

Driver Privacy Protection Act (DPPA) and Selling Driving Records

The Driver's Privacy Protection Act (DPPA), 18 United States Code sections 2721-2725 makes personal information contained in motor vehicle and driver license records exempt from disclosure. Personal information in a motor vehicle record includes, but is not limited to, an individual's social security number, driver license or other identification number, name, address, telephone number, medical or disability information and emergency contact information.

Florida Statute 119.0712(2) states that personal information contained in motor vehicle and driver license records are exempt from disclosure. If your court currently sells driver records to the public, you may continue to provide that service. In compliance with DPPA and Florida Statutes, all personal information contained within the motor vehicle and driver license records being sold must be blocked unless the individual or agencies requesting the records meet one or more of the requirements of the Driver Privacy Protection Act Exemptions. A listing of these exemptions along with the Department's new Public Records Request Form is attached.

In the event that an individual or agency meets the criteria for a Driver Privacy Protection Act exemption, the following procedures should be followed when releasing motor vehicle and driver license information:

- A record can be provided using your current three-digit three-year record vendor number preceded by a zero. If a complete record is requested, the three-digit court vendor number, preceded by a zero, should be used.

In the event that an individual or agency does not meet the criteria for a Driver Privacy Protection Act exemption, the following procedures should be followed when releasing motor vehicle and driver license information:

- A record can be provided by placing a 5 (if the customer provides the licensee's name) or a 6 (if the customer provides you with the licensee's driver license number) in front of the three-digit three-year or court vendor number instead of a zero.

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact the Department's Court Assist at 850-617-2589 or email CourtAssist@flhsmv.gov.



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DRIVER LICENSE, MOTOR VEHICLE/VESSEL RECORDS REQUEST
 FEES ARE COLLECTED AT TIME OF THE REQUEST AND ARE MADE PAYABLE TO THE DIVISION OF
 MOTORIST SERVICES. ALLOW A 2-WEEK PROCESSING TIME FROM DATE RECEIVED

Requester's Information:

Name of Requester _____ Date _____ Reference # (Case/File Name) _____

Street Address _____ To receive personal information list appropriate exemption number(s) from list. If you are requesting your own personal information this is not required. Email Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Fax Number _____

Under penalties of perjury, I understand that I may not redisclose this information according to the [Driver Privacy Protection Act](#), except as provided in section 119.0712(2), Florida Statutes.

Signature of Requester or Contact Person _____ Telephone Number _____

Type of Record Request: Motor Vehicle Vessel Mobile Home Driver License

Current Registration Request (\$.50 per record)

VIN/HIN Number _____	Make _____	Year _____	Title Number _____	License Plate or FL # _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Current Registered Owner		OR	<input type="checkbox"/> Owner (as of): Month ____ Day ____ Year _____	

Title Record Request (By Vehicle/Vessel Identification Number or Title Number Only) Records are available up to 10 years

VIN/HIN Number _____	Title Number _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Title Transaction (\$1.00 Per Page) _____ (Month, Date and Year)	<input type="checkbox"/> Complete Title History (\$15.00 Initial Payment Required; Actual Fee calculated at \$1.00 per page) <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copies If necessary please check box. (\$3.00 Per Record)

Request for Transcript of Driver History Record or Motor Vehicle Record Request By Name Only
 (Attach a separate sheet for additional requests)

First _____	Middle _____	Last _____	Date of Birth _____
<input type="checkbox"/> 3-year driver history \$8.00 <input type="checkbox"/> 7-year driver history \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Complete driver history \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Certified 3-year, 7-year or complete \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle Record Request By Owner's Name Only \$0.50		DL/ID/FEIN Number _____ Social Security Number _____ **If you are requesting your own personal information you must include your DL/ID number or social security number and sign this request.	

Request for Letter(s) of Verification:
 Examples of this request are for specific information such as make or body type of motor vehicle, address on record, or previous Driver license issuance.

Fees for Letter(s) of Verification:
 Driver license verification letters - \$2.50 for each letter or \$3.00 for a certified copy of letter.
 Motor Vehicle verification letters - \$1.00 for each letter or \$4.00 for a certified copy of letter.

Additional Driver Record Fees:
 If you request a document, such as an application, citation, address on file; there is a \$2.00 search fee per record. An additional \$0.50 for each document or a \$1.00 for a certified document is required.

Identify what information needs to be stated in the letter of verification or what document you are requesting. (If additional space is needed you may attach a separate sheet.)

DRIVER PRIVACY PROTECTION ACT EXEMPTIONS

Pursuant to section 119.0712(2), F. S., personal information in motor vehicle and driver license records can be released for the following purposes, as outlined in 18 United States Code, section 2721.

1. Personal information referred to in subsection (a) shall be disclosed for use in connection with matters of motor vehicle or driver safety and theft, motor vehicle emissions, motor vehicle product alterations, recalls, or advisories, performance monitoring of motor vehicles and dealers by motor vehicle manufacturers, and removal of non-owner records from the original owner records of motor vehicle manufacturers to carry out the purposes of titles I and IV of the Anti Car Theft Act of 1992, the Automobile Information Disclosure Act (15 U.S.C. 1231 et seq.), the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq.), and chapters 301, 305, and 321-331 of title 49, and, subject to subsection.
2. For use by any government agency, including any court or law enforcement agency, in carrying out its functions, or any private person or entity acting on behalf of a Federal, State, or local agency in carrying out its functions.
3. For use in connection with matters of motor vehicle or driver safety and theft; motor vehicle emissions; motor vehicle product alterations, recalls, or advisories; performance monitoring of motor vehicles, motor vehicle parts and dealers; motor vehicle market research activities, including survey research; and removal of non-owner records from the original owner records of motor vehicle manufacturers.
4. For use in the normal course of business by a legitimate business or its agents, employees, or contractors, but only -
 - (a) to verify the accuracy of personal information submitted by the individual to the business or its agents, employees, or contractors; and
 - (b) if such information as so submitted is not correct or is no longer correct, to obtain the correct information, but only for the purposes of preventing fraud by, pursuing legal remedies against, or recovering on a debt or security interest against, the individual.
5. For use in connection with any civil, criminal, administrative, or arbitral proceeding in any Federal, State, or local court or agency or before any self-regulatory body, including the service of process, investigation in anticipation of litigation, and the execution or enforcement of judgments and orders, or pursuant to an order of a Federal, State, or local court.
6. For use in research activities, and for use in producing statistical reports, so long as the personal information is not published, redisclosed, or used to contact individuals.
7. For use by any insurer or insurance support organization, or by a self-insured entity, or its agents, employees, or contractors, in connection with claims investigation activities, antifraud activities, rating or underwriting.
8. For use in providing notice to the owners of towed or impounded vehicles.
9. For use by any licensed private investigative agency or licensed security service for any purpose permitted under this subsection.
10. For use by an employer or its agent or insurer to obtain or verify information relating to a holder of a commercial driver's license that is required under chapter 313 of title 49.
11. For use in connection with the operation of private toll transportation facilities.
12. For any other use in response to requests for individual motor vehicle records if the State has obtained the express consent of the person to whom such personal information pertains.
13. For bulk distribution for surveys, marketing or solicitations if the State has obtained the express consent of the person to whom such personal information pertains.
14. For use by any requester, if the requester demonstrates it has obtained the written consent of the individual to whom the information pertains.
15. For any other use specifically authorized under the law of the State that holds the record, if such use is related to the operation of a motor vehicle or public safety.

If you have questions or need additional information, please contact the Department's Customer Service Center at (850) 617-2000.

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