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2015 Wisconsin Act 77
[2015 Assembly Bill 208]

Special Restrictions Cards

BACKGROUND

The Department of Transportation (DOT) may, upon issuing a motor vehicle operator's license, impose operating restrictions related to the licensee's ability to operate a motor vehicle safely. Under prior law, when an operator's license was subject to lengthy special restrictions that did not fit within the available space on the license document, DOT was required to issue a separate special restrictions card that described the restrictions.

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Under the Act, DOT is no longer required to issue special restrictions cards. Instead, the Act requires that, if an operator's license is subject to restrictions that do not fit within the available space on the license document, the restrictions must be provided to the licensee in a format determined by DOT.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov>.