

State of Alabama Department of Revenue

(www.revenue.alabama.gov) 50 North Ripley Street Montgomery, Alabama 36132 MICHAEL E. MASON Assistant Commissioner

JOE W. GARRETT, JR.

Deputy Commissioner

CURTIS E. STEWART
Deputy Commissioner

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE

Due to the extreme hardships placed on **Alabama motor vehicle registrants** who reside in locations that were affected by the severe weather which occurred beginning April 28, 2014, who were unable to register or renew their motor vehicle registrations or pay property taxes on their motor vehicles because county courthouses and other license plate issuing offices were closed, under the power granted to me by §40-2-11, Code of Alabama 1975, I hereby issue the following order:

I. GENERAL RULE

(a) EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RENEWING APRIL 2014 MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS AND PAYING PROPERTY TAXES ON VEHICLES.

For the purposes of applying Alabama's motor vehicle registration laws and property tax laws as related to the annual registration renewal of vehicles during the month of April 2014, the registration deadline has been extended through May 16, 2014. This extension applies to vehicle owners who reside in counties where the county courthouse or other license plate issuing offices and tax collection offices were closed as a result of severe weather which occurred beginning April 28, 2014.

The extension includes the registration of vehicles purchased or otherwise acquired whereby the twenty (20) day registration requirement as provided for in §32-6-61, Code of Alabama 1975, falls during the week of April 28 through May 2nd. The extension does not apply to motor vehicle registrations and renewals for vehicles registered pursuant to the International Registration Plan (IRP). These vehicle owners are required to pay all registration fees to the Department of Revenue, Motor Vehicle Division, during the assigned registration month. The extension does, however, apply to the payment of property taxes on IRP vehicles.

(b) PENALTY AND INTEREST CHARGES ASSOCIATED WITH RENEWING APRIL 2014 MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS AND PAYING PROPERTY TAXES ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

Penalty and interest charges associated with motor vehicle registrations and renewals extended through May 16, 2014, will not be charged until May 19, 2014. Additionally, penalty and interest charges associated with motor vehicle property tax payments extended through May 16, 2014, will not be charged until May 19, 2014.

Entered this 30th day of April 2014

SIGNED

Julie P. Magee, Commissioner Alabama Department of Revenue

ATTEST

Michael F. Mason Assistant Commissioner

Alabama Department of Revenue