

New Notary Acknowledgement Statement

Effective: January 1, 2015

New Information

New legislation requires a California notary public to use the New Notary Acknowledgement Statement (sample attached). The Appointment of Director as Agent for Service of Process (ADM 9050) form is being revised to reflect the new notary acknowledgement statement.

Procedures

Until the revised ADM 9050 is available, use either the:

- DMV/CHP OFFICER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF SIGNATURE section of the ADM 9050, in lieu of a notary certification.
- New Notary Acknowledgement Statement, as a separate document attached to the ADM 9050 form.

Background

The New Notary Acknowledgement Statement clarifies that a notary public verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of the document.

Distribution

Notification that this memo is available online at www.dmv.ca.gov/pubs/olin/olin.htm was made via California DMV's Automated E-mail Alert System in January 2015 to the following:

- Dealers
- Registration Services

References

California Vehicle Code §§18, 11102(a)(5)(C), 11202(a)(6)(C), 11403(d), and 11710(d)

Contact

Questions regarding this memo may be directed to the Occupational Licensing Compliance Unit, at (916) 229-3154.



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Attachment (1)

New Notary Acknowledgement Statement

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California

County of _____

On _____ before me, _____,

(HERE INSERT NAME AND TITLE OF THE OFFICER)

Personally appeared _____ who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that he foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature _____ (SEAL)