



**State of Louisiana**  
LOUISIANA MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION

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***IMPORTANT!!!!***

**RE: Catalytic Converters**

The East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office, Larceny Division ask that I forward this warning to all Louisiana Motor Vehicle Commission's vehicle dealer licensees to make you aware of this criminal activity:

**"During the last week, two new car dealerships in the Baton Rouge area were targeted by thieves. The suspects on neighborhood streets that back up to the dealership and entering the dealership property by cutting a hole in a fence. One on the property, the suspects target numerous vehicles and cut off the catalytic converters. The suspects have committed the thefts from 11:00 pm - 5:00 am. At this time, the suspects have been targeting Toyota Tundras but other vehicles have been targeted in the past.**

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