

NEW YORK STATE SPECIAL LICENSE PRIVILEGES

The type of special driving privilege follows the license class on the Record Summary Line.

CONDITIONAL: A limited driving privilege granted to NYS licensed drivers who are suspended/revoked for alcohol or drug-related convictions.

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PRE-CONVICTION CONDITIONAL LICENSE: A limited driving privilege granted to NYS licensed drivers who have been suspended in NYS for alcohol or drug-related violations (not yet convicted).

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POST REVOCATION CONDITIONAL LICENSE: A limited driving privilege granted to NYS licensed drivers who have ignition interlock devices as a probation condition, and who have completed the minimum revocation period required after an alcohol or drug-related conviction.

LIMITED USE ENDING DATE MM/DD/YYYY: A limited driving privilege granted to junior drivers who pass their road test within 6 months of receiving a learner permit. After the ending date, full driving privileges are granted.

EXAMPLES OF VIOLATION MESSAGES

AGG UNL OP MISD	Aggravated unlicensed operation, a second degree misdemeanor
CL/RL-CONV TRAF INF	Traffic infraction occurring during conditional/restricted license program
CONSUME ALC UNDER 21	Operation of a motor vehicle after consuming alcohol while under 21 years of age
DISOBEYED TRAF DEV	Disobeyed Traffic Device
DRIVING WHILE INTOX	Driving while intoxicated
DRVG WHILE IMPAIRED	Driving while ability impaired by alcohol
FAC AGG UNL OP INF	Facilitating aggravated unlicensed operation of a motor vehicle
FLD ANSWER SUMMONS	Failed to answer a traffic ticket
FLD PAY CHILD SUPP	Failed to pay child support
FLD PAY DRIV ASSESS	Failed to pay driver responsibility assessment
LEAV SCENE INC - PD	Leaving the scene of a property damage incident without reporting
NO INSP OVER 60 DAYS	No inspection - Over 60 days
OP MV - MOBILE PHONE	Operation of a motor vehicle while using a hand held mobile phone
OPER OUT OF REST-INF	Operating in violation of a driver license restriction – an infraction
OPER W/O INS – INF	Operating without insurance – an infraction
PEND PROS-CT BAC	Pending prosecution by court for blood alcohol content
PEND PROSECUTION-CT	Pending prosecution by court
PNG SUBMSN TO CRT-OS	Pending submission to out-of-state court
RFSD SUB CHEM TEST	Refused to submit to a chemical test
SPD NOT REAS/PRUDENT	Speed not reasonable and prudent
SUSP BY COURT 510	Suspended by court under Section 510 of the Vehicle and Traffic Law
TEMP - PDG C/T HRG	Suspension pending chemical test hearing
UNREG MOT VEH - INF	Unregistered motor vehicle – an infraction
3 SPEED/MISDEM 18 MO	Three speeding violations or misdemeanors within 18 months



NEW YORK STATE DRIVER LICENSE CLASSES

License class codes were changed effective 2/19/91 to conform to federal commercial driver legislation. These codes are used by every state as a national standard. Commercial driver licenses (CDLs) will appear on the Record Summary Line as license class CDL A, B or C. A driver who has one class of license, and who obtains a motorcycle license or a learner permit for another class will have more than one Record Summary Line, to show the status of each document. A driver with only a Class M or MJ license is limited to motorcycle operation.

CLASS CDL A

Valid for operation of a tractor-trailer combination, truck-trailer combination, tractor, truck, taxicab, passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile.

CLASS CDL B

Valid for operation of a heavy single-unit vehicle (such as a truck or bus) with a Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR) of more than 26,000 pounds, or for the tractor portion of a tractor-trailer. Also valid for the operation of a taxicab, passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile.

CLASS CDL C

Valid for operation of a single-unit vehicle (such as a truck or bus) with a GVWR of 26,000 pounds or less that transports 15 or more passengers, or that transports passengers under Article 19-A of the Vehicle & Traffic Law, or that carries hazardous materials. Also valid for the operation of a taxicab, passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile.

CLASS Non-CDL C

This class is in the process of being eliminated and is only issued when a Farm (F)(G) and/or Tow Truck (W) endorsement is applied for. Valid for operation of a single-unit vehicle (such as medium trucks, farm vehicles and some heavy recreational vehicles) with a GVWR of 26,000 pounds or less that does not require a CDL endorsement. Also valid for the operation of a passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile.

CLASS D

Valid for operation of a single-unit vehicle or recreational vehicle with a GVWR of 26,000 pounds or less, a passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile.

CLASS DJ

Valid for operation of a single-unit vehicle with a GVWR of 10,000 pounds or less, a passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile. Issued only to drivers younger than 18 years of age; automatically becomes a Class D license on the individual's 18th birthday.

CLASS E

Valid for operation of a single-unit vehicle with a GVWR of 26,000 pounds or less used to transport 14 or less passengers for hire, Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile. Also valid for the operation of a taxicab, passenger vehicle, Class B or Class C Limited Use Motorcycle, or Limited Use Automobile.

CLASS M

Valid for operation of a motorcycle (including Limited Use Motorcycle).

CLASS MJ

Valid for operation of a motorcycle (including Limited Use Motorcycle). Issued only to drivers younger than 18 years of age; automatically becomes a Class M license on the individual's 18th birthday.

NOTE: If the motorist does not have a NY license or learner permit, the Record Summary Line will read NO NY LICENSE. If the motorist has only a non-driver identification card, the Record Summary Line will read ID ONLY.

DESCRIPTION OF ABSTRACT OF DRIVING RECORD

Form DS-242 (Abstract of Driving Record) shows basic licensing information. Most suspensions and revocations are displayed on an abstract while they are open and an additional four years from the date they are cleared. Suspensions for refusal to submit to a chemical test are displayed for five years from the date of suspension. Accidents are displayed for the remainder of the calendar year of the accident plus three years. Most traffic convictions will display for the remainder of the calendar year of the conviction date, plus three years. Convictions for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs are displayed for ten years from the conviction date. Some serious violations, such as vehicular homicide, are displayed permanently.

Each abstract identifies the motorist, gives the class of license, the current license status, the license expiration date and any restrictions and/or endorsements that limit or expand the driving privilege.

THE RECORD SUMMARY LINE SHOULD ALWAYS BE USED TO DETERMINE THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE DRIVER'S LICENSE OR DRIVING PRIVILEGE.

The Record Summary Line is printed just above the "Activity" section. It tells what class license or permit is held, and whether the status is Valid, Revoked, Suspended, Canceled, or Approved (for future license privileges after a revocation). It will also show what type document the motorist has (a permit, a license, a conditional or restricted use license, or a non-driver ID card) and when the license/permit/ID card expires. If the individual has not had a NY Driver License or Non-Driver ID, that information appears on the Record Summary Line as NO NY LICENSE. There will be more than one Record Summary Line if the motorist has a valid license in one class and a valid permit in another class. It is also possible to have a valid non-commercial license while the commercial privilege (CDL) is revoked or suspended (this is shown on more than one Record Summary Line).

Other license information is grouped in separate sections by action type. Each section is separated by a line of asterisks and a heading that identifies what information is in each section. The ACTIVITY section is first, followed by SUSPENSIONS/REVOCATIONS, CONVICTIONS/BAIL FORFEITURES and ACCIDENTS.

The ACTIVITY section of the record shows: accident prevention course completion and the period of time to which the point reduction applies; "prohibits" (which prevent transactions from taking place until requirements are met); CDL history information; NY license was surrendered to another jurisdiction; special licenses or privileges (such as conditional or restricted use); and various notes such as stolen license information.

SUSPENSIONS/REVOCATIONS for moving violations (and all reasons other than scotflaws) are grouped together and listed in order number sequence, so they are not always in chronological order. Suspensions for failure to answer a traffic ticket or to pay a fine (scotflaws) follow and are listed by order effective date, with the most recent appearing first. The first date in each record is the order effective date, followed by the reason the order was imposed. If "Complied On" appears on the order, this refers to the date on which all license documents were surrendered. If the suspension/revocation has been cleared, the clearance date and reason are shown.

CONVICTIONS/BAIL FORFEITURES are in violation date order, with the most recent appearing first. Other conviction/bail forfeiture information includes reason, date, location of violation, amount of fine, sentence length in days, and point value assessed, if any.

ACCIDENTS are in accident date order with the most recent appearing first. Information includes whether the accident involved a fatality, personal injury and/or property damage, the county where the accident occurred and whether a police and/or motorist report was filed. If the accident is excluded from the three accident re-examination program, that information is shown.

EXPLANATION OF LICENSE STATUS ON "RECORD SUMMARY LINE"

VALID: Unless expired, full driving privileges are in effect for the class of license shown.

SUSPENDED: Driving privilege is temporarily withdrawn for class of license shown.

REVOKED: Driving privilege is withdrawn for class of license shown.

CANCELLED: Driving privilege in all classes has been cancelled.

SURRENDERED: The driver has voluntarily given up his/her driving privilege in all classes.

APPROVED: Driver is authorized to have driving privileges returned after revocation, but has not yet obtained a license or learner permit.

A license with any status shown above may also be expired.

(SAMPLE)

DIAL, TEST, S
6 EMPIRE PLAZA
ALBANY NY 12228

CLIENT ID#: 124450332
DOB: 02/24/1965 SEX: M
HEIGHT: 5-7 EYE COLOR: BLUE
COUNTY: ALBA
MI #: D09031 12865 531744-65

NAME ON LICENSE/ID: DIAL
TEST, SAMPLE MIDDLE NAME

Record Summary Line

LICENSE CLASS: *D* STATUS: VALID EXPIRATION: 02/24/2016

***** ACTIVITY *****
ACCIDENT PREVENTION COURSE COMPLETED ON: 02/09/2006
POINT REDUCTION ELIGIBLE FOR VIOLATIONS OCCURRING FROM 08/09/2004 - 02/09/2006
N/A - NON 19-A DRIVER OR COURSE PRIOR TO 01/01/94

***** SUSPENSIONS/REVOCATIONS *****
SUSPENSION: 07/17/2007 ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW ORDER #: M070207
COMPLIED ON: 07/17/2007
CLEAR ON: 03/03/2008 REQUIREMENTS MET
SUSPENSION: 11/08/2007 FLD ANSWER SUMMONS ORDER #: T585363
LOCATION: SCHENECTADY COUNTY, TOWN OF NISKAYUNA
CLEAR ON: 12/12/2007 SCOPFLAW ANSWERED

***** CONVICTIONS/BAIL FORFEITURES *****
CONVICTION: DISOBEYED TRAF DEV
VIOLATION: 03/01/2007 CONVICTED ON: 12/12/2007
LOCATION: SCHENECTADY COUNTY, TOWN OF NISKAYUNA
PENALTY: FINE- \$100 POINTS: 2
COMM VEH: NO HAZMAT: NO

***** ACCIDENTS *****
ACCIDENT DATE: 03/28/2007 INJURY & PROP DAM COUNTY: SCHE CASE #: 32-158941
POLICE REPORT FILED

*** END OF RECORD ***

This is to certify that this document is a true and complete copy of an electronic record on file in the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles, Albany, New York. The record was made in regular course of New York State Department of Motor Vehicles daily business. It is the business of the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles to create and maintain the records of drivers in the state of New York. Entries in this document are made at the time the recorded transactions or events took place or within a reasonable time thereafter. The person who reports the information is under a business duty to do so accurately.

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