

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**Offered By**

1 AMEND House Bill No. 985, Page 1, in the Title, Lines 2-3, by deleting the words "eligibility data  
2 verification for"; and

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4 Further amend said bill and page, Section A, Line 2, by inserting immediately after said line the  
5 following:

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7 "208.023. The department of social services shall seek a waiver from the federal government  
8 to mandate the use of photo identification for continued eligibility in the food stamp program  
9 administered in Missouri. Upon one year after approval by the federal government, all electronic  
10 benefit cards distributed to recipients of food stamps shall have imprinted on the card a photograph  
11 of the recipient or protective payee authorized to use the card and shall expire and be subject to  
12 renewal after a period of three years. The card shall not be accepted for use by a retail establishment  
13 if the photograph of the recipient does not match the person presenting the card."; and

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15 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
16 accordingly.

Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_