assume the obligation imposed under this article upon a person signing the application of a minor, even if the parent of the married person under the age of 21 refuses to sign his application. The department shall clearly set forth on the application the responsibilities assumed under this section. Any person signing the application shall certify that the statements made thereon are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

- (b) Any negligence of a minor under the age of 21 years when driving a motor vehicle upon a highway in this State shall be imputed to the person who has signed the application of the minor for a license, and the person shall be jointly and severally liable with the minor for any damages caused by the negligence except as otherwise provided in Section 6-108.
- (c) If a minor deposits or there is deposited upon his behalf proof of financial responsibility in respect to the operation of a motor vehicle owned by him, or if not the owner of a motor vehicle, then with respect to the operation of any motor vehicle, in form and in amounts as required under the motor vehicle financial responsibility laws of this State, the department may accept the application of the minor when signed by one parent or the guardian of the minor, and while the proof is maintained the parent or guardian shall not be subject to the liability imposed under this section.

§ 6-108. Release from liability.

Any person who has signed the application of a minor for a license thereafter may file with the department a written request that the license of the minor so granted be suspended. Thereupon the department shall suspend the license of the minor, and the person who signed the application of the minor shall be relieved from liability under subsection (b) of Section 6-107 incurred after the suspension.

§ 6-109. Suspension of license upon death of person signing minor's application.

The department upon receipt of satisfactory evidence of the death of the person who signed the application of a minor for a license shall suspend the license and shall not reinstate the license until a new application is signed and certified as required by this article. This provision does not apply if the minor has attained the age of 21 years.

§ 6-110. Examination of applicants.

(a) The Department shall examine every person who applied for an original license or for a class of license higher than the applicant has previously held, except as otherwise provided in this Article. Such examination shall include a test of the applicant's eyesight, his ability to read and understand highway signs regulating, warning and directing traffic, his knowledge of the traffic laws of this State and safe driving practices; and shall include an actual demonstration of ability to exercise ordinary and reasonable control in the operation of a motor vehicle and such further physical and mental examination as the Department finds necessary to determine the applicant's fitness to operate a motor vehicle safely upon the highways.

A person licensed to receive instruction and qualified to take the required examinations for the license applied for must appear in