

Motor Vehicle Advisory

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TO: All Law Enforcement Officials
FROM: B. Sue Fulton, Chair and Chief Administrator
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SUBJECT: **Temporary Registration Law Changes**

Pursuant to P.L. 2017, c.352, effective August 1, 2018, the following restrictions concerning the issuance of temporary registrations (temp tags) will change:

1. Non-resident temp tags issued on or after the effective date of this change are valid for a period of thirty (30) days rather than twenty (20) days.
2. It will be permitted to extend non-resident temp tags for an additional thirty (30) days in the event permanent registration has been delayed by reason of a lost title certificate or failure of a lien holder to timely turn over a certificate of title.
3. Temp tags can be issued for vehicles that are to be principally garaged, registered and titled in Canada in addition to all U.S. states and federal districts.
4. A temporary registration certificate shall not be issued unless the licensed dealer has confirmed that the vehicle for which the temporary registration is to be issued is insured in accordance with the requirements of the "Motor Vehicle Security-Responsibility Law," P.L.1952, c.173 (C.39:6-23 et seq.), or the corresponding financial responsibility laws of the state in which the vehicle is to be titled and registered.

For more information about temporary registrations, visit www.njmvc.gov or call (609) 292-6500 x-5014.