of fact	961
finds that the offense involved an attempt to cause or a threat	962
to cause serious physical harm to a person or resulted in	963
serious physical harm to a person.	964
(iii) The court imposes the longest prison term for the	965
offense or the longest minimum prison term for the offense,	966

whichever is applicable, that is not life imprisonment without

parole. 968 (iv) The court finds that the prison terms imposed 969 pursuant to division (B)(2)(a)(iii) of this section and, if 970 applicable, division (B)(1) or (3) of this section are 971 inadequate to punish the offender and protect the public from 972 future crime, because the applicable factors under section 973 2929.12 of the Revised Code indicating a greater likelihood of 974 recidivism outweigh the applicable factors under that section 975 indicating a lesser likelihood of recidivism. 976 (v) The court finds that the prison terms imposed pursuant 977 to division (B)(2)(a)(iii) of this section and, if applicable, 978 division (B)(1) or (3) of this section are demeaning to the 979 seriousness of the offense, because one or more of the factors 980 under section 2929.12 of the Revised Code indicating that the 981 offender's conduct is more serious than conduct normally 982 constituting the offense are present, and they outweigh the 983 applicable factors under that section indicating that the 984 offender's conduct is less serious than conduct normally 985 constituting the offense. 986 (b) The court shall impose on an offender the longest 987 prison term authorized or required for the offense or, for 988 offenses for which division (A)(1)(a) or (2)(a) of this section 989 applies, the longest minimum prison term authorized or required 990 for the offense, and shall impose on the offender an additional 991 definite prison term of one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, 992 eight, nine, or ten years if all of the following criteria are 993 met: 994 (i) The offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a 995 specification of the type described in section 2941.149 of the 996

Revised Code that the offender is a repeat violent offender.

- (ii) The offender within the preceding twenty years has 998 been convicted of or pleaded guilty to three or more offenses 999 described in division (CC)(1) of section 2929.01 of the Revised 1000 Code, including all offenses described in that division of which 1001 the offender is convicted or to which the offender pleads guilty 1002 in the current prosecution and all offenses described in that 1003 division of which the offender previously has been convicted or 1004 to which the offender previously pleaded guilty, whether 1005 prosecuted together or separately. 1006
- (iii) The offense or offenses of which the offender 1007 currently is convicted or to which the offender currently pleads 1008 guilty is aggravated murder and the court does not impose a 1009 sentence of death or life imprisonment without parole, murder, 1010 terrorism and the court does not impose a sentence of life 1011 imprisonment without parole, any felony of the first degree that 1012 is an offense of violence and the court does not impose a 1013 sentence of life imprisonment without parole, or any felony of 1014 the second degree that is an offense of violence and the trier 1015 of fact finds that the offense involved an attempt to cause or a 1016 threat to cause serious physical harm to a person or resulted in 1017 serious physical harm to a person. 1018
- (c) For purposes of division (B)(2)(b) of this section, 1019
 two or more offenses committed at the same time or as part of 1020
 the same act or event shall be considered one offense, and that 1021
 one offense shall be the offense with the greatest penalty. 1022
- (d) A sentence imposed under division (B)(2)(a) or (b) of 1023 this section shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, 1024 division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any 1025 other provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised 1026 Code. The offender shall serve an additional prison term imposed 1027

under division	(B)(2)(a) or	(b) of this section consecutively to	1028
and prior to th	ne prison term	imposed for the underlying offense.	1029

- (e) When imposing a sentence pursuant to division (B)(2) 1030
 (a) or (b) of this section, the court shall state its findings 1031
 explaining the imposed sentence. 1032
- (3) Except when an offender commits a violation of section 1033 2903.01 or 2907.02 of the Revised Code and the penalty imposed 1034 for the violation is life imprisonment or commits a violation of 1035 section 2903.02 of the Revised Code, if the offender commits a 1036 violation of section 2925.03 or 2925.11 of the Revised Code and 1037 that section classifies the offender as a major drug offender, 1038 if the offender commits a violation of section 2925.05 of the 1039 Revised Code and division (E)(1) of that section classifies the 1040 offender as a major drug offender, if the offender commits a 1041 felony violation of section 2925.02, 2925.04, 2925.05, 2925.36, 1042 3719.07, 3719.08, 3719.16, 3719.161, 4729.37, or 4729.61, 1043 division (C) or (D) of section 3719.172, division (E) of section 1044 4729.51, or division (J) of section 4729.54 of the Revised Code 1045 that includes the sale, offer to sell, or possession of a 1046 schedule I or II controlled substance, with the exception of 1047 marihuana, and the court imposing sentence upon the offender 1048 finds that the offender is quilty of a specification of the type 1049 described in division (A) of section 2941.1410 of the Revised 1050 Code charging that the offender is a major drug offender, if the 1051 court imposing sentence upon an offender for a felony finds that 1052 the offender is quilty of corrupt activity with the most serious 1053 offense in the pattern of corrupt activity being a felony of the 1054 first degree, or if the offender is quilty of an attempted 1055 violation of section 2907.02 of the Revised Code and, had the 1056 offender completed the violation of section 2907.02 of the 1057 Revised Code that was attempted, the offender would have been 1058

subject to a sentence of life imprisonment or life imprisonment 1059 without parole for the violation of section 2907.02 of the 1060 Revised Code, the court shall impose upon the offender for the 1061 felony violation a mandatory prison term determined as described 1062 in this division that cannot be reduced pursuant to section 1063 2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, 1064 or any other provision of Chapter 2967. or 5120. of the Revised 1065 Code. The mandatory prison term shall be the maximum definite 1066 prison term prescribed in division (A)(1)(b) of this section for 1067 a felony of the first degree, except that for offenses for which 1068 division (A)(1)(a) of this section applies, the mandatory prison 1069 term shall be the longest minimum prison term prescribed in that 1070 division for the offense. 1071

(4) If the offender is being sentenced for a third or 1072 fourth degree felony OVI offense under division (G)(2) of 1073 section 2929.13 of the Revised Code, the sentencing court shall 1074 impose upon the offender a mandatory prison term in accordance 1075 with that division. In addition to the mandatory prison term, if 1076 the offender is being sentenced for a fourth degree felony OVI 1077 offense, the court, notwithstanding division (A)(4) of this 1078 section, may sentence the offender to a definite prison term of 1079 not less than six months and not more than thirty months, and if 1080 the offender is being sentenced for a third degree felony OVI 1081 offense, the sentencing court may sentence the offender to an 1082 additional prison term of any duration specified in division (A) 1083 (3) of this section. In either case, the additional prison term 1084 imposed shall be reduced by the sixty or one hundred twenty days 1085 imposed upon the offender as the mandatory prison term. The 1086 total of the additional prison term imposed under division (B) 1087 (4) of this section plus the sixty or one hundred twenty days 1088 imposed as the mandatory prison term shall equal a definite term 1089

in the range of six months to thirty months for a fourth degree	1090
felony OVI offense and shall equal one of the authorized prison	1091
terms specified in division (A)(3) of this section for a third	1092
degree felony OVI offense. If the court imposes an additional	1093
prison term under division (B)(4) of this section, the offender	1094
shall serve the additional prison term after the offender has	1095
served the mandatory prison term required for the offense. In	1096
addition to the mandatory prison term or mandatory and	1097
additional prison term imposed as described in division (B)(4)	1098
of this section, the court also may sentence the offender to a	1099
community control sanction under section 2929.16 or 2929.17 of	1100
the Revised Code, but the offender shall serve all of the prison	1101
terms so imposed prior to serving the community control	1102
sanction.	1103

If the offender is being sentenced for a fourth degree 1104 felony OVI offense under division (G)(1) of section 2929.13 of 1105 the Revised Code and the court imposes a mandatory term of local 1106 incarceration, the court may impose a prison term as described 1107 in division (A)(1) of that section.

(5) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a 1109 violation of division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2903.06 of the 1110 Revised Code and also is convicted of or pleads quilty to a 1111 specification of the type described in section 2941.1414 of the 1112 Revised Code that charges that the victim of the offense is a 1113 peace officer, as defined in section 2935.01 of the Revised 1114 Code, an investigator of the bureau of criminal identification 1115 and investigation, as defined in section 2903.11 of the Revised 1116 Code, or a firefighter or emergency medical worker, both as 1117 defined in section 4123.026 of the Revised Code, the court shall 1118 impose on the offender a prison term of five years. If a court 1119 imposes a prison term on an offender under division (B)(5) of 1120

this section, the prison term shall not be reduced pursuant to	1121
section 2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or	1122
2967.194, or any other provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter	1123
5120. of the Revised Code. A court shall not impose more than	1124
one prison term on an offender under division (B)(5) of this	1125
section for felonies committed as part of the same act.	1126

- (6) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a 1127 violation of division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2903.06 of the 1128 Revised Code and also is convicted of or pleads quilty to a 1129 specification of the type described in section 2941.1415 of the 1130 Revised Code that charges that the offender previously has been 1131 convicted of or pleaded quilty to three or more violations of 1132 division (A) of section 4511.19 of the Revised Code or an 1133 equivalent offense, as defined in section 2941.1415 of the 1134 Revised Code, or three or more violations of any combination of 1135 those offenses, the court shall impose on the offender a prison 1136 term of three years. If a court imposes a prison term on an 1137 offender under division (B)(6) of this section, the prison term 1138 shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A) 1139 (2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other 1140 provision of Chapter 2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised Code. 1141 A court shall not impose more than one prison term on an 1142 offender under division (B)(6) of this section for felonies 1143 committed as part of the same act. 1144
- (7) (a) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to

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 a felony violation of section 2905.01, 2905.02, 2907.21,
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 2907.22, or 2923.32, division (A) (1) or (2) of section 2907.323
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 involving a minor, or division (B) (1), (2), (3), (4), or (5) of
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 section 2919.22 of the Revised Code and also is convicted of or
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 pleads guilty to a specification of the type described in
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 section 2941.1422 of the Revised Code that charges that the

offender knowingly committed the offense in furtherance of human	1152
trafficking, the court shall impose on the offender a mandatory	1153
prison term that is one of the following:	1154
(i) If the offense is a felony of the first degree, a	1155
definite prison term of not less than five years and not greater	1156
than eleven years, except that if the offense is a felony of the	1157
first degree committed on or after March 22, 2019, the court	1158
shall impose as the minimum prison term a mandatory term of not	1159
less than five years and not greater than eleven years;	1160
(ii) If the offense is a felony of the second or third	1161
degree, a definite prison term of not less than three years and	1162
not greater than the maximum prison term allowed for the offense	1163
by division (A)(2)(b) or (3) of this section, except that if the	1164
offense is a felony of the second degree committed on or after	1165
March 22, 2019, the court shall impose as the minimum prison	1166
term a mandatory term of not less than three years and not	1167
greater than eight years;	1168
(iii) If the offense is a felony of the fourth or fifth	1169
degree, a definite prison term that is the maximum prison term	1170
allowed for the offense by division (A) of section 2929.14 of	1171
the Revised Code.	1172
(b) The prison term imposed under division (B)(7)(a) of	1173
this section shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20,	1174
division (A)(2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any	1175
other provision of Chapter 2967. of the Revised Code. A court	1176
shall not impose more than one prison term on an offender under	1177
division (B)(7)(a) of this section for felonies committed as	1178
part of the same act, scheme, or plan.	1179
(8) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	1180

felony violation of section 2903.11, 2903.12, or 2903.13 of the	1181
Revised Code and also is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	1182
specification of the type described in section 2941.1423 of the	1183
Revised Code that charges that the victim of the violation was a	1184
woman whom the offender knew was pregnant at the time of the	1185
violation, notwithstanding the range prescribed in division (A)	1186
of this section as the definite prison term or minimum prison	1187
term for felonies of the same degree as the violation, the court	1188
shall impose on the offender a mandatory prison term that is	1189
either a definite prison term of six months or one of the prison	1190
terms prescribed in division (A) of this section for felonies of	1191
the same degree as the violation, except that if the violation	1192
is a felony of the first or second degree committed on or after	1193
arch 22, 2019, the court shall impose as the minimum prison term	1194
under division (A)(1)(a) or (2)(a) of this section a mandatory	1195
term that is one of the terms prescribed in that division,	1196
whichever is applicable, for the offense.	1197

- (9) (a) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to 1198 a violation of division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2903.11 of the 1199 Revised Code and also is convicted of or pleads guilty to a 1200 specification of the type described in section 2941.1425 of the 1201 Revised Code, the court shall impose on the offender a mandatory 1202 prison term of six years if either of the following applies: 1203
- (i) The violation is a violation of division (A) (1) of 1204 section 2903.11 of the Revised Code and the specification 1205 charges that the offender used an accelerant in committing the 1206 violation and the serious physical harm to another or to 1207 another's unborn caused by the violation resulted in a 1208 permanent, serious disfigurement or permanent, substantial 1209 incapacity;

(ii) The violation is a violation of division (A)(2) of	1211
section 2903.11 of the Revised Code and the specification	1212
charges that the offender used an accelerant in committing the	1213
violation, that the violation caused physical harm to another or	1214
to another's unborn, and that the physical harm resulted in a	1215
permanent, serious disfigurement or permanent, substantial	1216
incapacity.	1217
(b) If a court imposes a prison term on an offender under	1218
division (B)(9)(a) of this section, the prison term shall not be	1219
reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) of	1220
section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other provision of Chapter	1221
2967. or Chapter 5120. of the Revised Code. A court shall not	1222
impose more than one prison term on an offender under division	1223
(B)(9) of this section for felonies committed as part of the	1224
same act.	1225
(c) The provisions of divisions (B)(9) and (C)(6) of this	1226
section and of division (D)(2) of section 2903.11, division (F)	1227
(20) of section 2929.13, and section 2941.1425 of the Revised	1228
Code shall be known as "Judy's Law."	1229
(10) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	1230
violation of division (A) of section 2903.11 of the Revised Code	1231
and also is convicted of or pleads guilty to a specification of	1232
the type described in section 2941.1426 of the Revised Code that	1233
charges that the victim of the offense suffered permanent	1234
disabling harm as a result of the offense and that the victim	1235
was under ten years of age at the time of the offense,	1236
regardless of whether the offender knew the age of the victim,	1237
the court shall impose upon the offender an additional definite	1238
prison term of six years. A prison term imposed on an offender	1239

under division (B) (10) of this section shall not be reduced

pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A)(2) or (3) of section	1241
2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other provision of Chapter 2967. or	1242
Chapter 5120. of the Revised Code. If a court imposes an	1243
additional prison term on an offender under this division	1244
relative to a violation of division (A) of section 2903.11 of	1245
the Revised Code, the court shall not impose any other	1246
additional prison term on the offender relative to the same	1247
offense.	1248

(11) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to a 1249 felony violation of section 2925.03 or 2925.05 of the Revised 1250 Code or a felony violation of section 2925.11 of the Revised 1251 Code for which division (C)(11) of that section applies in 1252 determining the sentence for the violation, if the drug involved 1253 in the violation is a fentanyl-related compound or a compound, 1254 mixture, preparation, or substance containing a fentanyl-related 1255 compound, and if the offender also is convicted of or pleads 1256 guilty to a specification of the type described in division (B) 1257 of section 2941.1410 of the Revised Code that charges that the 1258 offender is a major drug offender, in addition to any other 1259 penalty imposed for the violation, the court shall impose on the 1260 offender a mandatory prison term of three, four, five, six, 1261 seven, or eight years. If a court imposes a prison term on an 1262 offender under division (B)(11) of this section, the prison term 1263 shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A) 1264 (2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other 1265 provision of Chapter 2967. or 5120. of the Revised Code. A court 1266 shall not impose more than one prison term on an offender under 1267 division (B)(11) of this section for felonies committed as part 1268 of the same act. 1269

(C)(1)(a) Subject to division (C)(1)(b) of this section, 1270 if a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an offender pursuant 1271

to division (B)(1)(a) of this section for having a firearm on or	1272
about the offender's person or under the offender's control	1273
while committing a felony, if a mandatory prison term is imposed	1274
upon an offender pursuant to division (B)(1)(c) of this section	1275
for committing a felony specified in that division by	1276
discharging a firearm from a motor vehicle, or if both types of	1277
mandatory prison terms are imposed, the offender shall serve any	1278
mandatory prison term imposed under either division	1279
consecutively to any other mandatory prison term imposed under	1280
either division or under division (B)(1)(d) of this section,	1281
consecutively to and prior to any prison term imposed for the	1282
underlying felony pursuant to division (A), (B)(2), or (B)(3) of	1283
this section or any other section of the Revised Code, and	1284
consecutively to any other prison term or mandatory prison term	1285
previously or subsequently imposed upon the offender.	1286

- (b) If a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an offender 1287 pursuant to division (B)(1)(d) of this section for wearing or 1288 carrying body armor while committing an offense of violence that 1289 is a felony, the offender shall serve the mandatory term so 1290 imposed consecutively to any other mandatory prison term imposed 1291 under that division or under division (B)(1)(a) or (c) of this 1292 section, consecutively to and prior to any prison term imposed 1293 for the underlying felony under division (A), (B)(2), or (B)(3) 1294 of this section or any other section of the Revised Code, and 1295 consecutively to any other prison term or mandatory prison term 1296 previously or subsequently imposed upon the offender. 1297
- (c) If a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an offender 1298 pursuant to division (B)(1)(f) of this section, the offender 1299 shall serve the mandatory prison term so imposed consecutively 1300 to and prior to any prison term imposed for the underlying 1301 felony under division (A), (B)(2), or (B)(3) of this section or 1302

any other section of the Revised Code, and consecutively to any	1303
other prison term or mandatory prison term previously or	1304
subsequently imposed upon the offender.	1305
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(d) If a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an offender	1306
pursuant to division (B)(7) or (8) of this section, the offender	1307
shall serve the mandatory prison term so imposed consecutively	1308
to any other mandatory prison term imposed under that division	1309
or under any other provision of law and consecutively to any	1310
other prison term or mandatory prison term previously or	1311
subsequently imposed upon the offender.	1312
(e) If a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an offender	1313
pursuant to division (B)(11) of this section, the offender shall	1314
serve the mandatory prison term consecutively to any other	1315
mandatory prison term imposed under that division, consecutively	1316
to and prior to any prison term imposed for the underlying	1317
felony, and consecutively to any other prison term or mandatory	1318
prison term previously or subsequently imposed upon the	1319
offender.	1320
(2) If an offender who is an inmate in a jail, prison, or	1321
other residential detention facility violates section 2917.02,	1322
2917.03, or 2921.35 of the Revised Code or division (A)(1) or	1323
(2) of section 2921.34 of the Revised Code, if an offender who	1324
is under detention at a detention facility commits a felony	1325
violation of section 2923.131 of the Revised Code, or if an	1326
offender who is an inmate in a jail, prison, or other	1327
residential detention facility or is under detention at a	1328
detention facility commits another felony while the offender is	1329
an escapee in violation of division (A)(1) or (2) of section	1330
2921.34 of the Revised Code, any prison term imposed upon the	1331

offender for one of those violations shall be served by the

offender consecutively to the prison term or term of	1333
imprisonment the offender was serving when the offender	1334
committed that offense and to any other prison term previously	1335
or subsequently imposed upon the offender.	1336

- (3) If a prison term is imposed for a violation of 1337 division (B) of section 2911.01 of the Revised Code, a violation 1338 of division (A) of section 2913.02 of the Revised Code in which 1339 the stolen property is a firearm or dangerous ordnance, or a 1340 felony violation of division (B) of section 2921.331 of the 1341 Revised Code, the offender shall serve that prison term 1342 consecutively to any other prison term or mandatory prison term 1343 previously or subsequently imposed upon the offender. 1344
- (4) If multiple prison terms are imposed on an offender 1345 for convictions of multiple offenses, the court may require the 1346 offender to serve the prison terms consecutively if the court 1347 finds that the consecutive service is necessary to protect the 1348 public from future crime or to punish the offender and that 1349 consecutive sentences are not disproportionate to the 1350 seriousness of the offender's conduct and to the danger the 1351 offender poses to the public, and if the court also finds any of 1352 the following: 1353
- (a) The offender committed one or more of the multiple 1354 offenses while the offender was awaiting trial or sentencing, 1355 was under a sanction imposed pursuant to section 2929.16, 1356 2929.17, or 2929.18 of the Revised Code, or was under postrelease control for a prior offense. 1358
- (b) At least two of the multiple offenses were committed 1359 as part of one or more courses of conduct, and the harm caused 1360 by two or more of the multiple offenses so committed was so 1361 great or unusual that no single prison term for any of the 1362

offenses committed as part of any of the courses of conduct 1363 adequately reflects the seriousness of the offender's conduct. 1364

- (c) The offender's history of criminal conduct 1365 demonstrates that consecutive sentences are necessary to protect 1366 the public from future crime by the offender. 1367
- (5) If a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an offender 1368 pursuant to division (B)(5) or (6) of this section, the offender 1369 shall serve the mandatory prison term consecutively to and prior 1370 to any prison term imposed for the underlying violation of 1371 division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2903.06 of the Revised Code 1372 pursuant to division (A) of this section or section 2929.142 of 1373 the Revised Code. If a mandatory prison term is imposed upon an 1374 offender pursuant to division (B)(5) of this section, and if a 1375 mandatory prison term also is imposed upon the offender pursuant 1376 to division (B)(6) of this section in relation to the same 1377 violation, the offender shall serve the mandatory prison term 1378 imposed pursuant to division (B)(5) of this section 1379 consecutively to and prior to the mandatory prison term imposed 1380 pursuant to division (B)(6) of this section and consecutively to 1381 and prior to any prison term imposed for the underlying 1382 violation of division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2903.06 of the 1383 Revised Code pursuant to division (A) of this section or section 1384 2929.142 of the Revised Code. 1385
- (6) If a mandatory prison term is imposed on an offender pursuant to division (B)(9) of this section, the offender shall 1387 serve the mandatory prison term consecutively to and prior to 1388 any prison term imposed for the underlying violation of division 1389 (A)(1) or (2) of section 2903.11 of the Revised Code and 1390 consecutively to and prior to any other prison term or mandatory 1391 prison term previously or subsequently imposed on the offender. 1392

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- (7) If a mandatory prison term is imposed on an offender 1393 pursuant to division (B)(10) of this section, the offender shall 1394 serve that mandatory prison term consecutively to and prior to 1395 any prison term imposed for the underlying felonious assault. 1396 Except as otherwise provided in division (C) of this section, 1397 any other prison term or mandatory prison term previously or 1398 subsequently imposed upon the offender may be served 1399 concurrently with, or consecutively to, the prison term imposed 1400 pursuant to division (B) (10) of this section. 1401
- (8) Any prison term imposed for a violation of section 2903.04 of the Revised Code that is based on a violation of section 2925.03 or 2925.11 of the Revised Code or on a violation of section 2925.05 of the Revised Code that is not funding of marihuana trafficking shall run consecutively to any prison term imposed for the violation of section 2925.03 or 2925.11 of the Revised Code or for the violation of section 2925.05 of the Revised Code that is not funding of marihuana trafficking.
- (9) When consecutive prison terms are imposed pursuant to
 division (C)(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), or (8) or
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 division (H)(1) or (2) of this section, subject to division (C)
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 (10) of this section, the term to be served is the aggregate of
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 all of the terms so imposed.
- (10) When a court sentences an offender to a non-life 1415 felony indefinite prison term, any definite prison term or 1416 mandatory definite prison term previously or subsequently 1417 imposed on the offender in addition to that indefinite sentence 1418 that is required to be served consecutively to that indefinite 1419 sentence shall be served prior to the indefinite sentence. 1420
- (11) If a court is sentencing an offender for a felony of the first or second degree, if division (A)(1)(a) or (2)(a) of 1422

this section applies with respect to the sentencing for the	1423
offense, and if the court is required under the Revised Code	1424
section that sets forth the offense or any other Revised Code	1425
provision to impose a mandatory prison term for the offense, the	1426
court shall impose the required mandatory prison term as the	1427
minimum term imposed under division (A)(1)(a) or (2)(a) of this	1428
section, whichever is applicable.	1429

- (D)(1) If a court imposes a prison term, other than a term 1430 of life imprisonment, for a felony of the first degree, for a 1431 felony of the second degree, for a felony sex offense, or for a 1432 felony of the third degree that is an offense of violence and 1433 that is not a felony sex offense, it shall include in the 1434 sentence a requirement that the offender be subject to a period 1435 of post-release control after the offender's release from 1436 imprisonment, in accordance with section 2967.28 of the Revised 1437 Code. If a court imposes a sentence including a prison term of a 1438 type described in this division on or after July 11, 2006, the 1439 failure of a court to include a post-release control requirement 1440 in the sentence pursuant to this division does not negate, 1441 limit, or otherwise affect the mandatory period of post-release 1442 control that is required for the offender under division (B) of 1443 section 2967.28 of the Revised Code. Section 2929.191 of the 1444 Revised Code applies if, prior to July 11, 2006, a court imposed 1445 a sentence including a prison term of a type described in this 1446 division and failed to include in the sentence pursuant to this 1447 division a statement regarding post-release control. 1448
- (2) If a court imposes a prison term for a felony of the 1449 third, fourth, or fifth degree that is not subject to division 1450 (D)(1) of this section, it shall include in the sentence a 1451 requirement that the offender be subject to a period of post-1452 release control after the offender's release from imprisonment, 1453

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in accordance with that division, if the parole board determines	1454
that a period of post-release control is necessary. Section	1455
2929.191 of the Revised Code applies if, prior to July 11, 2006,	1456
a court imposed a sentence including a prison term of a type	1457
described in this division and failed to include in the sentence	1458
pursuant to this division a statement regarding post-release	1459
control.	1460
(E) The court shall impose sentence upon the offender in	1461
accordance with section 2971.03 of the Revised Code, and Chapter	1462
2971. of the Revised Code applies regarding the prison term or	1463
term of life imprisonment without parole imposed upon the	1464
offender and the service of that term of imprisonment if any of	1465
the following apply:	1466
(1) A person is convicted of or pleads guilty to a violent	1467
sex offense or a designated homicide, assault, or kidnapping	1468
offense, and, in relation to that offense, the offender is	1469
adjudicated a sexually violent predator.	1470
(2) A person is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	1471
violation of division (A)(1)(b) of section 2907.02 of the	1472
Revised Code committed on or after January 2, 2007, and either	1473
the court does not impose a sentence of life without parole when	1474
authorized pursuant to division (B) of section 2907.02 of the	1475
Revised Code, or division (B) of section 2907.02 of the Revised	1476
Code provides that the court shall not sentence the offender	1477

(3) A person is convicted of or pleads guilty to attempted

rape committed on or after January 2, 2007, and a specification

of the type described in section 2941.1418, 2941.1419, or

pursuant to section 2971.03 of the Revised Code.

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(4) A person is convicted of or pleads guilty to a	1483
violation of section 2905.01 of the Revised Code committed on or	1484
after January 1, 2008, and that section requires the court to	1485
sentence the offender pursuant to section 2971.03 of the Revised	1486
Code.	1487
(5) A person is convicted of or pleads guilty to	1488
aggravated murder committed on or after January 1, 2008, and	1489
division (A) (2) (b) (ii) of section 2929.022, division (A) (1) (e),	1490
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(a) (iv) of section 2929.03, or division (A) or (B) of section	1492
2929.06 of the Revised Code requires the court to sentence the	
offender pursuant to division (B)(3) of section 2971.03 of the	1494
Revised Code.	1495
(6) A person is convicted of or pleads guilty to murder	1496
committed on or after January 1, 2008, and division (B)(2) of	1497
section 2929.02 of the Revised Code requires the court to	1498
sentence the offender pursuant to section 2971.03 of the Revised	1499
Code.	1500
(F) If a person who has been convicted of or pleaded	1501
guilty to a felony is sentenced to a prison term or term of	1502
imprisonment under this section, sections 2929.02 to 2929.06 of	1503
the Revised Code, section 2929.142 of the Revised Code, section	1504
2971.03 of the Revised Code, or any other provision of law,	1505
section 5120.163 of the Revised Code applies regarding the	1506
person while the person is confined in a state correctional	1507
institution.	1508
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(G) If an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty to	1509
a felony that is an offense of violence also is convicted of or	1510
pleads guilty to a specification of the type described in	1511
section 2941.142 of the Revised Code that charges the offender	1512

with having committed the felony while participating in a	1513
criminal gang, the court shall impose upon the offender an	1514
additional prison term of one, two, or three years.	1515
(H)(1) If an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty	1516
to aggravated murder, murder, or a felony of the first, second,	1517
or third degree that is an offense of violence also is convicted	1518
of or pleads guilty to a specification of the type described in	1519
section 2941.143 of the Revised Code that charges the offender	1520
with having committed the offense in a school safety zone or	1521
towards a person in a school safety zone, the court shall impose	1522
upon the offender an additional prison term of two years. The	1523
offender shall serve the additional two years consecutively to	1524
and prior to the prison term imposed for the underlying offense.	1525
(2)(a) If an offender is convicted of or pleads guilty to	1526
a felony violation of section 2907.22, 2907.24, 2907.241, or	1527
2907.25 of the Revised Code and to a specification of the type	1528
described in section 2941.1421 of the Revised Code and if the	1529
court imposes a prison term on the offender for the felony	1530
violation, the court may impose upon the offender an additional	1531
prison term as follows:	1532
(i) Subject to division (H)(2)(a)(ii) of this section, an	1533
additional prison term of one, two, three, four, five, or six	1534
months;	1535
(ii) If the offender previously has been convicted of or	1536
pleaded guilty to one or more felony or misdemeanor violations	1537
of section 2907.22, 2907.23, 2907.24, 2907.241, or 2907.25 of	1538
the Revised Code and also was convicted of or pleaded guilty to	1539
a specification of the type described in section 2941.1421 of	1540
the Revised Code regarding one or more of those violations, an	1541

additional prison term of one, two, three, four, five, six,

seven, eight, nine, ten, eleven, or twelve months.

(b) In lieu of imposing an additional prison term under 1544 division (H)(2)(a) of this section, the court may directly 1545 impose on the offender a sanction that requires the offender to 1546 wear a real-time processing, continual tracking electronic 1547 monitoring device during the period of time specified by the 1548 court. The period of time specified by the court shall equal the 1549 duration of an additional prison term that the court could have 1550 imposed upon the offender under division (H)(2)(a) of this 1551 1552 section. A sanction imposed under this division shall commence on the date specified by the court, provided that the sanction 1553 shall not commence until after the offender has served the 1554 prison term imposed for the felony violation of section 2907.22, 1555 2907.24, 2907.241, or 2907.25 of the Revised Code and any 1556 residential sanction imposed for the violation under section 1557 2929.16 of the Revised Code. A sanction imposed under this 1558 division shall be considered to be a community control sanction 1559 for purposes of section 2929.15 of the Revised Code, and all 1560 provisions of the Revised Code that pertain to community control 1561 sanctions shall apply to a sanction imposed under this division, 1562 except to the extent that they would by their nature be clearly 1563 inapplicable. The offender shall pay all costs associated with a 1564 sanction imposed under this division, including the cost of the 1565 use of the monitoring device. 1566

(I) At the time of sentencing, the court may recommend the

offender for placement in a program of shock incarceration under

section 5120.031 of the Revised Code or for placement in an

intensive program prison under section 5120.032 of the Revised

Code, disapprove placement of the offender in a program of shock

incarceration or an intensive program prison of that nature, or

make no recommendation on placement of the offender. In no case

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shall the department of rehabilitation and correction place the	1574
offender in a program or prison of that nature unless the	1575
department determines as specified in section 5120.031 or	1576
5120.032 of the Revised Code, whichever is applicable, that the	1577
offender is eligible for the placement.	1578

If the court disapproves placement of the offender in a program or prison of that nature, the department of rehabilitation and correction shall not place the offender in any program of shock incarceration or intensive program prison.

If the court recommends placement of the offender in a program of shock incarceration or in an intensive program prison, and if the offender is subsequently placed in the recommended program or prison, the department shall notify the court of the placement and shall include with the notice a brief description of the placement.

If the court recommends placement of the offender in a 1589 program of shock incarceration or in an intensive program prison 1590 and the department does not subsequently place the offender in 1591 the recommended program or prison, the department shall send a 1592 notice to the court indicating why the offender was not placed 1593 in the recommended program or prison. 1594

If the court does not make a recommendation under this 1595 division with respect to an offender and if the department 1596 determines as specified in section 5120.031 or 5120.032 of the 1597 Revised Code, whichever is applicable, that the offender is 1598 eligible for placement in a program or prison of that nature, 1599 the department shall screen the offender and determine if there 1600 is an available program of shock incarceration or an intensive 1601 program prison for which the offender is suited. If there is an 1602 available program of shock incarceration or an intensive program 1603

prison for which the offender is suited, the department shall	1604
notify the court of the proposed placement of the offender as	1605
specified in section 5120.031 or 5120.032 of the Revised Code	1606
and shall include with the notice a brief description of the	1607
placement. The court shall have ten days from receipt of the	1608
notice to disapprove the placement.	1609

- (J) If a person is convicted of or pleads guilty to

 aggravated vehicular homicide in violation of division (A)(1) of

 section 2903.06 of the Revised Code and division (B)(2)(c) of

 that section applies, the person shall be sentenced pursuant to

 section 2929.142 of the Revised Code.

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- (K) (1) The court shall impose an additional mandatory 1615 prison term of two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, 1616 ten, or eleven years on an offender who is convicted of or 1617 pleads quilty to a violent felony offense if the offender also 1618 is convicted of or pleads guilty to a specification of the type 1619 described in section 2941.1424 of the Revised Code that charges 1620 that the offender is a violent career criminal and had a firearm 1621 on or about the offender's person or under the offender's 1622 control while committing the presently charged violent felony 1623 offense and displayed or brandished the firearm, indicated that 1624 the offender possessed a firearm, or used the firearm to 1625 facilitate the offense. The offender shall serve the prison term 1626 imposed under this division consecutively to and prior to the 1627 prison term imposed for the underlying offense. The prison term 1628 shall not be reduced pursuant to section 2929.20, division (A) 1629 (2) or (3) of section 2967.193 or 2967.194, or any other 1630 provision of Chapter 2967. or 5120. of the Revised Code. A court 1631 may not impose more than one sentence under division (B)(2)(a) 1632 of this section and this division for acts committed as part of 1633 the same act or transaction. 1634

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(2) As used in division (K)(1) of this section, "violent	1635
career criminal" and "violent felony offense" have the same	1636
meanings as in section 2923.132 of the Revised Code.	1637
(L) If an offender receives or received a sentence of life	1638
imprisonment without parole, a sentence of life imprisonment, a	1639
definite sentence, or a sentence to an indefinite prison term	1640
under this chapter for a felony offense that was committed when	1641
the offender was under eighteen years of age, the offender's	1642
parole eligibility shall be determined under section 2967.132 of	1643
the Revised Code.	1644
Sec. 2929.41. (A) Except as provided in division (B) of	1645
this section, division (C) of section 2929.14, or division (D)	1646
or (E) of section 2971.03 of the Revised Code, a prison term,	1647
jail term, or sentence of imprisonment shall be served	1648
concurrently with any other prison term, jail term, or sentence	1649
of imprisonment imposed by a court of this state, another state,	1650
or the United States. Except as provided in division (B)(3) of	1651
this section, a jail term or sentence of imprisonment for	1652
misdemeanor shall be served concurrently with a prison term or	1653
sentence of imprisonment for felony served in a state or federal	1654
correctional institution.	1655
(B)(1) A jail term or sentence of imprisonment for a	1656
misdemeanor shall be served consecutively to any other prison	1657
term, jail term, or sentence of imprisonment when the trial	1658
court specifies that it is to be served consecutively or when it	1659
is imposed for a misdemeanor violation of section 2907.322,	1660
2921.34, or 2923.131 of the Revised Code.	1661

When consecutive sentences are imposed for misdemeanor

under this division, the term to be served is the aggregate of

the consecutive terms imposed, except that the aggregate term to

be served shall not exceed eighteen months.

(2) If a court of this state imposes a prison term upon	1666
the offender for the commission of a felony and a court of	1667
another state or the United States also has imposed a prison	1668
term upon the offender for the commission of a felony, the court	1669
of this state may order that the offender serve the prison term	1670
it imposes consecutively to any prison term imposed upon the	1671
offender by the court of another state or the United States.	1672

(3) A jail term or sentence of imprisonment imposed for a misdemeanor violation of section 4510.11, 4510.14, 4510.16, 4510.21, or 4511.19 of the Revised Code shall be served consecutively to a prison term that is imposed for a felony violation of section 2903.06, 2903.07, 2903.08, or 4511.19 of the Revised Code or a felony violation of section 2903.04 of the Revised Code involving the operation of a motor—vehicle by the offender and that is served in a state correctional institution when the trial court specifies that it is to be served consecutively.

When consecutive jail terms or sentences of imprisonment

and prison terms are imposed for one or more misdemeanors and

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one or more felonies under this division, the term to be served

is the aggregate of the consecutive terms imposed, and the

offender shall serve all terms imposed for a felony before

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serving any term imposed for a misdemeanor.

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Sec. 2935.031. Any—(A) As used in this section, "law 1689 enforcement entity" means an agency, instrumentality, or 1690 political subdivision of the state that employs a sheriff, 1691 deputy sheriff, constable, marshal, deputy marshal, police 1692 officer, member of a metropolitan housing authority police 1693 force, state university law enforcement officer, or veterans' 1694

home police officer with arrest authority under section 2935.03	1695
of the Revised Code or that employs other persons with arrest	1696
authority under the Revised Code $ au_{oldsymbol{\cdot}}$	1697
(B) Each law enforcement entity shall adopt a written	1698
policy for the pursuit in a motor vehicle of any person who	1699
violates a law of this state or an ordinance of a municipal	1700
corporation. In developing its policy, each law enforcement	1701
entity shall consider pursuit policy standards and best-practice	1702
recommendations as established by the Ohio collaborative	1703
community-police advisory board or a similar law enforcement	1704
accrediting entity. The chief law enforcement officer or other	1705
chief official of the agency, instrumentality, or political	1706
subdivision law enforcement entity shall formally advise and	1707
train_each peace officer or other person with arrest authority	1708
it the entity employs of the on each pursuit policy adopted by	1709
that agency, instrumentality, or political subdivision entity	1710
pursuant to this section.	1711
Sec. 4507.112. (A) The director of public safety may	1712
authorize a third party to administer the motor vehicle skills	1713
test specified in division (A)(2) of section 4507.11 of the	1714
Revised Code. A third-party administrator may be any person, any	1715
agency of this state, or any agency, department, or	1716
instrumentality of local government, including a clerk of the	1717
<pre>court of common pleas. The third party shall administer the same</pre>	1718
skills test as otherwise would be administered by the bureau of	1719
motor vehicles.	1720
(B) For purposes of authorizing a third party to	1721
administer the motor vehicle skills test, the director and the	1722
third party shall enter into an agreement that does all of the	1723
following:	1724

(1) Allows the director or the director's representative	1725
to conduct random examinations, inspections, and audits of the	1726
third party, whether covert or overt, without prior notice;	1727
(2) Requires all examiners of the third party to meet the	1728
same qualification and training standards as examiners of the	1729
department of public safety;	1730
(3) Requires the third party to use designated road test	1731
routes that have been approved by the director;	1732
(4) If the third party also is a driver training school,	1733
prohibits a skills test examiner employed by the school from	1734
administering a skills test to an applicant that the examiner	1735
personally trained;	1736
(5) Establishes appropriate documentation and	1737
communication between the third party and the department	1738
indicating who has attempted the skills test with the third	1739
party and whether the person completed the test successfully;	1740
(6) Reserves to the department the right to take prompt	1741
and appropriate remedial action against the third party and its	1742
skills test examiners if the third party or its skills test	1743
examiners fail to comply with state standards for the testing	1744
program or with any other terms of the agreement.	1745
(C)(1) The director may adopt rules in accordance with	1746
Chapter 119. of the Revised Code establishing reasonable fees	1747
that a third party authorized to administer the motor vehicle	1748
skills test under this section may charge for the skills test.	1749
(2) If the director does not adopt the rules authorized	1750
under division (C)(1) of this section, a third party may charge	1751
a fee to an applicant who attempts the skills test with that	1752
third party. However, a third party shall not charge a fee	1753

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greater than the	cost of administering th	e skills test to that	1754
applicant.			1755

- Sec. 4509.101. (A) (1) No person shall operate, or permit 1756 the operation of, a motor vehicle in this state, unless proof of 1757 financial responsibility is maintained continuously throughout 1758 the registration period with respect to that vehicle, or, in the 1759 case of a driver who is not the owner, with respect to that 1760 driver's operation of that vehicle.
- (2) Whoever violates division (A)(1) of this section shall be subject to the following civil penalties:
- (a) Subject to divisions (A)(2)(b) and (c) of this 1764 section, a class (F) suspension of the person's driver's 1765 license, commercial driver's license, temporary instruction 1766 permit, probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege 1767 for the period of time specified in division (B)(6) of section 1768 4510.02 of the Revised Code and impoundment of the person's 1769 license. The court may grant limited driving privileges to the 1770 person, but only if the person presents proof of financial 1771 responsibility and is enrolled in a reinstatement fee payment 1772 plan pursuant to section 4510.10 of the Revised Code. 1773
- (b) If, within five years of the violation, the person's 1774 1775 operating privileges are again suspended and the person's license again is impounded for a violation of division (A)(1) of 1776 this section, a class C suspension of the person's driver's 1777 license, commercial driver's license, temporary instruction 1778 permit, probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege 1779 for the period of time specified in division (B)(3) of section 1780 4510.02 of the Revised Code. The court may grant limited driving 1781 privileges to the person only if the person presents proof of 1782 financial responsibility and has complied with division (A)(5) 1783

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of this section, and no court may grant limited driving privileges for the first fifteen days of the suspension.

- (c) If, within five years of the violation, the person's 1786 operating privileges are suspended and the person's license is 1787 impounded two or more times for a violation of division (A)(1) 1788 of this section, a class B suspension of the person's driver's 1789 license, commercial driver's license, temporary instruction 1790 permit, probationary license, or nonresident operating privilege 1791 for the period of time specified in division (B)(2) of section 1792 4510.02 of the Revised Code. The court may grant limited driving 1793 privileges to the person only if the person presents proof of 1794 financial responsibility and has complied with division (A)(5) 1795 of this section, except that no court may grant limited driving 1796 privileges for the first thirty days of the suspension. 1797
- (d) In addition to the suspension of an owner's license 1798 under division (A)(2)(a), (b), or (c) of this section, the 1799 suspension of the rights of the owner to register the motor 1800 vehicle and the impoundment of the owner's certificate of 1801 registration and license plates until the owner complies with 1802 division (A)(5) of this section.

The clerk of court shall waive the cost of filing a 1804 petition for limited driving privileges if, pursuant to section 1805 2323.311 of the Revised Code, the petitioner applies to be 1806 qualified as an indigent litigant and the court approves the 1807 application.

(3) A person to whom this state has issued a certificate 1809 of registration for a motor vehicle or a license to operate a 1810 motor vehicle or who is determined to have operated any motor 1811 vehicle or permitted the operation in this state of a motor 1812 vehicle owned by the person shall be required to verify the 1813

existence of proof of financial responsibility covering the	1814
operation of the motor vehicle or the person's operation of the	1815
motor vehicle under either of the following circumstances:	1816
(a) The person or a motor vehicle owned by the person is	1817
involved in a traffic accident that requires the filing of an	1818
accident report under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code.	1819
(b) The person receives a traffic ticket indicating that	1820
proof of the maintenance of financial responsibility was not	1821
produced upon the request of a peace officer or state highway	1822
patrol trooper made in accordance with division (D)(2) of this	1823
section.	1824
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(4) An order of the registrar that suspends and impounds a	1825
license or registration, or both, shall state the date on or	1826
before which the person is required to surrender the person's	1827
license or certificate of registration and license plates. The	1828
person is deemed to have surrendered the license or certificate	1829
of registration and license plates, in compliance with the	1830
order, if the person does either of the following:	1831
(a) On or before the date specified in the order, delivers	1832
the license or certificate of registration and license plates to	1833
the registrar;	1834
(b) Mails the license or certificate of registration and	1835
license plates to the registrar in an envelope or container	1836
bearing a postmark showing a date no later than the date	1837
specified in the order.	1838
(5) Except as provided in division (L) of this section,	1839
the registrar shall not restore any operating privileges or	1840
registration rights suspended under this section, return any	1841
license, certificate of registration, or license plates	1842
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impounded under this section, or reissue license plates under	1843
section 4503.232 of the Revised Code, if the registrar destroyed	1844
the impounded license plates under that section, or reissue a	1845
license under section 4510.52 of the Revised Code, if the	1846
registrar destroyed the suspended license under that section,	1847
unless the rights are not subject to suspension or revocation	1848
under any other law and unless the person, in addition to	1849
complying with all other conditions required by law for	1850
reinstatement of the operating privileges or registration	1851
rights, complies with all of the following:	1852
(a) Pays to the registrar or an eligible deputy registrar	1853
a financial responsibility reinstatement fee of forty dollars	1854
for the first violation of division (A)(1) of this section,	1855
three hundred dollars for a second violation of that division,	1856
and six hundred dollars for a third or subsequent violation of	1857
that division;	1858
(b) If the person has not voluntarily surrendered the	1859
license, certificate, or license plates in compliance with the	1860
order, pays to the registrar or an eligible deputy registrar a	1861
financial responsibility nonvoluntary compliance fee in an	1862
amount, not to exceed fifty dollars, determined by the	1863
registrar;	1864
(c) Files and continuously maintains proof of financial	1865
responsibility under sections 4509.44 to 4509.65 of the Revised	1866
Code;	1867
(d) Pays a deputy registrar a service fee of ten dollars	1868
to compensate the deputy registrar for services performed under	1869
this section. The deputy registrar shall retain eight dollars of	1870
the service fee and shall transmit the reinstatement fee, any	1871
nonvoluntary compliance fee, and two dollars of the service fee	1872

to the registrar in the manner the registrar shall determine.	1873
(B)(1) Every party required to file an accident report	1874
under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code also shall include	1875
with the report a document described in division (G)(1)(a) of	1876
this section or shall present proof of financial responsibility	1877
through use of an electronic wireless communications device as	1878
permitted by division (G)(1)(b) of this section.	1879
If the registrar determines, within forty-five days after	1880
the report is filed, that an operator or owner has violated	1881
division (A)(1) of this section, the registrar shall do all of	1882
the following:	1883
(a) Order the impoundment, with respect to the motor	1884
vehicle involved, required under division (A)(2)(d) of this	1885
section, of the certificate of registration and license plates	1886
of any owner who has violated division (A)(1) of this section;	1887
(b) Order the suspension required under division (A)(2)	1888
(a), (b), or (c) of this section of the license of any operator	1889
or owner who has violated division (A)(1) of this section;	1890
(c) Record the name and address of the person whose	1891
certificate of registration and license plates have been	1892
impounded or are under an order of impoundment, or whose license	1893
has been suspended or is under an order of suspension; the	1894
serial number of the person's license; the serial numbers of the	1895
person's certificate of registration and license plates; and the	1896
person's social security account number, if assigned, or, where	1897
the motor vehicle is used for hire or principally in connection	1898
with any established business, the person's federal taxpayer	1899
identification number. The information shall be recorded in such	1900
a manner that it becomes a part of the person's permanent	1901

record, and assists the registrar in monitoring compliance with 1902 the orders of suspension or impoundment. 1903

- (d) Send written notification to every person to whom the 1904 order pertains, at the person's last known address as shown on 1905 the records of the bureau. The person, within ten days after the 1906 date of the mailing of the notification, shall surrender to the 1907 registrar, in a manner set forth in division (A)(4) of this 1908 section, any certificate of registration and registration plates 1909 under an order of impoundment, or any license under an order of 1910 1911 suspension.
- (2) The registrar shall issue any order under division (B) 1912 (1) of this section without a hearing. Any person adversely 1913 affected by the order, within ten days after the issuance of the 1914 order, may request an administrative hearing before the 1915 registrar, who shall provide the person with an opportunity for 1916 a hearing in accordance with this paragraph. A request for a 1917 hearing does not operate as a suspension of the order. The scope 1918 of the hearing shall be limited to whether the person in fact 1919 demonstrated to the registrar proof of financial responsibility 1920 in accordance with this section. The registrar shall determine 1921 the date, time, and place of any hearing, provided that the 1922 hearing shall be held, and an order issued or findings made, 1923 within thirty days after the registrar receives a request for a 1924 hearing. If requested by the person in writing, the registrar 1925 may designate as the place of hearing the county seat of the 1926 county in which the person resides or a place within fifty miles 1927 of the person's residence. The person shall pay the cost of the 1928 hearing before the registrar, if the registrar's order of 1929 suspension or impoundment is upheld. 1930
 - (C) Any order of suspension or impoundment issued under

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this section or division (B) of section 4509.37 of the Revised	1932
Code may be terminated at any time if the registrar determines	1933
upon a showing of proof of financial responsibility that the	1934
operator or owner of the motor vehicle was in compliance with	1935
division (A)(1) of this section at the time of the traffic	1936
offense, motor vehicle inspection, or accident that resulted in	1937
the order against the person. A determination may be made	1938
without a hearing. This division does not apply unless the	1939
person shows good cause for the person's failure to present	1940
satisfactory proof of financial responsibility to the registrar	1941
prior to the issuance of the order.	1942

- (D)(1)(a) For the purpose of enforcing this section, every 1943 peace officer is deemed an agent of the registrar. 1944
- (b) Any peace officer who, in the performance of the peace 1945 officer's duties as authorized by law, becomes aware of a person 1946 whose license is under an order of suspension, or whose 1947 certificate of registration and license plates are under an 1948 order of impoundment, pursuant to this section, may confiscate 1949 the license, certificate of registration, and license plates, 1950 and return them to the registrar.
- (2) A peace officer shall request the owner or operator of a motor vehicle to produce proof of financial responsibility in a manner described in division (G) of this section at the time the peace officer acts to enforce the traffic laws of this state and during motor vehicle inspections conducted pursuant to section 4513.02 of the Revised Code.
- (3) A peace officer shall indicate on every traffic ticket 1958 whether the person receiving the traffic ticket produced proof 1959 of the maintenance of financial responsibility in response to 1960 the officer's request under division (D)(2) of this section. The 1961

peace officer shall inform every person who receives a traffic 19	962
ticket and who has failed to produce proof of the maintenance of	963
financial responsibility that the person must submit proof to	964
the traffic violations bureau with any payment of a fine and	965
costs for the ticketed violation or, if the person is to appear	966
in court for the violation, the person must submit proof to the	967
court.	968

- (4) (a) If a person who has failed to produce proof of the maintenance of financial responsibility appears in court for a ticketed violation, the court may permit the defendant to present evidence of proof of financial responsibility to the court at such time and in such manner as the court determines to be necessary or appropriate. In a manner prescribed by the registrar, the clerk of courts shall provide the registrar with the identity of any person who fails to submit proof of the maintenance of financial responsibility pursuant to division (D) (3) of this section.
- (b) If a person who has failed to produce proof of the 1979 maintenance of financial responsibility also fails to submit 1980 that proof to the traffic violations bureau with payment of a 1981 fine and costs for the ticketed violation, the traffic 1982 violations bureau, in a manner prescribed by the registrar, 1983 shall notify the registrar of the identity of that person. 1984
- (5) (a) Upon receiving notice from a clerk of courts or

 traffic violations bureau pursuant to division (D) (4) of this

 section, the registrar shall order the suspension of the license

 of the person required under division (A) (2) (a), (b), or (c) of

 this section and the impoundment of the person's certificate of

 registration and license plates required under division (A) (2)

 (d) of this section, effective thirty days after the date of the

mailing of notification. The registrar also shall notify the	1992
person that the person must present the registrar with proof of	1993
financial responsibility in accordance with this section,	1994
surrender to the registrar the person's certificate of	1995
registration, license plates, and license, or submit a statement	1996
subject to section 2921.13 of the Revised Code that the person	1997
did not operate or permit the operation of the motor vehicle at	1998
the time of the offense. Notification shall be in writing and	1999
shall be sent to the person at the person's last known address	2000
as shown on the records of the bureau of motor vehicles. The	2001
person, within fifteen days after the date of the mailing of	2002
notification, shall present proof of financial responsibility,	2003
surrender the certificate of registration, license plates, and	2004
license to the registrar in a manner set forth in division (A)	2005
(4) of this section, or submit the statement required under this	2006
section together with other information the person considers	2007
appropriate.	2008

If the registrar does not receive proof or the person does

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not surrender the certificate of registration, license plates,

and license, in accordance with this division, the registrar

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shall permit the order for the suspension of the license of the

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registration and license plates to take effect.

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(b) In the case of a person who presents, within the 2015 fifteen-day period, proof of financial responsibility, the 2016 registrar shall terminate the order of suspension and the 2017 impoundment of the registration and license plates required 2018 under division (A)(2)(d) of this section and shall send written 2019 notification to the person, at the person's last known address 2020 as shown on the records of the bureau. 2021

(c) Any person adversely affected by the order of the	2022
registrar under division (D)(5)(a) or (b) of this section,	2023
within ten days after the issuance of the order, may request an	2024
administrative hearing before the registrar, who shall provide	2025
the person with an opportunity for a hearing in accordance with	2026
this paragraph. A request for a hearing does not operate as a	2027
suspension of the order. The scope of the hearing shall be	2028
limited to whether, at the time of the hearing, the person	2029
presents proof of financial responsibility covering the vehicle	2030
and whether the person is eligible for an exemption in	2031
accordance with this section or any rule adopted under it. The	2032
registrar shall determine the date, time, and place of any	2033
hearing; provided, that the hearing shall be held, and an order	2034
issued or findings made, within thirty days after the registrar	2035
receives a request for a hearing. If requested by the person,	2036
the hearing may be held remotely by electronic means. If	2037
requested by the person in writing, the registrar may designate	2038
as the place of hearing the county seat of the county in which	2039
the person resides or a place within fifty miles of the person's	2040
residence. Such person shall pay the cost of the hearing before	2041
the registrar, if the registrar's order of suspension or	2042
impoundment under division (D)(5)(a) or (b) of this section is	2043
upheld.	2044

(6) A peace officer may charge an owner or operator of a 2045 motor vehicle with a violation of section 4510.16 of the Revised 2046 Code when the owner or operator fails to show proof of the 2047 maintenance of financial responsibility pursuant to a peace 2048 officer's request under division (D)(2) of this section, if a 2049 check of the owner or operator's driving record indicates that 2050 the owner or operator, at the time of the operation of the motor 2051 vehicle, is required to file and maintain proof of financial 2052

responsibility under section 4509.45 of the Revised Code for a	2053
previous violation of this chapter.	2054
(7) Any forms used by law enforcement agencies in	2055
administering this section shall be prescribed, supplied, and	2056
paid for by the registrar.	2057
(8) No peace officer, law enforcement agency employing a	2058
peace officer, or political subdivision or governmental agency	2059
that employs a peace officer shall be liable in a civil action	2060
for damages or loss to persons arising out of the performance of	2061
any duty required or authorized by this section.	2062
(9) As used in this section, "peace officer" has the	2063
meaning set forth in section 2935.01 of the Revised Code.	2064
(E) All fees, except court costs, fees paid to a deputy	2065
registrar, and those portions of the financial responsibility	2066
reinstatement fees as otherwise specified in this division,	2067
collected under this section shall be paid into the state	2068
treasury to the credit of the public safety - highway purposes	2069
fund established in section 4501.06 of the Revised Code and used	2070
to cover costs incurred by the bureau in the administration of	2071
this section and sections 4503.20, 4507.212, and 4509.81 of the	2072
Revised Code, and by any law enforcement agency employing any	2073
peace officer who returns any license, certificate of	2074
registration, and license plates to the registrar pursuant to	2075
division (C) of this section.	2076
Of each financial responsibility reinstatement fee the	2077
registrar collects pursuant to division (A)(5)(a) of this	2078
section or receives from a deputy registrar under division (A)	2079
(5)(d) of this section, the registrar shall deposit ten dollars	2080

of each forty-dollar reinstatement fee, fifty dollars of each

three-hundred-dollar reinstatement fee, and one hundred dollars	2082
of each six-hundred-dollar reinstatement fee into the state	2083
treasury to the credit of the indigent defense support fund	2084
created by section 120.08 of the Revised Code.	2085
(F) Chapter 119. of the Revised Code applies to this	2086
section only to the extent that any provision in that chapter is	2087
not clearly inconsistent with this section.	2088
(G)(1)(a) The registrar, court, traffic violations bureau,	2089
or peace officer may require proof of financial responsibility	2090
to be demonstrated by use of a standard form prescribed by the	2091
registrar. If the use of a standard form is not required, a	2092
person may demonstrate proof of financial responsibility under	2093
this section by presenting to the traffic violations bureau,	2094
court, registrar, or peace officer any of the following	2095
documents or a copy of the documents:	2096
(i) A financial responsibility identification card as	2097
(i) A financial responsibility identification card as provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code;	2097 2098
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code;	2098
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on	2098
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of	2098 2099 2100
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of	2098 2099 2100 2101
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code;	2098 2099 2100 2101 2102
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code; (iii) A policy of liability insurance, a declaration page	2098 2099 2100 2101 2102 2103
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code; (iii) A policy of liability insurance, a declaration page of a policy of liability insurance, or liability bond, if the	2098 2099 2100 2101 2102 2103 2104
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code; (iii) A policy of liability insurance, a declaration page of a policy of liability insurance, or liability bond, if the policy or bond complies with section 4509.20 or sections 4509.49	2098 2099 2100 2101 2102 2103 2104 2105
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code; (iii) A policy of liability insurance, a declaration page of a policy of liability insurance, or liability bond, if the policy or bond complies with section 4509.20 or sections 4509.49 to 4509.61 of the Revised Code;	2098 2099 2100 2101 2102 2103 2104 2105 2106
provided in section 4509.103 of the Revised Code; (ii) A certificate of proof of financial responsibility on a form provided and approved by the registrar for the filing of an accident report required to be filed under section 4509.06 of the Revised Code; (iii) A policy of liability insurance, a declaration page of a policy of liability insurance, or liability bond, if the policy or bond complies with section 4509.20 or sections 4509.49 to 4509.61 of the Revised Code; (iv) A bond or certification of the issuance of a bond as	2098 2099 2100 2101 2102 2103 2104 2105 2106 2107

(vi) A certificate of self-insurance as provided in	2111
section 4509.72 of the Revised Code.	2112
(b) A person also may present proof of financial	2113
responsibility under this section to the traffic violations	2114
bureau, court, registrar, or peace officer through use of an	2115
electronic wireless communications device as specified under	2116
section 4509.103 of the Revised Code.	2117
(2) If a person fails to demonstrate proof of financial	2118
responsibility in a manner described in division (G)(1) of this	2119
section, the person may demonstrate proof of financial	2120
responsibility under this section by any other method that the	2121
court or the bureau, by reason of circumstances in a particular	2122
case, may consider appropriate.	2123
(3) A motor carrier certificated by the interstate	2124
commerce commission or by the public utilities commission may	2125
demonstrate proof of financial responsibility by providing a	2126
statement designating the motor carrier's operating authority	2127
and averring that the insurance coverage required by the	2128
certificating authority is in full force and effect.	2129
(4)(a) A finding by the registrar or court that a person	2130
is covered by proof of financial responsibility in the form of	2131
an insurance policy or surety bond is not binding upon the named	2132
insurer or surety or any of its officers, employees, agents, or	2133
representatives and has no legal effect except for the purpose	2134
of administering this section.	2135
(b) The preparation and delivery of a financial	2136
responsibility identification card or any other document	2137
authorized to be used as proof of financial responsibility and	2138
the generation and delivery of proof of financial responsibility	2139

to an electronic wireless communications device that is	2140
displayed on the device as text or images does not do any of the	2141
following:	2142
(i) Create any liability or estoppel against an insurer or	2143
surety, or any of its officers, employees, agents, or	2144
representatives;	2145
(ii) Constitute an admission of the existence of, or of	2146
any liability or coverage under, any policy or bond;	2147
(iii) Waive any defenses or counterclaims available to an	2148
insurer, surety, agent, employee, or representative in an action	2149
commenced by an insured or third-party claimant upon a cause of	2150
action alleged to have arisen under an insurance policy or	2151
surety bond or by reason of the preparation and delivery of a	2152
document for use as proof of financial responsibility or the	2153
generation and delivery of proof of financial responsibility to	2154
an electronic wireless communications device.	2155
(c) Whenever it is determined by a final judgment in a	2156
judicial proceeding that an insurer or surety, which has been	2157
named on a document or displayed on an electronic wireless	2158
communications device accepted by a court or the registrar as	2159
proof of financial responsibility covering the operation of a	2160
motor vehicle at the time of an accident or offense, is not	2161
liable to pay a judgment for injuries or damages resulting from	2162
such operation, the registrar, notwithstanding any previous	2163
contrary finding, shall forthwith suspend the operating	2164
privileges and registration rights of the person against whom	2165
the judgment was rendered as provided in division (A)(2) of this	2166
section.	2167
(H) In order for any document or display of text or images	2168

on an electronic wireless communications device described in 2169 division (G)(1) of this section to be used for the demonstration 2170 of proof of financial responsibility under this section, the 2171 document or words or images shall state the name of the insured 2172 or obligor, the name of the insurer or surety company, and the 2173 effective and expiration dates of the financial responsibility, 2174 and designate by explicit description or by appropriate 2175 reference all motor vehicles covered which may include a 2176 reference to fleet insurance coverage. 2177

- (I) For purposes of this section, "owner" does not include 2178 2179 a licensed motor vehicle leasing dealer as defined in section 4517.01 of the Revised Code, but does include a motor vehicle 2180 renting dealer as defined in section 4549.65 of the Revised 2181 Code. Nothing in this section or in section 4509.51 of the 2182 Revised Code shall be construed to prohibit a motor vehicle 2183 renting dealer from entering into a contractual agreement with a 2184 person whereby the person renting the motor vehicle agrees to be 2185 solely responsible for maintaining proof of financial 2186 responsibility, in accordance with this section, with respect to 2187 the operation, maintenance, or use of the motor vehicle during 2188 the period of the motor vehicle's rental. 2189
- (J) The purpose of this section is to require the 2190 maintenance of proof of financial responsibility with respect to 2191 the operation of motor vehicles on the highways of this state, 2192 so as to minimize those situations in which persons are not 2193 compensated for injuries and damages sustained in motor vehicle 2194 accidents. The general assembly finds that this section contains 2195 reasonable civil penalties and procedures for achieving this 2196 2197 purpose.
 - (K) Nothing in this section shall be construed to be

subject to section 4509.78 of the Revised Code.	2199
(L)(1) The registrar may terminate any suspension imposed	2200
under this section and not require the owner to comply with	2201
divisions (A)(5)(a), (b), and (c) of this section if the	2202
registrar with or without a hearing determines that the owner of	2203
the vehicle has established by clear and convincing evidence	2204
that all of the following apply:	2205
(a) The owner customarily maintains proof of financial	2206
responsibility.	2207
(b) Proof of financial responsibility was not in effect	2208
for the vehicle on the date in question for one of the following	2209
reasons:	2210
(i) The vehicle was inoperable.	2211
(ii) The vehicle is operated only seasonally, and the date	2212
in question was outside the season of operation.	2213
(iii) A person other than the vehicle owner or driver was	2214
at fault for the lapse of proof of financial responsibility	2215
through no fault of the owner or driver.	2216
(iv) The lapse of proof of financial responsibility was	2217
caused by excusable neglect under circumstances that are not	2218
likely to recur and do not suggest a purpose to evade the	2219
requirements of this chapter.	2220
(2) The registrar may grant an owner or driver relief for	2221
a reason specified in division (L)(1)(b)(iii) or (iv) of this	2222
section only if the owner or driver has not previously been	2223
granted relief under division (L)(1)(b)(iii) or (iv) of this	2224
section.	2225
(M) The registrar shall adopt rules in accordance with	2226

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Chapter 119. of the Revised Code that are necessary to	2227
administer and enforce this section. The rules shall include	2228
procedures for the surrender of license plates upon failure to	2229
maintain proof of financial responsibility and provisions	2230
relating to reinstatement of registration rights, acceptable	2231
forms of proof of financial responsibility, the use of an	2232
electronic wireless communications device to present proof of	2233
financial responsibility, and verification of the existence of	2234
financial responsibility during the period of registration.	2235
(N)(1) When a person utilizes an electronic wireless	2236
communications device to present proof of financial	2237
responsibility, only the evidence of financial responsibility	2238
displayed on the device shall be viewed by the registrar, peace	2239
officer, employee or official of the traffic violations bureau,	2240
or the court. No other content of the device shall be viewed for	2241
purposes of obtaining proof of financial responsibility.	2242
(2) When a person provides an electronic wireless	2243
communications device to the registrar, a peace officer, an	2244
employee or official of a traffic violations bureau, or the	2245
court, the person assumes the risk of any resulting damage to	2246
the device unless the registrar, peace officer, employee, or	2247
official, or court personnel purposely, knowingly, or recklessly	2248
commits an action that results in damage to the device.	2249
Sec. 4510.036. (A) The bureau of motor vehicles shall	2250
record within ten days of conviction or bail forfeiture and	2251
shall keep at its main office, all abstracts received under this	2252
section or section 4510.03, 4510.031, 4510.032, or 4510.034 of	2253

the Revised Code and shall maintain records of convictions and

bond forfeitures for any violation of a state law or a municipal

ordinance regulating the operation of vehicles, streetcars, and

trackless trolleys on highways and streets, except a violation	2257
related to parking a motor vehicle.	2258
(B) Every court of record or mayor's court before which a	2259
person is charged with a violation for which points are	2260
chargeable by this section shall assess and transcribe to the	2261
abstract of conviction that is furnished by the bureau to the	2262
court the number of points chargeable by this section in the	2263
correct space assigned on the reporting form. A United States	2264
district court that has jurisdiction within this state and	2265
before which a person is charged with a violation for which	2266
points are chargeable by this section may assess and transcribe	2267
to the abstract of conviction report that is furnished by the	2268
bureau the number of points chargeable by this section in the	2269
correct space assigned on the reporting form. If the federal	2270
court so assesses and transcribes the points chargeable for the	2271
offense and furnishes the report to the bureau, the bureau shall	2272
record the points in the same manner as those assessed and	2273
transcribed by a court of record or mayor's court.	2274
(C) A court shall assess the following points for an	2275
offense based on the following formula:	2276
(1) Aggravated vehicular homicide, vehicular homicide,	2277
vehicular manslaughter, aggravated vehicular assault, or	2278
vehicular assault when the offense involves the operation of a	2279
vehicle, streetcar, or trackless trolley on a highway or street	2280
6 points	2281
(2) A violation of section 2921.331 of the Revised Code or	2282
any ordinance prohibiting the willful fleeing or eluding of a	2283
law enforcement officer 6 points	2284
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(3) A violation of section 4549.02 or 4549.021 of the

Revised Code or any ordinance requiring the driver of a vehicle	2286
to stop and disclose identity at the scene of an accident	2287
6 points	2288
(4) A violation of section 4511.251 of the Revised Code or	2289
any ordinance prohibiting street racing, stunt driving, or	2290
street takeover 6 points	2291
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(5) A violation of section 4510.037 of the Revised Code or	-
any ordinance prohibiting the operation of a motor vehicle while	2293
the driver's or commercial driver's license is under a twelve-	2294
point suspension 6 points	2295
(6) A violation of section 4510.14 of the Revised Code, or	2296
any ordinance prohibiting the operation of a motor vehicle upon	2297
the public roads or highways within this state while the	2298
driver's or commercial driver's license of the person is under	2299
suspension and the suspension was imposed under section 4511.19,	2300
4511.191, or 4511.196 of the Revised Code or section 4510.07 of	2301
the Revised Code due to a conviction for a violation of a	2302
municipal OVI ordinance or any ordinance prohibiting the	2303
operation of a motor vehicle while the driver's or commercial	2304
driver's license is under suspension for an OVI offense	2305
6 points	2306
(7) A violation of division (A) of section 4511.19 of the	2307
Revised Code, any ordinance prohibiting the operation of a	2308
vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, a drug of abuse,	2309
or a combination of them, or any ordinance substantially	2310
equivalent to division (A) of section 4511.19 of the Revised	2311
Code prohibiting the operation of a vehicle with a prohibited	2312
concentration of alcohol, a controlled substance, or a	2313
metabolite of a controlled substance in the whole blood, blood	2314
serum or plasma, breath, or urine 6 points	2315
	

(8) A violation of section 2913.03 of the Revised Code	2316
that does not involve an aircraft or motorboat or any ordinance	2317
prohibiting the operation of a vehicle without the consent of	2318
the owner 6 points	2319
(9) Any offense under the motor vehicle laws of this state	2320
that is a felony, or any other felony in the commission of which	2321
a motor vehicle was used 6 points	2322
(10) A violation of division (B) of section 4511.19 of the	2323
Revised Code or any ordinance substantially equivalent to that	2324
division prohibiting the operation of a vehicle with a	2325
prohibited concentration of alcohol in the whole blood, blood	2326
serum or plasma, breath, or urine 4 points	2327
(11) A violation of section 4511.20 of the Revised Code or	2328
any ordinance prohibiting the operation of a motor vehicle in	2329
willful or wanton disregard of the safety of persons or property	2330
4 points	2331
(12) A violation of any law or ordinance pertaining to	2332
speed:	2333
(a) Notwithstanding divisions (C)(12)(b) and (c) of this	2334
section, when the speed exceeds the lawful speed limit by thirty	2335
miles per hour or more 4 points	2336
(b) When the speed exceeds the lawful speed limit of	2337
fifty-five miles per hour or more by more than ten miles per	2338
hour 2 points	2339
(c) When the speed exceeds the lawful speed limit of less	2340
than fifty-five miles per hour by more than five miles per hour	2341
2 points	2342
(d) When the speed does not exceed the amounts set forth	2343

in divisions (C)(12)(a), (b), or (c) of this section	2344
0 points	2345
(13) A violation of division (A) of section 4511.204 of	2346
the Revised Code or any substantially similar municipal	2347
ordinance:	2348
(a) For a first offense within any two-year period	2349
2 points	2350
(b) For a second offense within any two-year period	2351
3 points	2352
(c) For a third or subsequent offense within any two-year	2353
period 4 points.	2354
(14) Operating a motor vehicle in violation of a	2355
restriction imposed by the registrar 2 points	2356
(15) A violation of section 4510.11, 4510.111, 4510.16, or	2357
4510.21 of the Revised Code or any ordinance prohibiting the	2358
operation of a motor vehicle while the driver's or commercial	2359
driver's license is under suspension 2 points	2360
(16) With the exception of violations under section	2361
4510.12 of the Revised Code where no points shall be assessed,	2362
all other moving violations reported under this section	2363
2 points	2364
(D) Upon receiving notification from the proper court,	2365
including a United States district court that has jurisdiction	2366
within this state, the bureau shall delete any points entered	2367
for a bond forfeiture if the driver is acquitted of the offense	2368
for which bond was posted.	2369
(E) If a person is convicted of or forfeits bail for two	2370
or more offenses arising out of the same facts and points are	2371

chargeable for each of the offenses, points shall be charged for	2372
only the conviction or bond forfeiture for which the greater	2373
number of points is chargeable, and, if the number of points	2374
chargeable for each offense is equal, only one offense shall be	2375
recorded, and points shall be charged only for that offense.	2376
Sec. 4511.251. (A) As used in this section and section	2377
4510.036 of the Revised Code, "street:	2378
(1) "Street racing" means the operation of two or more	2379
vehicles from a point side by side at accelerating speeds in a	2380
competitive attempt to out-distance each other or the operation	2381
of one or more vehicles over a common selected course, from the	2382
same point to the same point, wherein timing is made of the	2383
participating vehicles involving competitive accelerations or	2384
speeds. Persons rendering assistance in any manner to such-	2385
competitive use of vehicles shall be equally charged as the	2386
participants. The operation of two or more vehicles side by side	2387
either at speeds in excess of prima-facie lawful speeds	2388
established by divisions (B)(1)(a) to (B)(9) of section 4511.21	2389
of the Revised Code or rapidly accelerating from a common	2390
starting point to a speed in excess of such prima-facie lawful	2391
speeds shall be prima-facie evidence of street racing.	2392
(2) "Burnout" means a maneuver performed while operating a	2393
vehicle whereby the vehicle is kept in a stationary position,	2394
but the wheels of the vehicle are spun, which may cause the	2395
tires of the vehicle to become heated and emit smoke from the	2396
<u>friction.</u>	2397
(3) "Doughnut" means a maneuver performed while operating	2398
a vehicle whereby the front or rear of the vehicle is rotated	2399
around the opposite set of wheels in a continuous motion, which	2400
may cause a circular skid-mark pattern of rubber on the driving	2401

surface, or the tires of the vehicle to become heated and emit	2402
smoke from the friction, or both.	2403
(4) "Drifting" means a maneuver performed while operating	2404
a vehicle whereby the vehicle is driven in a manner that causes	2405
a controlled, sideways skid during a turn, with the front wheels	2406
pointing in a direction that is the opposite of the direction of	2407
the turn.	2408
(5) "Wheelie" means a maneuver performed while operating a	2409
vehicle whereby the front wheel or wheels of the vehicle are	2410
raised off of the ground or whereby two wheels that are on the	2411
same side of the vehicle are raised off of the ground.	2412
(6) "Stunt driving" means performing or engaging in	2413
burnouts, doughnuts, drifting, or wheelies, or allowing a	2414
passenger to ride either partially or fully outside of the	2415
vehicle while operating that vehicle.	2416
(7) "Street takeover" means blocking or impeding the	2417
regular flow of vehicle or pedestrian traffic on a public road,	2418
street, or highway or on private property that is open to the	2419
general public for the purpose of street racing or stunt	2420
driving.	2421
(B) No person shall knowingly participate in street	2422
racing, stunt driving, or street takeover upon any public road,	2423
street, or highway in this state, or on private property that is	2424
open to the general public.	2425
(C) Whoever violates this section is guilty of street	2426
racing, stunt driving, or street takeover, a misdemeanor of the	2427
first degree. In addition to any other sanctions, the court	2428
shall suspend the offender's driver's license, commercial	2429
driver's license, temporary instruction permit, probationary	2430

license, or nonresident operating privilege for not less than	2431
thirty days or more than three years. No judge shall suspend the	2432
first thirty days of any suspension of an offender's license,	2433
permit, or privilege imposed under this division.	2434
(D) Persons rendering assistance in any manner to street	2435
racing, stunt driving, or street takeover shall be equally	2436
charged as the participants.	2437
(E) This section does not apply to the competitive	2438
operation of vehicles on public or private property when the	2439
political subdivision with jurisdiction of the location or owner	2440
of the property knowingly permits such operation thereon.	2441
Section 2. That existing sections 325.33, 2903.06,	2442
2903.08, 2921.331, 2929.14, 2929.41, 2935.031, 4507.112,	2443
4509.101, 4510.036, and 4511.251 of the Revised Code are hereby	2444
repealed.	2445
Section 3. Any fees that were collected by a clerk of	2446
court serving as a third-party administrator of a motor vehicle	2447
skills test under section 4507.112 of the Revised Code beginning	2448
on April 12, 2021, until the effective date of this section	2449
shall be paid into the county treasury to the credit of the	2450
certificate of title administration fund, as established in	2451
section 325.33 of the Revised Code.	2452