

Motor Vehicle Advisory

Philip D. Murphy
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B. Sue Fulton
Chair and Chief Administrator

TO: All Law Enforcement Officials
FROM: B. Sue Fulton, Chair and Chief Administrator
DATE: May 18, 2020
SUBJECT: **ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2020-04**

On May 6, 2020, Governor Philip D. Murphy extended, via Executive Order No. 138 (2020), the State of Emergency and Public Health Emergency with respect to the spread of Coronavirus disease 19 (COVID-19) in the State of New Jersey.

Today I have signed Administrative Order 2020-04, which hereby orders as follows:

1. The expiration date of any valid New Jersey basic (Class "D") driver license, basic driver permit, vehicle registration including any temporary registration certificate, vehicle inspection sticker, or Purple Heart/Disabled Veteran placard due for renewal between March 31, 2020 and July 31, 2020, is hereby extended as follows:
 - a. Expiration date March 31 extended to July 31, 2020
 - b. Expiration date April 30 extended to July 31, 2020
 - c. Expiration date May 31 extended to July 31, 2020
 - d. Expiration date June 30 extended to August 31, 2020
 - e. Expiration date July 31 extended to September 30, 2020
2. Any valid New Jersey commercial driver license ("CDL") or commercial learner permit ("CLP") due for renewal between March 1, 2020 and June 30, 2020 shall hereby expire on June 30, 2020. Expired nondomiciled CDLs are NOT extended.
3. Any Hazardous Materials Endorsement ("HAZMAT") due for renewal between March 1, 2020 and June 30, 2020 shall expire on June 30, 2020. HAZMAT endorsements that expired prior to March 1, 2020 are NOT extended.
4. For New Jersey registrants, all International Registration Plan ("IRP") registrations ("cab cards") that expire March 2020 through July 2020 are extended until July 31, 2020.
5. For commercial carriers/vehicles traveling through New Jersey for interstate relief efforts including transportation of supplies, medical equipment and similar materials that are necessary for preparing for, responding to, and mitigating the spread of COVID-19:
 - a. A temporary waiver of the IRP requirement that an out-of-state carrier apply for and obtain from the MVC a temporary registration credential known as a "Trip Permit" or "Temporary Authorization" in accordance with section N.J.A.C. 13:18-2.13 of the New Jersey regulations implementing and governing IRP. This temporary waiver shall remain in effect until July 31, 2020.
 - b. A temporary waiver of the International Fuel Tax Agreement ("IFTA") requirement that an out-of-state carrier apply for and obtain a licensing permit credential known as a "Trip Permit" in accordance with section N.J.A.C. 13:18-3.5 of the New Jersey regulations implementing and governing IFTA. This temporary waiver shall remain in effect until July 31, 2020.
6. Nothing in this Order shall be construed as reducing the fee required to be paid upon renewal of any basic or commercial driver license or vehicle registration.

Please carefully read the Administrative Order attached.

Thank You.

Attachment

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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B. Sue Fulton
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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2020-04

I, B. Sue Fulton, Chair and Chief Administrator of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission ("MVC"), as authorized pursuant to Executive Order No. 138 (2020), the Motor Vehicle Security and Customer Service Act, N.J.S.A. 39:2A-1, et seq., N.J.S.A. 29:2-3, N.J.S.A. 2A-21, N.J.S.A. 39:3-4, N.J.S.A. 39:3-10, N.J.S.A. 39:3-10f, N.J.S.A. 39:3-10.30, N.J.S.A. 39:4-207.10, N.J.A.C. 13:18-11.9, and for good cause shown, do hereby order as follows:

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Nothing in this Order shall be construed as restoring the driving or registration privilege of any person subject to an order of suspension or any suspension order imposed after the date of this Order.

Nothing in this Order shall be construed as permitting the operation of a motor vehicle without the automobile insurance required by law.

2. Any valid New Jersey commercial driver license ("CDL") or commercial learner permit ("CLP") due for renewal between March 1, 2020 and June 30, 2020 shall hereby expire on June 30, 2020. Expired nondomiciled CDLs are NOT extended.

CDLs, CLPs, Medical Examiner Certificates and Medical Certifications that expired prior to March 1, 2020 are NOT extended. Medical Examiner Certificates issued for less than 90 days are NOT extended.

Nothing in this Order shall be construed as restoring the commercial driving privilege of any person subject to an order of suspension or any suspension order imposed after the date of this Order.

Nothing in this Order shall be construed as permitting the operation of a commercial motor vehicle without complying with the appropriate laws pertaining to commercial driver licensing and all safety requirements governing the operation of commercial motor vehicles, including maintaining and having in effect all required insurance.

3. Any Hazardous Materials Endorsement (“HAZMAT”) due for renewal between March 1, 2020 and June 30, 2020 shall expire on June 30, 2020. HAZMAT endorsements that expired prior to March 1, 2020 are NOT extended.
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 - b. A temporary waiver of the International Fuel Tax Agreement (“IFTA”) requirement that an out-of-state carrier apply for and obtain a licensing permit credential known as a “Trip Permit” in accordance with section N.J.A.C. 13:18-3.5 of the New Jersey regulations implementing and governing IFTA. This temporary waiver shall remain in effect until July 31, 2020.
6. Nothing in this Order shall be construed as reducing the fee required to be paid upon renewal of any basic or commercial driver license or vehicle registration.

This order shall take effect May 18, 2020.



B. Sue Fulton
Chair and Chief Administrator

Date: May 18, 2020