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Temporarily supplements standards pertaining to the registration of off-road vehicles and snowmobiles. Effective January 1, 2004.

SECTION 1. (a) The definitions contained in IC 14-8 and IC 14-16-1-2 through IC 14-16-1-7 are incorporated in this document. In addition, the following definitions apply:

- (1) "Dealer registration" means a certificate of registration issued under IC 14-16-1-16 to a dealer or a manufacturer.
- (2) "Decal" means a sticker or similar document to identify a vehicle's registration number under IC 14-16-1-9 and IC 14-16-1-11.5.
- (3) "Division" means the department's division of accounting.
- (4) "Interim certificate of registration" means a written instrument sufficient to support an intent to renew or register an off-road vehicle or a snowmobile.
- (b) Upon purchase of a vehicle or renewal of a vehicle previously registered, an operator must apply to the department for an interim certificate of registration. The application may be made on-line with the assistance of a dealer or in person at the division's offices in Indianapolis. The application must include the following information:
 - (1) Name.
 - (2) Address.
 - (3) Date of purchase of a vehicle or date of expiration of a registration for a vehicle registered previously.
 - (4) Year.
 - **(5) Make.**
 - (6) Model.
 - (7) Vehicle identification number.
- (c) An interim certificate of registration shall be issued on a form approved by the division. The interim certificate of registration expires:
 - (1) thirty-one (31) days after the date of purchase; or
 - (2) for a vehicle registered previously, thirty-one (31) days after renewal of the registration.
 - (d) The department shall design and approve decals that:
 - (1) Have a unique identification number for each registration.
 - (2) Are differently colored than those used in the previous year.
 - (3) Can be easily identified and verified by a law enforcement officer.
- (e) An owner or operator must attach two (2) decals that are each clearly visible for identification, with one (1) on each side of the forward half of the vehicle. A dealer or manufacturer may display the decals on an attached but removable sign.
 - (f) In addition to the fees established by IC 14-16-1, the following fees apply:
 - (1) Thirty dollars (\$30) for each registration renewal requested under IC 14-16-1-11.
 - (2) Six dollars (\$6) for each replacement decal requested under IC 14-16-1-11.5(b).
 - (3) Fifteen dollars (\$15) for each change of address requested under IC 14-16-1-14(d).
 - (4) Thirty dollars (\$30) for each transfer of ownership requested under IC 14-16-1-14(e).
 - (5) Thirty dollars (\$30) for each of the first two (2) registrations requested by a manufacturer or dealer under IC 14-16-1-15(a).
 - (6) Thirty dollars (\$30) for each registration requested by a manufacturer or dealer under IC 14-16-1-15(a) that is subsequent to those requested under subdivision (4).

(g) An owner or operator may seek administrative review, under IC 4-21.5 and 312 IAC 3-1, of an order by the department under this document.

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