

2013 Annual International Conference Is Just Around the Corner! AAMVA's The Week In Review For August 19, 2013

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AAMVA's 2013 Annual International Conference is coming up **NEXT WEEK**, August 26th-28th in Scottsdale, AZ. [Register now to join us](#) for informative sessions, engaging speakers, networking opportunities and fun - as part of the charity auction, we will be hosting a jalapeño eating contest! Entrance fees and cash donations raised during the contest will benefit the 100 Club of Arizona, a charitable organization that serves more than 50,000 public safety officers, firefighters, their agencies, and their families throughout the state of Arizona. Be on the lookout for more information on aamva.org about this "hot" opportunity!



New Issue of MOVE Magazine

The latest issue of MOVE Magazine is hot off the presses! This issue features articles on:

- AAMVA's Driver License Data Verification (DLDV) system, which helps jurisdictions and commercial entities curb identity theft and document fraud.
- The new best practice document from AAMVA's Registration and Insurance Card Standardization (RICS) working group.
- Get to know Jennifer Cohan, Director of the Delaware Division of Motor Vehicles and soon-to-be Chairwoman of AAMVA.
- And much more!

Look for the new issue of MOVE Magazine, and visit MoveMag.org for content you can only see online!



Make Plans Now to Attend the Region III Information Exchange

The [2013 Region III Information Exchange](#) kicks off in five weeks, so make your plans to join us. We will be meeting at the Sheraton Clayton Plaza in St. Louis, Missouri from September 24-26. Fly in to St. Louis Lambert International Airport and take the complimentary shuttle to the hotel. Our room rate is \$129/ night plus taxes. The hotel cut-off date for reservations is **September 10**. Call (888) 327-1395 or [click here](#) for the reservation link. The meeting starts Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. and concludes Wednesday at 5:00 for industry participants and at noon Thursday for jurisdictional participants. QuickConnect will be held on Wednesday afternoon. A draft agenda, registration form and QuickConnect registration form can be found at <http://www.aamva.org/2013-Region-III-Information-Exchange/>. Please contact Sheila Prior at sprior@aamva.org or 480-275-4584 for questions.

AAMVA Publishes Newer Versions of CDLIS 5.3 Release Documentation

As of August 19, 2013, the following documentation reflecting new CDLIS requirements is available for download from the AAMVA website at <http://www.aamva.org/CDLIS/> ('Documentation' Tab).

- CDLIS System Specifications (Release 5.3.1.1) - 5.3 excluding permit rule requirements

- CDLIS System Specifications Release 5.3.1 published in February has been replaced with CDLIS System Specifications Release 5.3.1.1.
- **CDLIS System Specifications (Release 5.3.2.1) - 5.3 including permit rule requirements**
 - CDLIS System Specifications Release 5.3.2 published in February has been replaced with CDLIS System Specifications Release 5.3.2.1.
- **CDLIS State Procedures Manual (Release 5.3.2.1)**
 - CDLIS State Procedures Manual Release 5.3.2 published in February has been replaced with CDLIS State Procedures Manual Release 5.3.2.1.

The newer versions of CDLIS 5.3 release documentation released on August 19, 2013 include the following changes from the CDLIS 5.3 release documentation previously published on February 22, 2013. Additional details can be found in each associated change control document.

- FMCSA's final rule covering the petitions from the final permit rule (March 25, 2013) extended the compliance date to July 8, 2015. The original Compliance date and effective dates for permit rule validations are being updated.
- Revisions made to 'Redrive' functionality during CSOR: To resolve unsuccessful redrive attempts when the original Change State of Record (UD) message is timed out and subsequently closed as a result, suspended CSOR transactions can now also be "redriven" by resending the original UD message. The current On Demand Redrive function (via the Redrive Request (SR) message) will remain available until the end of 2014, at which time it will be phased out.
- Minor corrections/clarifications are being made to the previously published CDLIS 5.3 release documentation.

All CDLIS 5.3 release changes will be in the AAMVA Production environment on September 1, 2013. For further information, please contact the AAMVA Help Desk at helpdesk@aamva.org.

AAMVA Code Dictionary (ACD) Working Group Publishes Release 5.1.0 of the ACD Manual

On August 19, 2013, AAMVA released the new AAMVA Code Dictionary (ACD) Manual (Release 5.1.0) which will become effective on September 1, 2013. This release is an update to release 5.0.0. Changes:

- revises the definition of two codes
- provides clarification based on FMCSA's release of the 'Technical, Organizational, and Conforming Amendments to the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations' final rule on October 1, 2012
 - All convictions for violations in 49 CFR §383.51 now apply to Commercial Learner's Permit (CLP) as well as Commercial Driver's License (CDL) holders
 - Modified speeding penalties to apply if the driver is convicted of exceeding the 'regulated or' posted speed limit. Some vehicles are limited to a maximum speed and can be cited even if driving below the posted speed limit. The words 'regulated or' were added to the definitions of the speeding violations that reference a speed above the posted speed limit throughout the document.

Documentation can be found on the AAMVA website at www.aamva.org/ACD ('Documentation' tab). The documents provided are:

- AAMVA Code Dictionary (ACD) Manual (Release 5.1.0)
- AAMVA Code Dictionary (ACD) Manual (Release 5.1.0) - with changes from release 5.0.0 highlighted
- Implementation Planning Guide (Release 5.1.0)

Please address any questions to Greg Sensiba, gsensiba@aamva.org; (703) 908-2822] or the chair of the ACD WG, Steve Monson, steven.monson@state.co.us; (303) 205-5829.

CDL Examiner Update Class Announcement: Nominations Currently Being Accepted

AAMVA will be conducting two Commercial Driver License (CDL) Examiner Update Classes the week of October 28, 2013 at the Pinellas Technical Education Center (PTEC) in St. Petersburg, Florida. The class size is limited to 14 persons and will be held as follows:

- **Class 1:** Tuesday, October 29 & Wednesday, October 30th
- **Class 2:** Thursday, October 31st & Friday, November 1st

The class is designed to be a hands-on training class for experienced CDL Examiners or trainers. The classes will focus on changes to CDL & CLP issuance, CDL Classification/Endorsements & Restrictions, CDL Knowledge & Skills Testing; and Examiner Training Requirements, Background Record Checks and Certification as required by the Commercial Driver's License Testing and Commercial Learner's Permit Standards final rule. There is no tuition or registration fee for this training. All travel, room and board expenses will be paid by AAMVA. **Nominees must have a thorough knowledge of the CDL program and current experience conducting CDL Skills Tests.**

*Staff nominations from Jurisdictions that have **not implemented the 2005 CDL Testing System as of July 31, 2013** will be given priority. All other nominations will be considered based upon submission date and time if space allows.*

Please submit completed [Nomination Forms](#) to Karen Morton via email at kmorton@aamva.org no later than **Wednesday, August 28, 2013**, as class sizes are limited. After the nominations are reviewed, detailed information will be sent to those persons selected to attend. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Karen Morton at AAMVA Headquarters (703) 908-8268 or kmorton@aamva.org.

AAMVA Issues RFI for CVP and SDI2

AAMVA has issued a call for interest to any organization that would like to assist with AAMVA's courtesy verification program (CVP) and secure document inventory initiative (SDI2). We are looking for organizations that would like to serve as potential laboratories for the program. More background and a checklist of information being sought is [available for download here](#). Please respond by August 30, 2013. Direct any inquiries on this to our Director of Identity Management, Geoff Slagle, (703)342-7459, gslagle@aamva.org.

NGA Vets Project RFP

The National Governors Association (NGA) has released the following RFP:

NGA VETERANS' LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION DEMONSTRATION POLICY ACADEMY

The purpose of the NGA Veterans' Licensing and Certification Demonstration Policy Academy is to develop and evaluate strategies to create accelerated credentialing processes for veterans in high demand occupations. The policy academy will aim to increase credential attainment that leads to employment of veterans-especially Gulf War II veterans, who are experiencing high levels of unemployment-and reduce the number of unemployment insurance (UI or UCXii) claims and the length of time for which veterans draw benefits. The policy academy will also study ways to reduce the costs associated with credential attainment by veterans. States will develop a state-specific plan to address barriers to credentialing for separating service members in three of the five following occupations with state-level credentialing requirements: truck drivers, police officers, EMTs/Paramedics, Licensed Practical Nurses, and a health care occupation of the state's choosing based on the particular needs of the state. More information is available at <http://www.subnet.nga.org/downloads/VeteransRFPToStates.pdf>.

Study Evaluates Distracted Driving Among Adolescents with ADHD

A study using a driving simulator suggests that adolescents with attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) who were distracted while driving demonstrated more variability in speed and lane position than adolescents without ADHD, according to a study published by JAMA Pediatrics, a JAMA Network publication. While adolescents as a group are at increased risk for motor vehicle crashes (MVCs), those diagnosed with ADHD have an even

greater risk. Patients with ADHD have higher rates of MVCs and experience greater tactical and operational driving impairments than their counterparts without ADHD, according to the study background. For more information, visit [here](#).

NHTSA to Provide Free VIN Searches to Help Consumers Check Cars, Light Trucks and Motorcycles for Uncompleted Recalls

The U.S. Department of Transportation's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) today announced its plans to require automakers and motorcycle manufacturers to provide consumers with a free online tool that will enable them to search recall information by Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) starting next year. In an ongoing effort to better provide consumers with specific vehicle safety information, NHTSA today issued a final rule that will require all major automakers and motorcycle manufacturers to provide consumers with online access to recall information on vehicles searchable by VIN. This information must be updated at least weekly. For more information, visit [nhtsa.gov](https://www.nhtsa.gov).