

STATE OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

6 EMPIRE STATE PLAZA, ALBANY, NY 12228

BARBARA J. FIALA Commissioner

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Albany, New York

December 27, 2012

TO: All Enforcement Agencies

SUBJECT: IRP Update Regarding Iowa

Beginning with the 2013 registration year, Iowa will implement a staggered registration process for apportioned vehicles; each registration will be assigned a specific renewal month. The new process will result in the following changes:

- There will no longer be a grace period; credentials will expire on the last day of the assigned renewal month.
- The 3-year registration option for trailers will not be offered. The "D" sticker that was issued for 3-year registrations will be eliminated.
- All plates issued for 2013 and thereafter will not have "PWR" to indicate power unit or "TRL" to indicate trailer in the upper right corner.
- The plate sticker "PERMANENT" will be eliminated and, instead, "PERMANENT" will be printed on the plate when appropriate.
- A redesigned cab card will be phased in as accounts renew. The card will continue to be printed on 8 ¹/₂" X 11" white paper, but it will not have a blue watermark as the current cab cards have. Also, there is an area in the lower right corner where an annual validation sticker will be affixed. A sample of the new format is attached for your reference. There will be a mix of valid cab cards in the previous format and in the new format while the new format is phased in.

The new staggered registration process will not affect 2012 credentials. The grace period until midnight on March 14, 2013 is still valid for 2012 cab cards. Also, the "D" sticker is valid until March 14, 2013. Plates issued prior to January 1, 2013 with current decals will be valid until replacements are needed and issued.

If you have any questions, please contact Iowa Motor Carrier Services at (515) 237-3268 or by email at <u>omcs@dot.iowa.gov</u>. Please share this information with appropriate staff, including all road patrol enforcement. Thank you.

Barbara J. Fiala Commissioner

Attachment



INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION PLAN (IRP) APPORTIONED CAB CARD

REGISTRANT NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS: TEST TEST INC **TEST RD** TEST, NJ 08054

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: TEST TEST INC TEST AVE SW TEST, IA 51031

Vehicle Described Herein Has Been Proportionally Registered Between Iowa and Jurisdictions Shown Below

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