

(a) Upon renewal, chauffeur, school bus and interim consolidated licenses shall be converted to classified commercial drivers licenses. Persons applying for renewal of these licenses shall be required to pass any required examinations prescribed by ch. Trans 104 for issuance of a commercial driver license.

(b) Upon renewal, operator's licenses other than commercial drivers licenses shall be converted to classified non-commercial licenses. Persons applying for a non-commercial license will be required to take an eye exam pursuant s. 343.16 (3) (a) Stats.

Note: See s. 343.03 (1) (b) Stats.

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**Trans 102.14 Issuance.** (1) The department shall issue operator's licenses and identification cards directly to eligible Wisconsin residents at motor vehicle centers upon completion of application processing and payment of required fees, unless:

(a) The license has non-coded or lengthy special restrictions, and a special restrictions card is required for the license, in which case the license may be issued directly to the person with a driving receipt that includes the special restrictions. The driving receipt with special restrictions when carried with the license may be used for the operation of a motor vehicle until the earlier of 60 days from the date of the application or the date the special restrictions card is issued to the person.

(b) The computer system is down and a backup system in the central office must be used to produce the photo operator's license or photo identification card;

(c) Further verification of eligibility is necessary to comply with licensing qualifications in ch. 343, Stats.;

(d) There are administrative reasons for not issuing the operator's license or identification card immediately, for purposes including but not limited to; conducting a study or establishing a control group.

(2) A Wisconsin resident may be issued an operator's license or an identification card if the person surrenders all operator licenses and identification cards issued to the person by other jurisdictions, and the person is otherwise eligible to be issued an operator's license or identification card under Wisconsin law.

(3) A person may not be required to have resided in Wisconsin for any minimum amount of time in order to be eligible for a Wisconsin operator's license.

(4) Persons who establish Wisconsin residency and who are not exempt from Wisconsin operator's license within 30 days of establishing Wisconsin residency.

Note: See s. 340.01 (2) (g) regarding establishing residency for driver license purposes.

(5) No license will be issued to a person under the age of 18 unless the person provides satisfactory proof that the person has successfully completed a driver education or training course which meets the requirements of s. 343.06 (1) (c), Stats., an approved driver education course of

another jurisdiction, or the person is exempt from those requirements under s. 343.08 or 343.135, Stats.

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**Trans 102.15 Proof of identification.** (1) "UNAVAILABLE" DEFINED. In this section, "unavailable," does not include documents which person have forgotten to bring with them when applying for a license or identification card, or a lost or destroyed document if a replacement original or a certified copy of the document is available to those persons upon proper request.

(2) REQUIREMENTS. (a) Satisfactory proof of date and place of birth, as specified under sub. (3) and satisfactory proof of identity as specified under sub. (4), shall be submitted by a person applying for an original Wisconsin operator's license or identification card.

(b) Satisfactory proof of identity as specified under sub. (4) shall be submitted by a person applying for a renewal, reissue, reinstatement or duplicate of a Wisconsin operator's license or identification card.

(c) A person shall provide proof of the person's name, date and place of birth under sub. (3) and of the person's identity under sub. (4) upon the first application for an original, renewal, reinstatement or duplicate operator's license or identification card following:

1. Any action which results in the department creating an AKA record in the person's driver file;

2. Cancellation of the person's license or identification card for altering a license or identification card, or cancellation for making a fraudulent or falsified application for a license or identification card, or cancellation for violation of s. 343.25 (1), (4), (5) or (6), Stats.;

3. Suspension of the person's license under s. 343.34 (2), Stats.;

4. Revocation or suspension of the person's operating privilege under s. 343.31 (1) (e), Stats.;

5. Revocation of the person's operating privilege under s. 343.32 (1) (b), Stats.;

6. Revocation or suspension of an instructor's license pursuant to s. 343.67 (4), Stats.; or

7. Conviction for violation of ss. 343.14 (5), 343.16 (4) or (5), 343.19 (2), 343.43 (1), 343.50 (4) or (12) or 345.17, Stats.

(3) PROOF OF NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH. (a) One of the following is satisfactory proof of a person's name, date and place of birth:

1. For a person born in Wisconsin, a copy of the person's Wisconsin birth certificate issued and certified in accordance with s. 69.21, Stats.;

2. For a person born outside Wisconsin, a certified copy of his or her birth certificate or the equivalent document from the state, territory or foreign country of birth;

**Note:** Neither a hospital birth certificate nor baptismal certificate satisfies this requirement. Effective November 1, 1986 s. 69.24 (1) (a), Stats., prohibits Wisconsin hospitals from issuing a document which appears to be a birth certificate.