

REGULATORY AGENDA - NYS DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES 2015

Pursuant to section 202-d of the State Administrative Procedure Act, the Department of Motor Vehicles presents its regulatory agenda for 2015. All references are to Title 15 of the New York Code of Rules and Regulations. The Department reserves the right to add, delete or modify any item presented in this agenda.

1. Amend Part 3 to conform the restrictions imposed for holders of commercial driver's licenses and commercial learner's permits to the federal requirements related to such restrictions.
2. Amend Part 6 in relation to the use of an electronic system for Article 19-A transactions; expand the regulatory oversight of certified examiners.
3. Amend Part 7 to require providers of the five hour pre-licensing to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act.
4. Amend Part 32 in relation to criteria for the issuance of electronic insurance ID cards.
5. Amend Part 76 to make numerous technical and clarifying amendments, to improve consumer protection and to conform the regulation to relevant statutory provisions.
6. Amend Part 78 to regulate off-site sales of motor vehicles.
7. Amend Part 106 to raise the weight threshold for the registration of pick-up trucks in the passenger class.
8. Amend Part 127 to extend the period of time in which the Department of Motor Vehicles may schedule a fatal accident hearing, if the Department receives notice from a District Attorney's Office that a criminal case is pending against the person involved in the fatal accident. In addition, amend Part 127 to clarify that that a preponderance of the evidence is the burden of proof at a DMV Safety Hearing.
9. Amend Part 127 (in a separate rulemaking) in relation to the granting of adjournments for certain hearings conducted by the Department of Motor Vehicles.