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Utah State Tax Commission
Motor Vehicle Enforcement
Division
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Salt Lake City, UT 84314

Upcoming Holidays

State Offices will be
closed on the following
Holidays:

May 27, 2013

July 4, 2013

July 24, 2013

Hours

MVED is open
Monday-Friday
8 AM—5PM

Commonly Used Phone Numbers and Websites

MVED

801-297-2600

mved.utah.gov

DMV

801-297-7780

dmv.utah.gov

Tax Division

801-297-2200

tax.utah.gov

Tax Warehouse

801-297-3878



MVED Newsletter



RENEW ONLINE!

We are NOT doing renewals while you wait!
Renewing online is simple, quick, and easy
and we will mail you all of your licenses and decals!

By renewing online it saves your business time and money!

This year we will **NOT** have staff available to process your renewal while you wait. If you come into the office you will need to drop off the renewal packet or renewal summary at our MVED counter and the licenses and decals will be **MAILED** back to you. It is easiest to renew online and fax in the requested documents. We expect processing time will be 24-48 hours plus mail time. If you submit your documents to renew after July 1st it will take even longer. Don't wait! You can renew your license **NOW!**

All dealer licenses must take the 3 hour training class **BEFORE** they can start their renewal. It takes approximately 48-72 hours for the trainers to update our system once you have completed the training. You will not be able to renew with MVED until the training has been updated. Please plan ahead and **take your training early** so it doesn't slow down your renewal process. Training can be taken anytime **on or after April 8, 2013**. Training is offered by several trainers:

- www.mved.org
- Independent Dealer Solutions 801-566-3802 or 1-800-324-7009 or online at www.idsinfo.com or Utah Independent Auto Dealer Association online at www.utahdealers.org
- David Hale at Real Value 801-298-3811 or 1-877-450-9100 or via email at dave@hale.net
- Sonja Jorgensen 801-347-5405 or via email at sjorgensenlaw@gmail.com

Computer Changes

MVED and the DMV are getting a new computer operating system in mid October 2013. We are excited for this replacement to our existing system. Several of our forms will be changing to accommodate the new system requirements. Please make sure you have the most current forms by always downloading them from www.tax.utah.gov

This change will also allow the dealer more online functions and allow us to send out email reminders versus paper reminders sent via the mail. We will be sending out more information closer to the release date. We may have limited services available on Friday October 11th due to this change.

Non US Citizens

If your business is owned by someone that is not a US citizen or you employ a person that is not a US citizen you will not be able to renew those licenses online. The online process will advise you of which person must visit our office. If the person is an owner, the entire business will not be able to renew online. Anyone that is not a US citizen will need to visit MVED at 210 N 1950 W, Salt Lake City in person with their I94 documents, Resident Alien/Permanent Resident Card, or Work Authorization Card. The original of these documents must be brought to our office by the applicant so we can verify the documents and make a copy. This applies every time someone is applying for, transferring or renewing a license. We must check the status of each person each time, before the license can be granted. This process can take up to 30 working days.

Salesperson Licenses

Please check all of your salesperson licenses after July 1st to ensure they have a 2014 expiration date. **New salesperson licenses that are issued between now and June 30th will expire in 2013!** Our licenses are not prorated.

If a salesperson does not list all criminal convictions or charges on their salesperson application their license can be suspended for a minimum of 30 days. Please stress to salespeople that they need to properly complete the application to avoid suspension of their license. If they are unsure of charges or convictions they should contact Bureau of Criminal Identification at 801-965-4445 to purchase a copy of their criminal history, so they can properly fill out the salesperson application.

Acceptable Payment Methods

MVED **cannot** accept debit/credit cards in our office. Please be sure that applications are accompanied by a check or money order made payable to Utah State Tax Commission. We also accept cash payments at our front counter. If paying with cash, please try and have the exact change. Salespeople are often frustrated when they have driven an hour to get here and only have debit/credit card to make a payment.

Legislation Changes

HB 34 Special Group License Plate Amendments – Rep. Val Peterson (Effective 11/1/13) Authorizes an In God We Trust special group license plate for an individual who wants to recognize and honor American freedoms and values.

Legislation Changes—Continued

HB 79 Motor Vehicle Registration and Insurance Amendments – Rep. Stephen Handy (Effective 7/1/13)

Provides that a new registration card issued by the Tax Commission on or after November 1, 2013 for vehicles other than vehicles registered under Section 41-1a-301, may not display the address of the owner or the lessee; provides that a card issued by an insurance company as evidence of owner's or operator's security on or after July 1, 2014, may not display the owner's or operator's address.

HB 210 Motor Vehicle Emission Amendments – Rep. Edward Redd (Effective 3/26/13) Provides that if a county legislative body enacts, changes, or repeals the local emissions compliance fee, the enactment, change, or repeal takes effect on January 1 (instead of July 1) if the Tax Commission receives notice prior to Oct. 1 (instead of April 1).

HB 291 Motor Vehicle Safety Inspection Amendments – Rep. Jeremy Peterson (Effective 5/14/13) Changes the amount of time that a motor vehicle has to receive and pass a safety inspection from 6 to 11 months, if required in the current year, for the motor vehicle to be eligible for a temporary permit issued by a licensed motor vehicle dealer.

HB 379 Rental Company Registration Amendments – Rep. Daniel McCay (Effective 5/14/13) Authorizes an alternative special registration card and registration decals for license plates to be issued for a motor vehicle that is owned by a rental company and maintained in the rental company's rental fleet; provides that the alternative special registration card and registration decals for license plates are valid for the life of the motor vehicle while the motor vehicle is maintained in the rental fleet; requires an owner of a motor vehicle that receives the alternative special registration card and registration decals for license plates issued to renew the registration and comply with all the prerequisites for registration or registration renewal; and provides that if the registration renewal requirements are not complied with, the registration is suspended or revoked.

SB 193 Vehicle Registration Amendments – Sen. Scott Jenkins (Effective 5/14/13) Requires the Motor Vehicle Division to provide a credit against the fees and taxes charged to a person registering a street-legal all-terrain vehicle if the street-legal all-terrain vehicle was registered as an off-highway vehicle upon being purchased from a licensed dealer, and not more than 30 days have passed since the division issued the off-highway vehicle registration.

SB 249 Salvage and Nonrepairable Vehicle Amendments – Sen. Stephen Urquhart (Effective 5/14/13) Provides that a vehicle that has been issued a nonrepairable certificate may not be registered; requires an operator of a motor vehicle auction, for a vehicle with a salvage certificate purchased at a motor vehicle auction, to electronically apply for a salvage certificate of title and provide evidence of compliance with certain requirements; provides that a vehicle sold at or through a motor vehicle auction to an out-of-state purchaser with a nonrepairable or salvage certificate may not be certificated in Utah until the vehicle has been certificated out-of-state; prohibits a person who has been convicted of any law relating to motor vehicle commerce or motor vehicle fraud from purchasing a vehicle with a salvage or nonrepairable certificate; provides that a person or purchaser who is not licensed as a salvage vehicle buyer: (1) may not bid on or purchase more than five salvage vehicles with a nonrepairable or salvage certificate in any 12-month period, (2) may not offer for sale, sell, or exchange more than two vehicles with a salvage certificate in any 12-month period to a person not licensed as a salvage vehicle buyer or crusher, or (3) may not offer for sale, sell, or exchange a vehicle with a nonrepairable certificate to a person not licensed as a salvage vehicle buyer or a crusher; provides penalties for the knowing or intentional concealment, removal, destruction, or alteration of a disclosure statement or of a branded certificate of title; establishes a private cause of action for owners who violate the requirement to disclose that a vehicle is a salvage vehicle.