

# **INFORMATION NOTICE**

### **DIVISION OF MOTORIST SERVICES**

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**SUBJECT: Salvage Filing System (SFS)** 

#### Overview:

The Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (FLHSMV) announces the release of the Salvage Filing System (SFS). The SFS project was created as an enhancement to the existing Electronic Filing System (EFS) to allow authorized insurers, licensed salvage motor vehicle dealers, and licensed motor vehicle auction dealers to be agents for processing certificates for derelict, or salvage motor vehicle transactions.

#### **Details:**

EFS is a system used by authorized agents that allows issuance of title and registration transactions for products they sell without having to visit a tax collector office or license plate agency. The EFS system interacts with the Department's motor vehicle issuance system to securely process title and registration transactions, customer inquiries, and updates. Certified Service Providers (CSP) build their own interface systems that connect with EFS to provide transaction services to agents.

The SFS functionality within EFS is now available and will allow authorized insurer, a licensed salvage motor vehicle dealer, or a licensed motor vehicle auction dealer to process title transactions, derelict motor vehicle certificates, or certificate of destruction for derelict or salvage motor vehicles physically located in the state of Florida, pursuant to <u>s.319.30(2)</u>, (3), (7), (8).

<u>EFS – 01: Electronic Filing System (EFS) Inventory</u> and <u>EFS – 02: Electronic Filing System (EFS)</u> Records Retention have been revised to support the release of SFS.

## **Training:**

EFS: Salvage Filing System training is now available in iLearn. The purpose of this course is to demonstrate the process of searching for and reviewing a salvage log in the EFS module of ORION and the process of printing a salvage title certificate through the Department's motor vehicle issuance system. The training may be accessed by searching for the course title, or *EFS*, in the iLearn course catalog or by clicking on of the links below.

Tax Collectors and License Plate Agents may access the training <a href="here">here</a>.

FLHSMV members may access the training <u>here</u>.

### **Conclusion:**

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