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TO: All County Tax Assessor-Collectors

SUBJECT: Salvage Document Issuance to Out-of-state Insurance Companies

PURPOSE

To provide notification concerning a change in policy regarding out-of-state requests for Texas salvage documents.

CHANGES

Effective July 1, 2000, the Texas Department of Transportation, Vehicle Titles and Registration Division, *will no longer honor requests* from out-of-state insurance companies for issuance of a Texas salvage document, when the vehicle is registered/titled out-of-state. These salvage documents include Texas Salvage Certificates of Title, Texas Salvage Nonrepairable Certificates of Title, and Texas Salvage Certificates. Additionally, requests received from Texas licensed salvage vehicle dealer pools, appointed to obtain the documents on behalf of the out-of-state insurance companies, will no longer be honored.

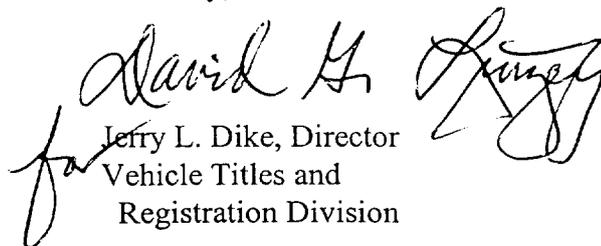
ACTIONS

Out-of-state insurance companies will be required to comply with their jurisdictions' statutes/policies/procedures. This department will reject any out-of-state requests for these type documents, when the insurance company is not authorized to write automobile insurance in this state and can not prove that the vehicle owner was a Texas resident.

CONTACTS

If you have any questions concerning this bulletin, please contact your local TxDOT Vehicle Titles and Registration Division Regional Office or the Customer Help Desk at (512) 465-7611. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,


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Vehicle Titles and
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cc: Texas Licensed Salvage Vehicle Dealer Pool Operators
All Motor Vehicle Administrators