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**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES**

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Chapter 483 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto the provisions set forth as Sections 1 to 4, inclusive, of this regulation.

Section 1

Contents of driver's license.

1. The Department shall, upon payment of the required fee, issue to every qualified applicant a driver's license indicating the type or class of vehicles the licensee may drive. The license must contain the following information:

(a) The full-legal name as defined in Section 5;

(b) Date of birth;

(c) Gender;

(d) Unique driver's license number;

(e) Full facial digital photograph. A full facial photograph must be taken pursuant to the standards set forth below:

(1) Lighting shall be equally distributed on the face.

(2) The face from crown to the base of the chin, and from ear-to-ear, shall be clearly visible and free of shadows.

(3) Veils, scarves or headdress must not obscure any facial features and not generate shadow.

(4) Eyewear must not obstruct the iris or pupil of the eyes. The iris and the pupil of the eyes shall be clearly visible.

(f) Address of principal residence, except:

(1) An alternate resident address may be placed on the face of the license for individuals who are applying for an advanced secure driver's license, and who satisfy one of the following:

(I) If the individual is enrolled in the Nevada Secretary of State Confidential Address Program as created by NRS 217.462 through 217.471 and NRS 293.5002;

(II) If the individual is a:

- 1. Peace officer as defined by NRS 289.460 or 289.470; or*
- 2. State officer as defined by NRS 293.109*

(III) If the individual's address is entitled to be suppressed under State or Federal law or suppressed by a court order.

(IV) If the individual is protected from disclosure of information pursuant to section 384 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.

(2) Any applicant requesting an alternate resident address pursuant to subparagraph 1 must be approved by the Department by completing a form provided by the Department.

(3) Upon request by the applicant for a standard driver's license, a mailing address may be placed on the face of the license only if the applicant provides his address of principal residence and evidence of that address to the Department pursuant to Section 4 of this regulation.

(g) A physical description of the individual to include the height, weight, hair, and eye color;

(h) The usual signature of the applicant;

(i) Date of transaction;

(j) Expiration date; and

(k) State of issuance.

2. The driver's license is not valid unless it contains the usual signature of the individual.

3. The driver's license will be considered invalid without a signature or when a hole is punched through any part of the card.

Sec. 2

Contents of identification card.

1. The Department shall, upon payment of the required fee, issue to every qualified applicant an identification card. The identification card must bear the following information:

(a) The full-legal name as defined in Section 5;

(b) Date of birth;

(c) Gender;

(d) Unique identification card number;

(e) Full facial digital photograph pursuant to paragraph (e) of subsection 1 of section 1 of this regulation.

(f) Address of principal residence, except:

(1) An alternate residence address or a mailing address may be placed on the face of the card for individuals applying for an advanced secure identification and who satisfy one of the following:

(I) If the individual is enrolled in the Nevada Secretary of State Confidential Address Program as created by NRS 217.462 through 217.471 and NRS 293.5002;

(II) If the individual is a:

1. Peace officer as defined by NRS 289.460 or 289.470.

2. State officer as defined by NRS 293.109.

(III) If the individual's address is entitled to be suppressed under State or Federal law or suppressed by a court order.

(IV) If the individual is protected from disclosure of information pursuant to section 384 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.

(2) Any applicant requesting an alternate resident address pursuant to subparagraph 1 must be approved by the Department by completing a form provided by the Department.

(3) Upon request by the applicant for a standard identification card, a mailing address may be placed on the face of the license only if the applicant provides his address of principal residence and evidence of that address to the Department pursuant to Sec. 4.

(g) A physical description of the individual to include the height, weight, hair, and eye color;

(h) The usual signature of the applicant;

(i) Date of transaction;

(j) Expiration date; and

(k) State of issuance.

2. The identification card is not valid unless it contains the usual signature of the individual.

3. The identification card will be considered invalid without a signature or when a hole is punched through any part of the card.

Sec. 3

Notice of expiration of driver's license.

1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.283 or a driver's license issued pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 7 of NRS 483.290, every driver's license expires on the fourth anniversary of the licensee's birthday, measured in the case of an original issuance, or a renewal of a license and a renewal of an expired license, 6 months from the birthday nearest the date of issuance or renewal. Any applicant whose date of birth was on February 29 in a leap year is, for the purposes of NRS 483.010 to 483.630, inclusive, considered to have the anniversary of his birth fall on February 28.

2. Driver's licenses or identification cards issued pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 7 of NRS 483.290 will be valid only during the time the applicant is authorized to stay in the United States, or if there is no definite end to the time the applicant is authorized to stay, for one year beginning on the date of issuance.

Sec. 4

Documentation required to evidence Nevada residency.

A person who wishes to apply for a driver's license or identification card, or change the address on an existing driver's license or identification card, must submit proof satisfactory to the Department that he is a resident of Nevada. The proof shall include, without limitation, any two of the documents listed below reflecting the primary physical residence of the applicant:

- 1. Certification of Nevada residency on a form provided by the Department;*
- 2. Property tax records;*
- 3. Utility bill from a Nevada based utility provider;*

- 4. Mortgage or deed documents;*
- 5. Rental receipt;*
- 6. Lease or rental agreements;*
- 7. Nevada educational institution enrollment records;*
- 8. 30 consecutive days residency receipts from a motel, hotel, campground, or RV park;*
- 9. Relief agency or shelter statement on a form provided by the Department;*
- 10. Personal bank records indicating the account has been open for at least 30 days;*
- 11. Nevada public assistance documentation;*
- 12. Notarized statement from a property owner that the applicant physically resides at that residence without a lease or rental agreement;*
- 13. Documents indicating the applicant is a participant of the Confidential Address Program with the Nevada Secretary of State; or*
- 14. If the applicant is eligible to have an alternate address printed on the face of the driver's license or identification card pursuant to subparagraph (1) of paragraph (f) of subsection 1 of Section 1 or pursuant to subparagraph (1) of paragraph (f) of subsection 1 of Section 2, completion of an application on a form provided by the Department is required.*

Chapter 483 of NAC is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 5 NAC 483.010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.010 Definitions.

1. As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires, the words and terms defined in NRS 483.030 to 483.190, inclusive, and subsections 2 ~~and 3~~ *through 8, inclusive*, of this section have the meanings ascribed to them in those sections.

2. *“Address of principle residence” means where a person has his or her true, fixed, and permanent home and to where he or she has the intention of returning whenever he or she is absent.*

3. *“Advanced secure driver’s license or identification card” means a card issued to meet the security, issuance, and use requirements of 6 CFR Part 37.*

4. “Department” means the Department of Motor Vehicles.

5. *“Full legal name” means an individual’s first name, middle names or family names, and last name, without the use of initials or nicknames as evidenced on documentation presented for proof of name per NAC 483.050.*

6. “Good cause to believe” means there are facts sufficient to warrant the belief by a reasonable person that the matter in question is true.

7. *“Limited-term” means:*

(a) A driver’s license that has been issued pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 7 of NRS 483.290; or

(b) An identification card that will be valid only during the time the applicant is authorized to stay in the United States, or if there is no definite end to the time the applicant is authorized to stay, for one year beginning on the date of issuance.

8. *“Seasonal resident” means any person who is not a “resident” as defined in NRS 483.141 and who:*

(a) Temporarily resides in this State for a period of at least 31 consecutive days in each calendar year;

(b) Maintains a temporary residence in this State;

(c) Returns to the state or jurisdiction of his residence at least one time during each calendar year;

(d) Is registered to vote or pays income tax in another state or jurisdiction; and

(e) Does not engage in a trade, profession, occupation or gainful employment in this State.

Sec. 6 NAC 483.050 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.050 Documentation required for proof of name, ~~[and]~~ age, and lawful status of applicant; unacceptable documents.

1. ~~[In addition to the documents listed in subsection 2 of NRS 483.290, the documentation that the Department must accept]~~ *For the purpose of obtaining an advanced secure driver's license or identification card, an applicant must present at least one of the following* as proof of ~~[the]~~*his* name, ~~[and]~~ age, and *lawful status* ~~[of an applicant for a driver's license, identification card or motorcycle driver's license]~~ as required pursuant to NRS 483.290, 483.860 and 486.081:

~~[, respectively, includes, without limitation:~~

~~—(a) An original or a certified copy of one of the following documents issued by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services in the Department of Homeland Security:~~

~~——(1) An Alien Registration Receipt Card that is issued using Form I-551;~~

~~——(2) A Permit to Reenter the United States;~~

~~——(3) A Refugee Travel Document;~~

~~——(4) If it is accompanied by the passport of the bearer of that document, an Arrival-Departure Record that is issued using Form I-94; or~~

~~——(5) A Resident Alien Card; and~~

~~—(b) An identification card issued by another state, the District of Columbia or any territory of the United States if an applicant for such an identification card is required to furnish proof of his date of birth to obtain the identification card and the Department determines that the documentation required by the other state, the District of Columbia or territory of the United States is substantially similar to the documentation that an applicant is required to furnish to prove his date of birth pursuant to this section and NRS 483.860.]~~

(a) A valid unexpired United States passport or United States passport card;

(b) A certified copy of a birth certificate issued by a U.S. state or local office of public health, vital records, vital statistics or equivalent office in the applicants state of birth;

(c) A Consular Report of Birth Abroad issued by the U.S. Department of State;

(d) An unexpired Permanent Resident Card issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security;

(e) An unexpired employment authorization document (EAD) issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security;

(f) An unexpired foreign passport with a valid unexpired U.S. visa and an unexpired arrival and departure record (I-94) affixed;

(g) A Certificate of Naturalization issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security;

(h) A Certificate of Citizenship issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security; or

(i) A Driver's license or identification card issued under the standards established by 6 CFR Part 37 and which contains the approved marking reflecting the security level of the card.

2. For the purpose of obtaining a standard Nevada driver's license, at least one of the following documents must be presented.

- (a) Any document in subsection 1;*
- (b) A military identification card or military dependent identification card issued by any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States;*
- (c) A Report of Separation, Form DD-214, for persons who served in any branch of the Armed Forces of the United States;*
- (d) A Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood issued by the United States Government;*
- (e) Veterans Identification Card with name, date of birth and photo;*
- (f) A Permit to Reenter the United States issued by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security;*
- (g) A Refugee Travel Document issued by the U.S. Department of State;*
- (h) A U.S. Military Motor Vehicle Operator's License;*
- (i) A Nevada issued Carry Concealed Weapons permit; or*
- (j) Any other documents approved by the Department.*

~~12.~~ 3. The forms of identification that ~~is~~ *are* unacceptable to the Department as proof of the name and age of an applicant for a driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card in this State include, without limitation:

- (a) An identification card issued by a consulate of a foreign government;*
- (b) A birth certificate issued by a **hospital or** foreign government; ~~and~~*
- (c) A Border Crossing Card issued by the United States Citizenship and Immigration Services in the Department of Homeland Security; **and***
- (d) A driver's license or identification card issued by another state, the District of Columbia or any territory of the United State that does not comply with the issuance requirements of 6 CFR Part 37.*

Sec. 7 NAC 483.055 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.055 Documentation required for change of name; appearance of new name.

1. A person who wishes or is required pursuant to NRS 483.390 or 483.870 to change the name indicated on his driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card must submit proof satisfactory to the Department that his name was legally changed. The proof may include, without limitation ~~[-~~:

~~—(a) An original or a certified copy of any document listed in subsection 2 of NRS 483.290 that reflects the change of name;~~

~~—(b) ~~0~~, one of the following documents if that document reflects the change of name and indicates that it has been filed with a court of competent jurisdiction, recorded by the county recorder or filed with or certified by another appropriate agency:~~

~~[(1)] (a)~~ A certificate of marriage;

~~[(2) An abstract of a recorded certificate of marriage;]~~

~~[(3)] (b)~~ An order of a court changing the name of the person;

~~[(4)] (c)~~ A decree of adoption;

~~[(5)] (d)~~ A divorce decree; ~~[or]~~

~~[(6)] (e) A Domestic Partnership Certificate issued by the State of Nevada Secretary of State or any authorized U.S. state agency; or~~

~~(f)~~ Any other document that the Department determines is acceptable as proof of the change of name;

~~[(e) If the person is requesting that the Department change the name indicated on his driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card to a former name, a record of the~~

~~Department relating to a driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card previously issued to the person that indicates the former name.]~~

2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, the Department shall indicate the name of the person requesting the change of name on a new driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card in a manner that is identical to the manner in which the name appears on the document submitted by the person as proof of the change of name.

3. Upon request, the Department shall indicate the name of the person requesting the change of name on a driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card in a manner that combines the maiden name and the married name of the person *as a hyphenated last name*.

4. The maiden name may not be used as a middle name unless documented by an original or certified copy of any document listed under subsection 1.

Sec. 8 NAC 483.060 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.060 Documentation required *to evidence* ~~[for change of]~~ social security number.

1. A person who wishes to ~~[change]~~ *correct* the social security number ~~[indicated]~~ *provided upon application for* ~~[on]~~ his driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card must submit proof satisfactory to the Department that the social security number ~~[indicated on his driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card]~~ is incorrect. The proof may include, without limitation, any of the ~~[following]~~ documents ~~[if the document indicates the social security number of the person:]~~ *listed in subsections 2 or 3.*

~~[1. Any document listed in subsection 4-5 of NRS 483.290;~~

~~—2. A military identification card issued by the United States Government, including a military identification card issued to a dependent of military personnel;~~

~~—3. Discharge papers issued by a branch of the military or naval service of the United States;~~

~~—4. A driver's license issued by another state or the District of Columbia; or~~

~~—5. An identification card issued by another state or the District of Columbia.]~~

2. For the purpose of obtaining an advanced secure driver's license or identification card, an applicant must present at least one of the following as proof of his social security number pursuant to NRS 483.290, 483.860 and 486.081:

(a) A Social Security Administration account number card;

(b) A W-2 form;

(c) A SSA-1099, Benefits Statement form;

(d) A non-SSA 1099 form; or

(e) A pay stub that contains the applicant's name and social security number.

(f) If the applicant is presenting an unexpired foreign passport with a valid unexpired U.S. visa and an unexpired arrival and departure record (I-94) affixed, the applicant must present a social security number evidenced by one of the documents listed above, or demonstrate non-work authorized status by presenting evidence of no SSN – Form SSA-L676 issued by the United States Social Security Administration.

3. For the purposes of obtaining a standard Nevada driver's license or identification card, at least one of the following documents must be presented:

(a) Any document listed in subsection 2;

(b) A Federal income tax return;

(c) A Form DD-214, Military Discharge papers with social security number on it; or

(d) A Medicare, Medicaid or MediCal card that contains the applicant's social security number.

Sec. 9 NAC 483.065 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.065 Documentation required for ~~change~~ correction of date of birth.

1. A person who wishes to ~~change~~ correct the date of birth indicated on his driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card must submit proof satisfactory to the Department that the date of birth indicated on his driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card is incorrect. The proof may include, without limitation ~~the~~

~~—1. A] any document listed in subsection 1 of NAC 483.050 as acceptable proof of the name and age of an applicant for a driver's license, motorcycle driver's license or identification card.~~

~~[2. Discharge papers issued by a branch of the military or naval service of the United States;~~

~~—3. A decree of adoption that has been filed with a court of competent jurisdiction; or~~

~~—4. Any other documentation acceptable to the Department.]~~

Sec. 10 NAC 483.082 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.082 Notice of expiration of identification card.

1. *Except as otherwise provided in NRS 483.861, every identification card expires on the fourth anniversary of the licensee's birthday, measured in the case of an original issuance, a renewal of a license and a renewal of an expired license, from the birthday nearest the date of issuance or renewal. Any applicant whose date of birth was on February 29 in a leap year is, for the purposes of NRS 483.010 to 483.630, inclusive, considered to have the anniversary of his birth fall on February 28.*

2. *A person who was born outside of the United States shall be issued an identification card that is valid only during the time the applicant is authorized to stay in the United States, or if there is no definite end to the time the applicant is authorized to stay, the identification card is valid for 1 year beginning on the date of issuance.*

~~[1.]~~ 3. Not less than 30 days before the expiration of an identification card, the Department will, if the holder of the identification card has not renewed his identification card, mail a notice of expiration to the holder of the identification card.

~~[2.]~~ 4. The Department will include with each notice of expiration mailed pursuant to subsection ~~[1.]~~ 3:

(a) A notice stating that the holder of the identification card may apply for the renewal of his identification card by mail; and

(b) An application for the renewal of his identification card by mail that includes the date on which the Department mailed the notice and application to the holder of the identification card.

Sec. 11 NAC 483.084 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.084 Issuance of ~~[certificate of renewal]~~ *renewed identification card*; ineligibility.

1. The Department will, by mail, issue a ~~[certificate of renewal]~~ *renewed identification card* to each qualified applicant for the renewal of his identification card.

2. The holder of an identification card is not eligible to apply for the renewal of the identification card by mail if:

(a) ~~[The identification card expires 4 years after the date of expiration stated thereon because a certificate of renewal has been issued for the identification card]~~ *His identification card was previously renewed by mail; ~~[or]~~*

(b) The holder is an international instructor, international student or seasonal resident; ~~[or]~~

(c) An electronic verification of social security number and lawful status information results in expired or changed status to the information requiring updated documentation to be presented to the Department; or

(d) The holder requests changes to the name, gender, social security number, or lawful status, or to correct the date of birth.

3. As used in this section, “seasonal resident” has the meaning ascribed to it in NAC 481.005.

Sec. 12 NAC 483.091 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.091 Application or letter of request for renewal; action by Department.

1. A person specified in NAC 483.090 may apply for the renewal of his identification card by mail by submitting to the Department:

(a) An application provided by the Department; or

(b) A letter of request which must include the applicant’s:

(1) Full legal name.

(2) Date of birth.

(3) Social security number.

(4) Except as otherwise provided in this subparagraph, mailing address and the address of his residence in this State. If the applicant is an employee of the Federal Government or on active military duty or a dependent of such an applicant, he is not required to comply with this subparagraph, but he must submit an employment or military record which indicates that this State is the state of his residence.

(5) Mailing address outside the State.

(6) Physical description, including, without limitation, his height and weight and the color of his hair and eyes.

(7) Mother’s maiden name.

(8) Signature.

2. Each application or letter of request must be accompanied by the fee required by NRS 483.820.

~~{3. If the information set forth in the application or letter of request includes information indicating a change in the:~~

~~—(a) Legal name;~~

~~—(b) Date of birth;~~

~~—(c) Social security number; or~~

~~—(d) Sex;~~

~~—of the applicant, [it must be accompanied by proof of the correct information.]~~

~~{4.}~~ 3. Each application or letter of request must be mailed or otherwise delivered to the Department of Motor Vehicles, 555 Wright Way, Carson City, Nevada 89711-0450, Attention: Central Services and Records Division, Renewal by Mail Section.

~~{5.}~~ 4. Each applicant may register to vote or correct any information relating to the applicant set forth in the registrar of voters' register.

~~{6.}~~ 5. The Department will, within 10 business days after receiving the application or letter of request:

(a) Mail a new identification card to the applicant;

(b) Request additional information from the applicant; or

(c) Deny the application or request.

~~{7.}~~ 6. Each identification card mailed pursuant to this section must have the words "valid without photo" in the place where the photograph of the holder of the identification card would appear if he had obtained his identification card in person.

7. Requests received with an application to change the name, gender, social security number, or lawful status, or to correct the date of birth, will not be completed by mail.

Sec. 13 NAC 483.093 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.093 Determination of eligibility.

1. Any person who is a resident of this State, holds an identification card from this State and is temporarily residing outside this State is eligible to renew his identification card by mail unless, except as otherwise provided in subsections 2, he is applying for a second consecutive renewal by mail.

2. The Department may renew ~~the~~ *a standard Nevada* identification card of any applicant who is employed by the Federal Government or on active military duty or the dependent of such an applicant:

(a) Regardless of whether his identification card was previously renewed by mail; and

(b) If his identification card has been expired for ~~more than 1 year but~~ less than 2 years;

and

(c) The applicant is not requesting changes to the name, date of birth, social security number, lawful status, or sex, as it is recorded on Departmental records.

3. The Department may renew by mail an advance secure identification card of any applicant who is employed by the Federal Government or on active military duty or the dependent of such an applicant:

(a) Regardless of whether his identification card was previously renewed by mail; and

(b) If his identification card has been expired for less than 2 years; and

(c) The applicant is not requesting changes to the name, date of birth, social security number, lawful status or sex, as it is recorded on Departmental records.

(d) Applicants must renew in person no less frequently than every 16 years.

4. If the person holds a “limited-term” identification card that expires pursuant to Section 10, the applicant may not renew his identification card by mail.

Sec. 14 NAC 483.240 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.240 Prerequisites to issuance of license; contents; transfer prohibited.

1. Before the Department will issue a restricted license to an applicant, the applicant must:

(a) Comply with the requirements for reinstatement of his driver’s license set forth in NAC 483.478, except that a person who is exempt from the requirements for a commercial driver’s license pursuant to federal regulations and who is applying for a restricted Class A or Class B driver’s license may submit an affidavit of driving ability in lieu of passing a driving skills test.

(b) Sign an affidavit acknowledging that the restricted license will be cancelled by the Department if:

(1) He is convicted of a traffic violation which has been assigned four or more demerit points;

(2) His privilege to drive is suspended, revoked or cancelled for any reason other than the reason for which his license was suspended, revoked or cancelled when he applied for the restricted license;

(3) He fails to maintain proof of financial responsibility as required by Chapter 485 of NRS; or

(4) He fails to notify the Department in writing of any change of his address or his employment, or any other information included in his application for the restricted license within 10 days after the change occurs. The notification required by this subparagraph must be

submitted to the Division of Field Services of the Department to which the applicant submitted his application.

(c) Provide any additional information which may be required for the assessment of eligibility.

2. Before the Department will issue a restricted license to an applicant whose license has been suspended pursuant to NRS 483.475, the applicant must, in addition to complying with the requirements set forth in subsection 1, submit to the Department:

(a) Proof that he has completed an approved course in traffic safety within the 6 months immediately preceding the submission of his application; or

(b) A notice of his enrollment in an approved course in traffic safety which includes the dates on which the course will begin and end. The date on which the approved course will end must be not later than the date on which the suspension of the applicant's driver's license will end.

3. Before the Department will issue a restricted license to an applicant whose driver's license has been revoked, the applicant must, in addition to complying with the requirements set forth in subsection 1, furnish to the Department proof of financial responsibility in the manner prescribed in subsection 1 of NRS 485.307.

4. All restricted licenses will *contain the information identified in Section 1 of this regulation, and will* contain the following information:

- ~~—(a) The full name of the licensee.~~
- ~~—(b) The current mailing address of the licensee.~~
- ~~—(c) The licensee's Nevada driver's license number.~~
- ~~—(d) The licensee's social security number, unless he requests that it not appear on the license.~~
- ~~—(e) The class of driver's license.~~

- ~~—(f) The expiration date of the restricted license.~~
- ~~—(g) The date of birth of the licensee.~~
- ~~—(h) A physical description of the licensee.~~
- ~~(i)~~ **(a)** Detailed driving restrictions on the license, which will include:
 - (1) The conditions under which the licensee may drive~~[(.)]~~;
 - (2) The type of driving privilege authorized~~[(.)]~~ *and*
 - (3) The days and hours the licensee is permitted to drive.
- ~~(j)~~ **(b)** Other applicable instructions.

5. A restricted license is not transferrable and may be used only for the purpose stated on the license.

Sec. 15 NAC 483.273 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.273 Contents of license; expiration.

1. A restricted license issued pursuant to NRS 483.267 or 483.270 will *contain all information identified in Section 1 of this regulation, and will* contain the following information:

- ~~[(a) The full name of the licensee;~~
- ~~—(b) The mailing address of the licensee;~~
- ~~—(c) The date of birth of the licensee;~~
- ~~—(d) A physical description of the licensee;~~
- ~~—(e) A unique number assigned by the Department;~~
- ~~—(f) The licensee's social security number, unless he requests that it not appear on the license;~~
- ~~—(g) The class of driver's license;~~
- ~~—(h) The expiration date of the restricted license;~~

~~(j)~~ (a) Driving restrictions on the license, which will include:

- (1) The conditions under which the licensee may drive;
- (2) The type of driving privilege authorized;
- (3) The days and hours the licensee is permitted to drive; and
- (4) The route along which the licensee is permitted to drive; and

~~(j)~~ (b) Any other applicable instructions.

2. Unless the Department establishes an earlier date of expiration, a restricted license issued pursuant to NRS 483.267 or 483.270 expires on the licensee's 16th birthday.

Sec. 16 NAC 483.430 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.430 Ineligibility.

1. The holder of a driver's license is not eligible to apply for the renewal of the license by mail if:

(a) ~~[The license expires 4 years after the date of expiration stated thereon because a renewal sticker has been issued for the license;]~~*The driver's license was previously renewed by mail;*

(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:

(1) ~~[a]~~ 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 driver's license or privilege to drive in that jurisdiction is suspended, revoked or cancelled or that his application for a driver's license in that jurisdiction has been denied; or

(2) An electronic verification of the social security number and lawful status information results in expired or changed status to the information requiring updated documentation to be presented in person to the Department.

(d) The license is subject to Restriction M, N, O or S, or any combination thereof, as those restrictions are described in NAC 483.350, 483.360 and 483.365;

(e) He is less than 25 years of age;

(f) He is 71 years of age or older, unless he 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;

(g) He has been convicted of three or more traffic violations within the 4 years immediately preceding the date of expiration of the license;

(h) The license is a restricted driver's license issued pursuant to NRS 483.490;

(i) His name is listed in the records of the Department as a person who must renew his driver's license in person because the Department believes that the information contained on his driver's license may be incorrect or that his license may have been issued as a result of fraud or mistake; or

~~[(j) He is an international instructor or an international student; or~~

~~—(k)] (j) [He is required to leave the United States on or before the date of expiration of the license; or]~~*The license is a "limited-term" driver's license issued pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 7 of NRS 483.290.*

2. A statement or report submitted pursuant to paragraph (f) 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, ~~f~~

~~—(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. 17 NAC 483.435 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.435 Application for renewal.

1. Each application for the renewal of a driver’s license by mail must:

(a) Be made upon a form furnished by the Department;

(b) Be mailed or otherwise delivered to the Department of Motor Vehicles, *Central Services and Records Division*, Renewal ~~[of Drivers’ Licenses]~~ By Mail, 555 Wright Way, Carson City, Nevada 89711-0450;

(c) Be accompanied by the fees required pursuant to ~~[NRS 483.383]~~ *NRS 483.410*;

(d) Include the full legal name, date of birth, driver’s license number, mailing address and residential address of the applicant; and

(e) Include such other information as the Department may require.

2. At the time he applies for the renewal of his driver’s license by mail, an applicant may change his mailing ~~[or residential]~~ address as it appears on his driver’s license.

3. At the time he applies for the renewal of his driver’s license by mail, an applicant may change his primary resident address as it appears on his driver’s license if he submits copies of two documents listed in Section 4 of this regulation with the request.

~~[3.]~~ 4. The Department will include on the application for the renewal of a driver's license by mail the opportunity for the applicant to indicate on his ~~[renewal sticker]~~ *renewed license* that he wishes to be a donor of all or part of his body pursuant to NRS 451.500 to 451.590, inclusive, or that he refuses to make an anatomical gift of his body or part of his body.

Sec. 18 NAC 483.445 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.445 ~~[Renewal sticker]~~: Issuance; use; expiration of license.

1. The Department will issue a ~~[renewal sticker]~~ *renewed license* to each qualified applicant for the renewal of his driver's license by mail.

~~[2. A person to whom a renewal sticker is issued shall affix the renewal sticker to the back of his driver's license and have his driver's license in his possession when he operates a motor vehicle.]~~

~~[3.]~~ 2. A driver's license for which a ~~[renewal sticker]~~ *renewed license by mail* has been issued expires 4 years ~~[.after the date of expiration stated on the driver's license for which the renewal sticker is issued.]~~ *6 months from the birthday nearest the date of renewal. Any applicant whose date of birth was on February 29 in a leap year is, for the purposes of NRS 483.010 to 483.630, inclusive, considered to have the anniversary of his birth fall on February 28*

(3) A driver's license that is renewed by mail will be of the same security level of that currently held by the applicant.

(4) A person holding a standard Nevada driver's license cannot obtain an advanced secure driver's license through the renewal by mail process.

Sec. 19 NAC 483.4565 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.4565 Application or letter of request for renewal; action by Department.

1. A person may apply for a driver's license by mail by submitting to the Department:
 - (a) An application provided by the Department; or
 - (b) A letter of request which must include the following:
 - (1) His full *legal* name.
 - (2) His date of birth.
 - (3) His social security number *or driver's license number*.
 - (4) Except as otherwise provided in this subparagraph, his mailing address and the address of his residence in this State. If the applicant is an employee of the Federal Government, on active military duty or a dependent of such a person, he is not required to comply with this subparagraph, but he must submit an employment or military record which indicates that this State is the state of his residence.
 - (5) His mailing address outside the State.
 - (6) His physical description, including, without limitation, his height and weight and the color of his hair and eyes.
 - (7) His mother's maiden name.
 - (8) His signature.
2. Each application or letter of request must be accompanied by the required fee.
3. If the application or letter of request is for a renewal of a driver's license, it must be accompanied by:
 - (a) A report regarding the vision of the applicant from a licensed ophthalmologist, optometrist or physician, or an agency which issues driver's licenses in another state. The report must:
 - (1) Be signed by the ophthalmologist, optometrist or physician, or a representative of the agency;

(2) Include the applicant's name, address, *and* driver's license number ~~[and social security number];~~

(3) Be dated not earlier than 90 days before its submission to the Department;

(4) Include visual acuity readings acceptable to the Department; and

(5) Indicate whether the test was administered with corrective lenses.

(b) If the applicant is 71 years of age or older, 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. The statement must be:

(1) Completed on a form acceptable to the Department.

(2) Dated not earlier than 90 days before its submission to the Department.

(c) If the applicant is an employee of the Federal Government, on active military duty or a dependent of such a person, proof that he is:

(1) On active military duty or a dependent of such a person; or

(2) Employed by the Federal Government or a dependent of such a person.

~~[4. If the application or letter of request is to change the:~~

~~—(a) Name;~~

~~—(b) Date of birth;~~

~~—(c) Social security number; or~~

~~—(d) Sex;~~

~~—of the applicant, it must be accompanied by proof of the correct information.]~~

~~[5.]~~ 4. Each application or letter of request must be submitted to a driver's license office of this State.

~~[6.]~~ 5. Each applicant will be given the opportunity to register to vote or to correct information in the registrar of voters' register.

~~[7.]~~ 6. The Department will, within 10 business days after receiving the application or letter of request:

- (a) Mail a driver's license to the applicant;
- (b) Request additional information from the applicant; or
- (c) Deny the application or request.

~~[8.]~~ 7. Each driver's license mailed pursuant to this section must have the words "valid without photo" in the place where the photograph of the licensee would appear if the licensee had obtained his driver's license in person.

8. Requests received with this application to change the name, gender, social security number, or lawful status, or to correct the date of birth, will not be completed by mail.

Sec. 20 NAC 483.4575 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.4575 Determination of eligibility.

1. Any person who is a resident of this State, holds a driver's license from this State and is temporarily residing outside this State is eligible to obtain his license by mail unless:

- (a) His license or driving privilege is suspended, revoked, cancelled or denied;
- (b) He holds a commercial driver's license;
- (c) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, his license has been expired for over 1 year;
- (d) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, he is applying for a second consecutive renewal by mail; or
- (e) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2 or 3, he is required to take a driving test~~[.]~~;

(f) An electronic verification of social security number and lawful status information results in expired or changed status to the information requiring updated documentation to be presented to the Department; or

(g) He is requesting a change to any information on the front of his card except his address.

(h) The license is a “limited-term” driver’s license issued pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 7 of NRS 483.290.

2. The Department may accept proof of the successful completion of a driving test administered by an agency which issues driver’s licenses in another state.

3. The Department may renew the driver’s license of any applicant who is employed by the Federal Government, on active military duty or the dependent of such a person:

(a) Regardless of whether his driver’s license was previously renewed by mail; and

(b) If his driver’s license has been expired for more than 1 year but less than 2 years, if the Department receives proof that the applicant has successfully completed a driving test administered by an agency which issues driver’s licenses in another state.

4. A person whose driving privilege has been suspended, cancelled, revoked or denied may obtain his driver’s license by mail after his driving privilege has been reinstated.

5. If an address change is being requested, any two documents listed in Section 4 of this regulation must be submitted with the application.

Sec. 21 NAC 483.459 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.459 Requests by Department for additional information.

1. An application or letter of request for a driver's license by mail will not be processed by the Department and a letter requesting additional information will be sent to the applicant within 10 days after receipt of the application or letter of request if:

(a) Proof of residence is required *pursuant to Section 4 of this regulation*;

(b) No fee or an insufficient fee was submitted with the application or letter of request;

~~[(c) Proof of the applicant's name change is required;]~~

~~[(d)]~~ (c) Proof of the applicant's military status or employment by the Federal Government is required;

~~[(e)]~~ (d) Additional information is needed to locate the driving record of the applicant;

~~[(f)]~~ (e) There is a discrepancy between the social security number submitted by the applicant and the social security number on the applicant's driving record;

~~[(g)]~~ (f) The applicant is licensed to drive in another state;

~~[(h)]~~ (g) The report required pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection 3 of NAC 483.4565 was not submitted to the Department or needs to be corrected; or

~~[(i)]~~ (h) The applicant's driver's license issued by another state has been suspended, cancelled, revoked or denied by that state.

2. The Department may request such additional information as it deems necessary to determine whether an applicant is physically or mentally capable of operating a motor vehicle safely.

Sec. 22 NAC 483.805 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.805 Instruction permit: Eligibility; effect.

1. A person who is at least 21 years of age and has a valid Nevada driver's license or who has passed the tests that would qualify him to be issued a Class C Nevada driver's license may apply to the Department for a commercial driver's license instruction permit.

2. An instruction permit entitles the applicant, while having the permit in his immediate possession, to drive a designated class of commercial vehicle upon the highways. The permit is valid for 1 year and allows the holder of the permit to operate a commercial motor vehicle when accompanied by a licensed driver who:

- (a) Is at least 25 years of age;
- (b) Has been issued a license for the class and type of vehicle being operated;
- (c) Has had at least 1 year of licensed commercial driving experience in the class and type of vehicle for which the instruction permit was issued; and
- (d) Is actually occupying a seat adjacent to the driver.

3. An instruction permit issued pursuant to this section will be issued as a standard Nevada instruction permit.

Sec. 23 NAC 483.820 is hereby amended to read as follows:

483.820 Issuance and contents of license.

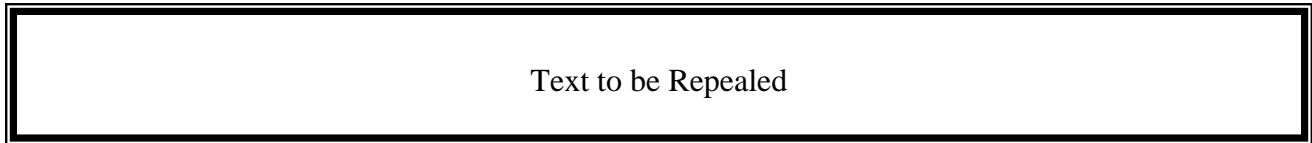
1. On or after July 1, 1990, the Department will, upon the payment of the required fee, issue to every qualified applicant a commercial driver's license containing ***all information identified in Section 1 of this regulation, and*** :

- ~~[(a) The prominent statement that the license is a commercial driver's license;~~
- ~~—(b) The full name; signature and mailing address of the licensee;]~~
- ~~—(c) Physical and other information to identify and describe the licensee, including his date of birth, sex and height;~~

- ~~—(d) A front view color photograph of the licensee;~~
- ~~—(e) A unique driver’s license number, assigned to the licensee in a manner consistent with the requirements set forth in NRS 483.345;~~
- ~~—(f) The prominent display of the word Nevada;~~
- ~~—(g) The date of issuance and the date of expiration of the license;~~
- ~~—(h) The class or type of the vehicle to be operated, including an endorsement obtained pursuant to 49 C.F.R. § 383.93 that the licensee is authorized to operate that type of vehicle; and]~~
- (i) Any restriction placed on the licensee by the Department.

2. A person may attach to his driver’s license a document which identifies him as a donor of all or any part of his body pursuant to NRS451.500 to 451.590, inclusive.

NAC 483.198, 483.1984, and 483.1986 are hereby repealed.



NAC 483.198 Definitions. (NRS 483.220, 483.247) As used in NAC 483.198 to 483.1986, inclusive, unless the context otherwise requires:

1. “International instructor” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 483.081.
2. “International student” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 483.082.

NAC 483.1982 Application. (NRS 483.220, 483.247) An international instructor or international student who applies for an original driver’s license or instruction permit or for the renewal or extension of a driver’s license or instruction permit must provide with his application:

1. If he is an international instructor, a letter, signed by the administrator of the educational institution located in this State at which he is an instructor, dated not earlier than 30 days before receipt of the application by the Department, as proof that he is an international instructor. The letter must include, without limitation:

(a) The date of his employment;

(b) A statement that indicates that the applicant is an instructor at the educational institution;

and

(c) A statement that indicates that his employment with the educational institution is indefinite.

2. If he is an international student, a letter, signed by the administrator of the educational institution located in this State at which he is a student, dated not earlier than 30 days before receipt of the application by the Department, as proof that he is an international student. The letter must include, without limitation:

(a) The date of his enrollment;

(b) A statement that indicates that the applicant is a student at the educational institution; and

(c) A statement that indicates that his enrollment at the educational institution is indefinite.

3. Any other information or documentation requested by the Department, which may include, without limitation:

(a) An identification card issued by the educational institution, including, without limitation:

(1) An identification card for members of the staff or faculty; and

(2) An identification card for students;

(b) His school transcript; and

(c) His enrollment records.

NAC 483.1984 Fee for extension. (NRS 483.220, 483.247) The Department will charge and collect a fee of \$6 for the extension of a driver's license issued to an international instructor or international student.

NAC 483.1986 Restriction. (NRS 483.220, 483.247) Each driver's license or instruction permit issued to an international instructor or international student must contain a restriction X, which must be defined on the back of the license or permit as meaning that the holder thereof declares himself to be a resident of this State for the limited purpose of obtaining a driver's license or instruction permit.