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MEMORANDUM

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TO: License Plate Issuing Officials

FROM: Amy Bright, Registration Unit Supervisor *ab*
Motor Vehicle Division

SUBJECT: Act 2011-540 – Wrecker Registration

[Act number 2011- 540](#) amends Section 40-12-248 of the Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the registration of trucks and truck tractors. The provisions of this act require wreckers, commonly known as tow trucks, to be registered at the gross vehicle weight of the wrecker only without regard to the gross vehicle weight of any motor vehicle to be towed by the wrecker. **This act is effective immediately.**

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