PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

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EXPLANATION — Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.360, 483.908)

A REGULATION relating to the Department of Motor Vehicles; redefining driver license classifications; and remapping of driver's license restrictions to ensure compliance with Federal regulations.

Section 1. Chapter 483 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto the provisions set forth in sections 2 through 11 of this regulation.

Sec. 2 NAC 483.010 Definitions. (NRS 481.051, 483.480)

- 1. As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires, the words and terms defined in NRS 483.030 to 483.190, inclusive, *NRS 483.480*, and subsections 2 and 3 of this section have the meanings ascribed to them in those sections.
 - 2. "Department" means the Department of Motor Vehicles.
- 3. "Good cause to believe" means there are facts sufficient to warrant the belief by a reasonable person that the matter in question is true.
- 4. "Arising out of the same offense" refers to any offense that is a natural result of the action.
 - 5. "Offense" means a breach or conviction of a violation or criminal law.

Sec. 3 NAC 483.110 Drivers' licenses: Classifications; miscellaneous restrictions and endorsements. (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.235, 483.908)

- 1. The holder of a Class A noncommercial driver's license may drive:
- (a) Any combination of vehicles with a gross combination weight rating *or gross combination* weight of 26,001 pounds or more [pounds], [if the gross vehicle weight rating of the trailing vehicle is more than 10,000 pounds], whichever is greater, inclusive of a towed unit(s) with a

gross vehicle weight rating or gross vehicle weight of more than 10,000 pounds, whichever is greater; or

- (b) Any combination of vehicles not exceeding 70 feet in length with a gross combination weight rating of 26,000 pounds or less so long as the gross combination weight rating of the towed vehicles does not exceed the gross vehicle weight rating of the towing vehicle; or
- (c) A vehicle falling within Class B or Class C, but may not drive a motorcycle unless the holder obtains an appropriate endorsement.
- 2. The holder of a Class B *noncommercial* driver's license may drive any single vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating *or gross vehicle weight* of 26,001 or more pounds, *whichever is greater*, or any *such* vehicle which is towing another vehicle which does not have a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 10,000 pounds, and all vehicles falling within Class C, but may not drive a motorcycle unless the holder obtains an appropriate endorsement.
- 3. The holder of a Class C *noncommercial* driver's license may drive any single vehicle, or combination of vehicles, that does not meet the definition of a vehicle for which a Class A or Class B driver's license is required, including, [without limitation, any single vehicle, or combination of vehicles, that either is designed to transport 16 or more passengers, including the driver, or is used in the transportation of materials found to be hazardous for the purposes of the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act and which require the motor vehicle to be placarded under the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 C.F.R. Part 172, Subpart F,] a moped or a low-speed vehicle, but the holder of a Class C driver's license may not:
 - (a) Drive a motorcycle, unless the holder obtains an appropriate endorsement;
- (b) Tow a vehicle, *or combination of such vehicles*, with a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 10,000 pounds, unless the holder obtains a J endorsement;
- (c) [Drive a combination of vehicles with a gross combination weight rating of less than 10,000 pounds, unless the holder obtains an R endorsement; or
- —(d)]-Drive a combination of vehicles exceeding 70 feet in length.
- 4. The Department may place a restriction [11] on a Class A, Class B or Class C driver's license if the holder of the driver's license does not pass a knowledge test and a driving skills test in a vehicle which is equipped with air brakes.

- 5. In addition to the tests authorized by chapter 483 of NRS, the holder of a driver's license may be required to pass a driving skills test in an appropriate vehicle to receive an endorsement authorizing the holder to drive a specific type of vehicle.
- 6. The holder of a driver's license who is exempt from the requirements of NRS 483.900 to 483.940, inclusive, and NAC 483.800 to 483.850, inclusive, pursuant to the provisions of subsection 1 or 2 of NAC 483.850, may operate a vehicle described in subsection 1 or 2 of NAC 483.850 only if the holder obtains an F endorsement on his or her driver's license.
- 7. The holder of a Class M driver's license may drive a motorcycle, trimobile or moped. The holder of a Class A, Class B or Class C driver's license may drive a motorcycle only if the holder obtains a Class M endorsement on his or her driver's license.
- 8. An applicant who is administered a test of driving ability on a motorcycle which does not exceed 6 1/2 horsepower or a displacement of 90 cubic centimeters will be issued a Class M driver's license with a [U] restriction *indicating the motorcycle cannot exceed 90 cubic centimeters*.
- 9. An applicant who is administered a test of driving ability on a motorcycle which has three wheels in contact with the ground will be issued a Class M driver's license with a [n X] restriction.
- 10. An applicant who is administered a test of driving ability on a moped will be issued a Class M driver's license with a [Z] *moped* restriction. A Class M driver's license with a [Z] *moped* restriction does not authorize the operation of any other motor vehicle.
- 11. An applicant who is administered a test of driving ability in a low-speed vehicle will be issued a Class C driver's license with a [n X] restriction. The Department will indicate on the back of such a driver's license that the holder may not drive a vehicle on a highway where the posted speed limit is greater than 35 miles per hour, except to cross a highway at an intersection.
 - 12. As used in this section, unless the context otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Gross combination weight rating" means:
- (1) The weight specified by the manufacturer of a vehicle as the combined loaded weight of that vehicle and a trailing vehicle; or
- (2) If the manufacturer fails to specify a weight, the sum of the gross vehicle weight rating of the power unit, the weight of the trailing vehicle and the weight of any load thereon.

- (b) "Gross vehicle weight rating" means the weight specified by the manufacturer as the loaded weight of a single vehicle.
 - (c) "Low-speed vehicle" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 484.527.
 - (d) "Moped" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 486.038.
 - (e) "Motorcycle" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 486.041.
 - (f) "Trimobile" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 486.057.

Sec. 4 NAC 483.320 Revocation, suspension, cancellation and voluntary surrender of license. (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.360)

- 1. The Department will **[revoke]** the driver's license of any person who fails to submit to an examination within 15 days after it is requested.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, if a licensee fails twice within a 3-year period to comply with a restriction placed by the Department on his or her license, the Department will suspend the license for 3 months.
- 3. If a licensee fails to comply with [Restriction M, N or O] restrictions for a vision examination, medical examination, or driving examination, or any combination thereof [, as those restrictions are described in NAC 483.350 and 483.365,] the Department will cancel his or her license.
- 4. If it is determined that a licensee is physically or mentally incompetent to operate a motor vehicle, the Department may afford the licensee the opportunity to surrender his or her driver's license voluntarily. Upon receipt of the license, the Department will cancel the driving privilege and issue an identification card at no charge. The licensee may apply for a reinstatement of the driver's license if the licensee presents medical evidence satisfactory to the Department that he or she is physically or mentally capable of operating a motor vehicle. If the licensee fails to surrender his or her license voluntarily to the Department within 15 days after the Department requests the surrender, the Department will suspend the licensee's driving privilege. The Department will *rescind* [revoke] the suspension of the driving privilege of the licensee, cancel his or her driver's license and allow the licensee to apply for a new driver's license pursuant to the provisions of NRS 483.010 to 483.630, inclusive, if the licensee submits to the Department proof that is satisfactory to the Department that the licensee was physically unable to surrender his or her driver's license when requested.

Sec. 5 NAC 483.350 Medically related restrictions. (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.360, 483.908)

1. The restrictions and compulsory requirements described in subsection 2 may be imposed when licensing persons to drive. A driver's license will not be issued and a driving test will not be conducted until the applicant complies with the provisions of this section.

2. Restriction and Description

Criteria for Restriction

Franction A - Corrective lenses.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who meets the minimum levels of acceptable vision set forth in NAC 483.340 only with the aid of corrective lenses.

Restriction B - Telescopic device.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who meets the minimum levels of acceptable vision set forth in NAC 483.340 only with the aid of a telescopic device.

Restriction C - Additional rearview mirrors.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is legally blind (20/200) in the right eye, whose hearing is impaired, who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or whose mobility of his or her head or neck is limited. The restriction may specify the requirement of a right or left outside mirror, outside mirrors on both sides, a wide rearview mirror or a mirror that extends across the entire

width of the interior of the windshield.

Restriction G - Directional signals.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to perform signals with his or her arms or whose license is restricted to hand controls.

Restriction H - Grip on steering wheel or power steering.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who has difficulty gripping or turning the steering wheel of the motor vehicle.

Restriction I - Hearing aid.

This restriction may be placed on the driver's license of a person who wears a hearing aid.

Restriction J - Seat cushion or automatic seat.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who the examiner determines is unable to see adequately out of the windows or reach the control pedals because of his or her size. This restriction is not limited to a seat cushion or automatic seat if another device is available.

Restriction K - Hand controls or pedal extensions.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to operate the control pedals of a motor vehicle.

Restriction L - Left foot

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to operate the right foot accelerator.

Restriction M - Yearly vision examination.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of any person who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or a person whose vision is 20/50 or worse in both eyes and who is determined by an eye specialist to have a progressive abnormality or disease of the eye or a person whose vision is 20/100 or worse in one eye and whose vision is worse than 20/40 in the other eye.]

[Restriction N - Yearly medical letter] report.

[This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who has had seizures or episodes of altered consciousness within the last 3 years or another physical or mental condition that his or her physician determines necessitates a yearly medical examination.]

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a

[Restriction P - Physical

examination every 2 years.

person obtaining a commercial driver's license.

Restriction Q - Must wear

prosthetic device.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is required to wear a prosthetic device while operating a motor vehicle.

Restriction 7 - Medical waiver.

This restriction is placed on the commercial driver's license of a person who obtains a waiver pursuant to the provisions of NAC 483.803.]

Restriction B - Corrective Lenses

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who meets the minimum levels of acceptable vision set forth in NAC 483.340 only with the aid of corrective lenses.

Restriction C -

Mechanical/Adaptive devices

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to operate a motor vehicle without the aid of mechanical or other adaptive devices.

Restriction D - Prosthetic Aid

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is required to wear a prosthetic device while operating a motor vehicle.

Restriction F - Outside Mirrors

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is legally blind (20/200) in the right eye, whose hearing is impaired, who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or whose mobility of his or her head or neck is limited.

Restriction G - Daylight driving only

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person with visual acuity of 20/50 or worse in both eyes, who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or who holds a motorcycle driver's instruction permit.

Restriction JB - Drive Test Every
6 months

This restriction is placed on the driver license of any person whose doctor is requesting more frequent drive tests.

Restriction JC - Eye Test Every 6

Months

This restriction is placed on the driver license of any person who is required to have a vision examination every 6 months.

Restriction JF - Must Have Wink

Mirrors

This restriction is placed on the driver license of a person who is required to have wink mirrors. A wink mirror is a mirror or series of mirrors that extends across the top of the interior of the windshield. This restriction is placed on the driver license of a person who is legally blind (20/200) in the right eye, whose hearing is impaired, who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or whose mobility of his head or neck is limited.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is unable to operate the right foot accelerator.

Restriction JK - Left Foot

Accelerator

Restriction JT - Speed less than
45 MPH

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or upon the recommendation of a physician or the Department after the administration of a driving test to the applicant.

Restriction JV - NV Med Waiver

This restriction is placed on the commercial driver's license of a person who obtains a waiver pursuant to the provisions of NAC 483.803.

Restriction V - Med Variance

Docs Reqd

This restriction is placed on the commercial driver's license of a driver who has been issued a federal medical waiver.

Restriction 1 - Telescopic Device

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who meets the minimum levels of acceptable vision set forth in NAC 483.340 only with the aid of a telescopic device.

Restriction 2 - Hearing Aids

This restriction may be placed on the driver's license of a person who wears a hearing aid.

Restriction 4 - Grip/Power
Steering Wheel

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who has difficulty gripping or turning the steering wheel of the motor vehicle.

Restriction 5 - Directional
Signals

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to perform signals with his or her arms or whose license is restricted to hand controls.

Restriction 6 - Yearly vision exam

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of any person who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or a person whose vision is 20/50 or worse in both eyes and who is determined by an eye specialist to have a progressive abnormality or disease of the eye or a person whose vision is 20/100 or worse in one eye and whose vision is worse than 20/40 in the other eye.

Restriction 7 - Yearly medical
Letter

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who has had seizures or episodes of altered consciousness within the last 3 years or another physical or mental condition that his or her physician determines necessitates a yearly medical examination.

Restriction 8 - Yearly drive test

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person based on the person's performance on his or her driving test or on the driver's license of a person who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle.

Restriction 9 - Seat

Cushion/Auto Seat

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who the examiner determines is unable to see adequately out of the windows or reach the control pedals because of his or her size. This restriction is not limited to a seat cushion or automatic seat if another device is available.

3. The Department will place any other restriction that is not otherwise described in this section or <u>NAC 483.365</u> upon the driver's license of a person if the physician of that person so recommends.

Sec. 6 NAC 483.360 *Additional* [R] restrictions not medically related. (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.360, 483.908)

1. The restrictions and compulsory requirements described in subsection 2 may be imposed when licensing persons to drive.

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[2. Restriction and Description - Criteria for Restriction

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Restriction S — Mail renewal, retest required.

- This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is out of the State at the time of renewal and is required to take a test for the renewal of the license, but is unable to do so until returning to Nevada.

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Restriction T - To and from school only.

- This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person between 14 and 18 years of age who is granted a restricted driver's license to drive to and from school.

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Restriction U - Motorcycle not toexceed 90 cubic centimeters. This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a driver who performs the skill portion of the test on a motorcycle which has 90 cubic centimeters or less. The

driver may only operate a motorcycle having 90 cubic centimeters or less.

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Restriction V - No passengers on motorcycle.

This restriction is placed on a Class M driver's instruction permit and prohibits the holder from carrying passengers on a motorcycle.

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Restriction W - Direct visual supervision by a person 21 years of age or older.

This restriction is placed on a Class M driver's instruction permit and requires the holder, while operating a motorcycle, to be under the direct visual supervision of a person who is licensed to operate a motorcycle and at least 21 years of age.

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Restriction Y – Ignition Interlock – Device.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person if the Department receives a copy of an order of a court of competent jurisdiction that requires that person to install a device in a motor vehicle which he or she owns or operates pursuant to the provisions of NRS 484.3943 or if the person is required to install such a device pursuant to the provisions of the laws of another state, the District of Columbia, any territory or possession of the United States or any other country.

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Restriction Z - Moped.

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a driver who performs the skill portion of the test on a moped. The driver may only operate a moped as defined by NRS 483.088.

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Restriction 1 - No air brakes.

- This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who does not pass a knowledge test and a driving skills test in a vehicle which is equipped with air brakes.

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Restriction 2 - Intrastate

operation of a commercial

motor vehicle only.

This restriction is placed on the commercial driver's license of a person who does not meet the requirements set forth in 49 C.F.R. §§ 391.41 to 391.49, inclusive, or who is under 21 years of age.

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Restriction 3 - May transport

passengers in vehicles falling
within Class B or Class C
only.

This restriction is placed on the Class A commercial driver's license of a person who completes the skills test for a passenger endorsement in a vehicle falling within Class B.

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Restriction 4 - May transport

passengers in vehicles falling
within Class C only.

This restriction is placed on the Class A or Class B commercial driver's license of a person who completes the skills test for a passenger endorsement in a vehicle falling within Class C.

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Restriction 5 - May tow a vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 10,000 pounds only when operating a noncommercial vehicle falling within Class C.

This restriction is placed on a Class B driver's license that contains a J endorsement.

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Restriction 6 - May tow a

combination of vehicles

weighing less than 10,000

pounds and not exceeding 70

feet only when operating a

noncommercial vehicle.

This restriction is placed on every commercial driver's license that contains an R endorsement

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Restriction 8 - May tow a forklift - This restriction is placed on the Class A commercial

only.

driver's license of a person if he or she completes the driving skills test towing a forklift.

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Restriction 9 - May operate only - vehicles falling within Class

A that are tow cars.

Restriction A - Auto Trans

This restriction is placed on the Class A commercial driver's license of a person if he or she completes the driving skills test in a tow car.]

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to operate a motor vehicle that is equipped with a manual transmission.

Restriction E - Auto Trans CMV wgt only

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to operate a commercial weight motor vehicle that is equipped with a manual transmission or any person who completed the driving skills test for his or her commercial driver's license in a motor vehicle that is equipped with an automatic transmission.

Restriction JA - Must Carry

Detail Form

This restriction is used when a driver needs a restriction that is not currently defined in NAC483.110 or when the driver needs more restrictions than the driver's license design will allow. The driver is required to carry the Detail Form at all times.

Restriction JD - Drive Fire Equip
NCMV A

This restriction is placed on the holder of a CDL class B or C who is an authorized to operate a Class A emergency vehicle.

Restriction JE - Drive Fire Equip

NCMV B

This restriction is placed on the holder of a CDL class C who is an authorized to operate a Class B emergency vehicle.

Restriction JG - Motorcycle w-Sidecar

This restriction is placed on the driver license of a person who has demonstrated proficiency in operating a motorcycle equipped with a sidecar.

Restriction JH - Trnsprt

Handicapped Only

This is placed on the restricted driver's license of a person issued pursuant to NRS 483.267 permitting that person to drive a motor vehicle to transport a member of his or her household if handicapped.

Restriction JI - Drive NCMV A

Rec Veh

This is placed on the CDL Class B or C driver license of any person who has demonstration

proficiency in operating a Class A NCMV recreational vehicle.

Restriction JJ - Drive NCMV B

Rec Veh

This is placed on the CDL Class C driver license of any person who has demonstration proficiency in operating a Class B NCMV recreational vehicle.

Restriction JL - Trimobile

This restriction is placed on the Class C driver license of a person who has demonstrated proficiency in operating a Tri-mobile.

Restriction JM - Class A tow car

only

This restriction is placed on the Class A commercial driver's license of a person if he or she completes the driving skills test in a tow car.

Restriction JN - Instruction

Permit

This is placed on each instruction permit issued.

Restriction JO - Driver Educ Only

This is placed on the instruction permit to indicate that the instruction permit is valid for a school year, or more restricted period, and permits the applicant to drive a motor vehicle only on a designated highway or within a designated area, but only when an approved instructor is occupying a seat beside

the permitee. (NRS 483.280(3)

Restriction JP - Tow >10000 lb

Class C only

This restriction is placed on a Class B driver's

license that contains a J endorsement.

Restriction JR - 3 wheel MC w/1

rear pwr wheel

This restriction is placed on the license of a person who has demonstrated proficiency in operating a 3-

wheel motorcycle with a single power rear wheel.

Restriction JS - Low-Speed

Vehicles Only

This restriction will be placed on the driver license of a person who has taken their drive tests in low-speed vehicles (LSV's), whereupon they are restricted to drive only on specially designated roadways posted at 35 mph or less.

Restriction JU - Phys Exam

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person obtaining a commercial driver's license.

Restrcition JW - Dir visual sup 21

+ *yrs*

This restriction is placed on a Class M driver's instruction permit and requires the holder to be under the direct visual supervision of a person who is licensed and at least 21 years of age.

Restriction K - CMV intrastate

This restriction is placed on the commercial driver's license of a person who does not meet the requirements set forth in 49 C.F.R. §§ 391.41 to 391.49, inclusive, or who is under 21 years of age.

Restriction L - No air brakes

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a

CMV wgt only

person who does not pass a knowledge test and a

driving skills test in a commercial vehicle which is

equipped with air brakes.

Restriction M - No Class A Psngr This restriction is placed on the Class A commercial driver's license of a person who completes the skills test for a passenger endorsement in a vehicle falling

within Class B.

Restriction N - No Class A/B

This restriction is placed on the Class A or Class B

commercial driver's license of a person who

completes the skills test for a passenger

endorsement in a vehicle falling within Class C.

Restriction O - No tractor trailer

CMV wgt only

This restriction is placed on a Class A commercial license when a driver performs the skills test in a combination vehicle for a Class A CDL with the power unit and towed unit connected with a pintle hook or other non-fifth wheel connection, restricting the person from operating a tractortrailer combination connected by a fifth wheel.

Restriction P - No Psngr in CMV bus

This restriction is placed on a commercial instruction permit with a P endorsement and indicates that the holder is prohibited from operating a CMV carrying passengers, other than Federal/State auditors and inspectors, test examiners, other trainees, and the CDL holder accompanying the CLP holder as prescribed by CFR 383.25(a)(1).

Restriction Q - Moped

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a driver who performs the skill portion of the test on a moped. The driver may only operate a moped as defined by NRS 483.088.

Restriction R - No Plac HazMat
or Psngrs

This restriction applies to commercial drivers' licenses and is placed on the commercial driver's license of a person who is under 21 years of age.

Restriction S - No Psngrs

This restriction is placed on a Class M driver's instruction permit and prohibits the holder from carrying passengers.

Restriction T - To-from school only

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person between 14 and 18 years of age who is granted a restricted driver's license to drive to and from school.

Restriction U - MC not to exceed

90 cc

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a driver who performs the skill portion of the test on a motorcycle which has 90 cubic centimeters or less. The driver may only operate a motorcycle having 90 cubic centimeters or less.

Restriction W - Farm Waiver

Farmers, employees or family members restricted to transport agriculture products, farm machinery, farm supplies or both to or from a farm; not to be used in the operation of a common or contract motor carriers with a non-commercial class A or B license. Limited to driving in Nevada and within 150 miles of the farmer's farm.

Restriction X - No cargo in CMV

This restriction is placed on a commercial

tank veh

instruction permit with an N endorsement and indicates that the holder may only operate an empty tank vehicle and is prohibited from operating any tank vehicle that previously contained hazardous materials that has not been purged of any residue.

Restriction Y - Ignition interlock

This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person if the Department receives a copy of an order of a court of competent jurisdiction that requires that person to install a device in a motor vehicle which he or she owns or operates pursuant to the provisions of NRS 484.3943 or if the person is required to install such a device pursuant to the provisions of the laws of another state, the District of Columbia, any territory or possession of the United States or any other country.

Restriction Z - No Full Air brake

Equip CMV

This restriction is placed on the commercial driver's license when a person performs the skills test in a vehicle equipped with air over hydraulic brakes.

3. As used in this section, "tow car" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 484.201.

Sec. 7 NAC 483.415 License to operate motor vehicle while wearing device:

Restrictions. (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.360) A driver's license to operate a motor vehicle while wearing a telescopic device must be subject to:

- 1. Restrictions [A, B, C, D, E, M and O as they are described in NAC 483.350 and 483.365] for corrective lenses, telescopic device, additional review mirrors, daylight driving only, speed not to exceed 45 miles per hour, yearly vision examination, and yearly driving examination; and
- 2. Any other restriction the Department deems necessary for the applicant to operate a motor vehicle safely.

Sec. 8 NAC 483.430 Ineligibility. (NRS 483.220, 483.383)

- 1. The holder of a driver's license is not eligible to apply for the renewal of the license by **[mail]** an alternate renewal method if:
- (a) The holder is applying for a second consecutive renewal of the license by [mail] an alternate renewal method;
 - (b) The license is a commercial driver's license;
- (c) At the time the Department mails to the applicant the expiration notice required pursuant to NRS 483.382, an examination of the applicant's driving record in this State, any other state, the District of Columbia, any territory or possession of the United States or any country indicates that his or her driver's license or privilege to drive in that jurisdiction is suspended, revoked or cancelled or that his or her application for a driver's license in that jurisdiction has been denied;
- (d) The license is subject to [Restriction M, N, O or S] restrictions for a vision examination, medical examination, driving examination, or if the record is flagged as requiring testing, or any combination thereof [, as those restrictions are described in NAC 483.350, 483.360 and 483.365];

- (e) The holder is 71 years of age or older, unless he or she submits:
- (1) A statement from a licensed physician providing that it is the opinion of the physician that the person is physically able to operate a motor vehicle safely; and
- (2) A report from a licensed ophthalmologist, optometrist or physician regarding the vision of the person, including, without limitation, the visual acuity of the person in each eye, with corrective lenses, if applicable;
- (f) The holder has been convicted of three or more traffic violations within the 4 years immediately preceding the date of expiration of the license;
 - (g) The license is a restricted driver's license issued pursuant to NRS 483.490;
- (h) The holder's name is listed in the records of the Department as a person who must renew his or her driver's license in person because the Department believes that the information contained on the driver's license may be incorrect or that the license may have been issued as a result of fraud or mistake;
- [(i) The holder is an international instructor or an international student;]
- [(j)] (i) The holder is required to leave the United States on or before the date of expiration of the license; or
- [(k)] (j) The holder wishes to change any information other than his or her address which appears on the front of his or her driver's license.
 - 2. A statement or report submitted pursuant to paragraph (e) of subsection 1 must be:
 - (a) Completed on a form acceptable to the Department; and
 - (b) Dated not more than 90 days before the date of its submission to the Department.
 - 3. As used in this section:
- [(a) "International instructor" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 483.081.
- (b) "International student" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 483.082.]
 - (c) "Traffic violation" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 483.473.

Sec. 9 NAC 483.458 Requirements for written test. (NRS 483.220, 483.383)

1. The Department will place a [restriction on] a flag on the record of a driver's license that is renewed by mail designating that a written test is required when the applicant returns to this

State if the applicant has been convicted of three or more moving traffic violations within the preceding 4 years.

2. The Department will not issue a driver's license or renew the driver's license by mail or in person until the test required pursuant to subsection 1 has been successfully completed by the applicant.

Sec. 10 NAC 483.850 Exemptions from requirements. (NRS 483.908) The following persons are exempt from the requirements of NRS 483.900 to 483.940, inclusive, and NAC 483.800 to 483.850, inclusive:

- 1. An operator of a farm vehicle that is:
- (a) Controlled and operated by a farmer as a private motor carrier of property;
- (b) Being used to transport either:
 - (1) Agricultural products; or
 - (2) Farm machinery or farm supplies, or both,
- \Box to or from a farm;
 - (c) Not being used in the operation of a motor carrier for hire;
 - (d) Being used within 150 miles of the operator's farm; and
- (e) Not carrying a hazardous material of a type or quantity which would require the vehicle to be placarded in accordance with 49 C.F.R. § 177.823.
- 2. Firefighters and [operators of emergency equipment, necessary to the preservation of life or property or the execution of emergency governmental functions, who are not subject to normal traffic regulation.] other persons who operate CMVs which are necessary to the preservation of life or property or the execution of emergency governmental functions, are equipped with audible and visual signals and are not subject to normal traffic regulations.

These vehicles include fire trucks, hook and ladder trucks, foam or water transport trucks, police SWAT team vehicles, ambulances, or other vehicles that are used in response to emergencies.

- 3. A person who:
- (a) Is exempt from the provisions of 49 C.F.R. Part 383 pursuant to subsection (c) of 49 C.F.R. § 383.3; and
 - (b) Is operating a commercial motor vehicle for military purposes.
- 4. A person who is driving a recreational vehicle that is being used solely for recreational purposes.

Sec. 11 NAC 483.365 is hereby repealed.

[NAC 483.365 Additional restrictions. (NRS 481.051, 483.220, 483.360, 483.908)

— 1. The restrictions and compulsory requirements described in subsection 2 may be imposed when licensing persons to drive. A driver's license will not be issued and a driving test will not be conducted until the applicant complies with the provisions of this section.]

2. Restriction and Description

- Criteria for Restriction

Restriction D - Daylight driving only.

- This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person with visual acuity of 20/50 or worse in both eyes, who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor vehicle or who holds a motorcycle driver's instruction permit.

Restriction E - Speed not to exceed 45 miles - This restriction is placed on the driver's per hour.

license of a person who is required to wear a telescopic device while operating a motor

vehicle or upon the recommendation of a physician or the Department after the administration of a driving test to the applicant.

Restriction F - Automatic transmission

- This restriction is placed on the driver's license of a person who is physically unable to operate a motor vehicle that is equipped with a manual transmission or any person who completed the driving skills test for his or her Class A or Class B noncommercial driver's license or his or her commercial driver's license in a motor vehicle that is equipped with an automatic transmission.

Restriction O - Yearly driving test.

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This restriction is placed on the driver's
license of a person based on the person's
performance on his or her driving test or on
the driver's license of a person who is
required to wear a telescopic device while
operating a motor vehicle.

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Restriction R - No hazardous cargo that
requires placarding or no passengers for
hire-

- This restriction applies to commercial drivers' licenses and is placed on the commercial driver's license of a person who is under 21 years of age, who has impaired vision or who has a clinical diagnosis of epilepsy or any other ailment that is likely to eause a loss of consciousness, unless the person obtains a waiver pursuant to the provisions of NAC 483.803.

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Restriction X - Other restriction or instruction permit.

 This restriction is used for any other restrictions that are not described in this section, <u>NAC 483.350</u> or <u>483.360</u> and is placed on each instruction permit issued by the Department.

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3. The Department will place any other restriction that is not described in this section or <u>NAC</u> 483.350 upon the driver's license of a person if the physician of that person so recommends.

4. As used in this section, "hazardous cargo that requires placarding" means any substance that requires the motor vehicle that transports that substance to bear a placard pursuant to the provisions of 49 C.F.R. § 397.2, as that regulation existed on November 14, 1997.]