



**State of Louisiana**  
*Department of Public Safety and Corrections*  
*Office of Motor Vehicles*

February 8, 2013

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Temporary Registration License Tag Database

In an effort to ensure the safety of law enforcement personnel and to promote compliance with state law, effective April 8, 2013 only those companies who have properly registered and enlisted for usage of the Office of Motor Vehicles Temporary Tag Database will be permitted to purchase temporary registration license tags. Any company that has failed to register in the Temporary Tag Database system prior to April 8, 2013, will not be allowed to purchase temporary tags.

Registration in the system has been open to dealers since June of 2011, and notification of these requirements were duly issued by the Department of Public Safety to the Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission and to the Louisiana Recreational and Used Motor Vehicle Commission on June 8, 2011, to allow sufficient time for registration in the new system.

Registrants are mandated to enter temporary tag issuance information into the system. Every tag issued to an individual must be noted in the system at the time that the vehicle is purchased. The DPSMV 1613 "Validation for Temporary Markers" will no longer be issued. The printed copy of the receipt page from the Temporary Tag Database will serve as the temporary registration to be carried in the vehicle; therefore, must be given to the customer at the same time as the temporary tag.

Requests for issuance of a secondary temporary marker for cases in which paper work has been delayed must still be submitted manually to the Office of Motor Vehicles in the same manner as in the past.

The Temporary Tag database can be accessed at [www.expresslane.org](http://www.expresslane.org). The link to the database and instruction manual can be found under the "Dealer Services" header. Any questions regarding registration can be directed to (225)925-7022.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Stephen F. Campbell".

Stephen F Campbell, Commissioner

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