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REGISTRATION AND TITLE BULLETIN # 117-00

TO: All County Tax Assessor-Collectors

SUBJECT: State of Ohio License Plate Validation Stickers/Registration Deadlines for 2001

PURPOSE

To provide information regarding the State of Ohio's 2001 validation stickers and registration deadlines.

DETAILS

Registration and validation sticker information for the various categories of motor vehicles are listed in the attached November 13, 2000 memorandum from the Ohio Department of Public Safety. By midnight of the registration deadline date, the blue 2002 expiration year sticker must be displayed on all vehicles except for commercial trucks which must display the light pink 2002 expiration year sticker. This sticker must be displayed in the lower right corner of the rear license plate (front license plate for truck tractors).

County identification stickers are issued for all vehicles except commercial trucks, trailers and buses and are displayed on the front and rear license plates. The county name sticker is displayed at the bottom center of the plates. For special plates, which have a logo at the bottom center of the plate, a small validation size sticker designating the county by a code number is displayed in the lower left corner of the plates. This county number sticker is also issued for motorcycles and mopeds and is displayed in the lower left corner of the plate inside the bolt hole.

Commercial trucks and buses must display a brown weight code sticker in the lower left corner of the rear license plate (front license plate for the truck tractors). The code number indicates the maximum declared gross vehicle weight in 1,000 pounds for the weight range in which the vehicle is registered.

CONTACT PERSON(S)

If you have any questions, please contact the State of Ohio, Research Division, at 614/752-7631. As always, you may contact your local TxDOT Titles and Registration Division Regional Office. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

 Jerry L. Dike, Director
Vehicle Titles and
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Attachment

cc: All Law Enforcement Agencies
Automobile Theft Prevention Authority
Dealer Associations



Bob Taft, Governor

Lt. Governor Maureen O'Connor, Director

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DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 2000
TO: ALL MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATORS
SUBJECT: OHIO VEHICLE REGISTRATION DEADLINES/MATERIAL FOR 2001

LICENSE PLATES AND VALIDATION STICKERS

Ohio's multi-year license plates with blue series numbers on white and gold plate background, and the blue-on-white plates remaining in service use will be validated in 2001 with a blue 2002 expiration year sticker for all vehicles except commercial trucks. Commercial truck registrations will be validated with a light pink 2002 expiration year sticker. Ohio may consider multi-year registration of commercial trailers in 2002.

The orange 2001 expiration year sticker and the light violet 2001 expiration year sticker for commercial trucks will be in service use until vehicle owners reach their assigned 2001 registration expiration date. Registration expiration month and year are denoted in large digit(s) in the center of the sticker. The sticker background color also indicates registration expiration year.

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

Passenger, noncommercial truck and trailer, motor home, motorcycle, moped and house vehicle owners have been assigned a renewal registration date based on the owner's birth date, (or alternate date selected by the owner). Commercial truck, commercial trailer, farm truck and bus registrations expire May 31. Lease vehicle registrations expire the 20th day of their current registration month.

The month in which the registration expires is shown on the sticker. The assigned date of registration is printed on the Ohio registration card carried by the vehicle owner or lessee. By midnight on this deadline date the blue 2002 expiration year sticker must be displayed on all vehicles except for commercial trucks which must display the light pink 2002 expiration year sticker.

DISPLAY OF STICKERS

The validation sticker must be displayed in the lower right corner of the rear license plate (front license plate for truck tractors).

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Commercial trucks and buses must display a brown weight code sticker in the lower left corner of the rear license plate (front license plate for the truck tractors). Weight Code Stickers are issued from 2 to 78 in increments of four plus a number 80 sticker. The code number indicates the maximum declared gross vehicle weight in 1,000 pounds for the weight range in which the vehicle is registered.

SAMPLE STICKERS

Attached are samples of the blue 2002 expiration year sticker, light pink 2002 commercial truck sticker, county name and number identification stickers, and brown weight code sticker for commercial trucks and buses.

If you should require additional information or need clarification of the above material, please contact the Research Division at 614-752-7631.

Sincerely,



FRANKLIN R. CALTRIDER
REGISTRAR

Attachments: Samples of Stickers

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