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## **MEMORANDUM**

**2014-20**

**TO:** All Licensing Officials

**FROM:** Brenda R. Coone, Director  
Motor Vehicle Division

**SUBJECT:** Two-Year Registration Renewals-Act 2014-301

This memorandum is in response to the questions posed by licensing officials during the monthly pilot county conference this morning. The topic of discussion was the provisions of Act 2014-301, which provides that the county commission may, in consultation with licensing officials, offer registrants the option of renewing motor vehicle registrations for two years rather than on an annual basis.

After a careful review of the law, licensing officials posed several questions that need to be studied by the Department of Revenue. The Motor Vehicle, Property Tax, Tax Policy and Research, and Legal Divisions need to meet to answer many of the questions posed during the call. If you have questions or need further clarification regarding the administration of this law, please email the questions to Ms. Sherry Helms at [sherry.helms@revenue.alabama.gov](mailto:sherry.helms@revenue.alabama.gov).

The effective date of the law is January 1, 2015. We understand that county commissioners, city councilmen, vendors/programmers will need time to make the necessary system adjustments so that you may administer the provisions of this law, should you decide to do so. To ensure that the department has sufficient time to review your concerns, please submit all questions no later August 29, 2014.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation regarding this time sensitive matter.

c: Mark Griffin  
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