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MEMORANDUM

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TO: License Plate Issuing Officials

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SUBJECT: New Distinctive License Plates for January 2011

Five (5) new military and several redesigned distinctive license plates are currently being manufactured and delivered to county licensing officials' offices. Information on these plates, including tag types and tag number schemes, may be found on the Motor Vehicle Division (MVD) website at <http://www.revenue.alabama.gov/motorvehicle/index.html> under 'Reference' then 'Tag Information'.

New Military License Plates

- Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Merchant Marine, and Navy
- May be issued beginning January 1, 2011
- Available to active, retired, and honorably discharged military members who are residents of Alabama
- Proof is a military ID card, DD214, or Leave and Earnings Statement
- Additional fee is \$3.00 paid only in the year the metal plate is issued
- Plate may be issued to passenger vehicles, pickup trucks, and pleasure motor vehicles
- Personalized license plates are not available
- Disability access license plates are available by contacting the MVD warehouse at (334) 242-9096 or mvdwh@revenue.alabama.gov as customers request the license plates.

Redesigned License Plates

- The Atomic Nuked, Desert Shield/Desert Storm, Vietnam Veteran, National Wild Turkey Federation, and Spring Hill College license plates should be delivered by January 1, 2011. Personalized license plates featuring the new designs may be ordered on the Plate Reservation and Ordering System (PROS) beginning January 1, 2011.
- The Battle of the Bulge, Korean War, WWII American, WWII Asiatic-Pacific, WWII European-African, Alabama Wildlife Federation, and Shriners license plates are expected to be delivered to county offices in January 2011. A date for personalized license plate orders featuring the new designs will be announced closer to their delivery.
- The generic Race plates have also been redesigned. Available plates are listed below. A date for prenumbered and personalized Race plates to be ordered on PROS featuring the new designs will be announced soon.

The Alabama Gang
NASCAR (new)

Carl Edwards (new)

Dale Earnhardt Hall of Fame

Dale Earnhardt, Jr.

Jeff Burton

Jeff Gordon

Jimmie Johnson

Juan Pablo Montoya (new)

Kevin Harvick

Kyle Busch (new)

Matt Kenseth

Richard Petty (new)

Ryan Newman

Tony Stewart

- Once you begin issuing plates with the new designs, please remove all license plates with the old designs from your shelves, and retain them for audit purposes.

If you have any questions, please contact the Registration Section at (334) 242-9006 or tags@revenue.alabama.gov.