



INFORMATION NOTICE

DIVISION OF MOTORIST SERVICES

DATE: 06/29/23	Information Notice (INFO) INFO 23-025
SUBJECT: Motor Vehicle and Driver License Legislative Changes Effective July 1, 2023	

Overview:

The 2023 Legislature passed various bills resulting in changes to motor vehicle and driver license laws, effective July 1, 2023.

Details:

Below is a summary of 2023 legislative changes and their impact effective July 1, 2023:

Legislation CS/HB 27 – Judgment Liens

- Directs procedures for judgment lienholder to place lien on motor vehicles or vessels; revises authority of certain persons to demand and receive lien satisfaction; requirements for lienholder to enter satisfaction in certificate of title upon satisfaction or lapse of judgement lien.

User System Impact: None.

Procedural Impact: Technical Advisory RSTL 23-014: Judgement Liens, for processing instructions.

Legislation CS/CS/CS/HB 475 (2019) and 33 CRF § 174, Subpart A – Certificate of Title for Vessels

- Directs revisions to requirements for application and issuance of certificate of title for vessels; directs requirements related to security interest in vessel, as well as transferring ownership.
- Requires self-reporting of hull damage when applying for a certificate of title for a vessel.

User System Impact: Creation of new Brand Code for vessels; updated fields on FRVIS screen MTRFM018 – Maintain Vessel; updates to Florida Certificate of Title for Vessels.

Procedural Impact: Form HSMV 82040 VS was created with new requirements; Information Notice INFO 23-023: Updates to Form HSMV 82040 Application for Certificate of Title, for processing instructions; Technical Advisory RSTL 23-015: Security Interest Stop, for processing instructions.

CS/HB 139 (2021) Motor Vehicle and Vessel Registration Data

- Directs tax collectors, third parties contracted with tax collectors, and license tag agents to enter into a memorandum of understanding for access to uniform interface functionalities for registration renewal transactions.
- Directs FLHSMV to provide all pertinent data associated with a motor vehicle or vessel registration renewal transaction.

User System Impact: Updates to FRVIS screen MTRFM689 – E-Commerce Processing, new API TYPE of ‘TC Online Renewal’; Updates to End of Day (EOD) reports reflecting ‘TC Online Renewal’ funds.

Procedural Impact: None.

Conclusion:

If you need additional information, please contact your next level of management or the Field Support Center.