Off-Highway Vehicles (OHVs) for Exempt Agencies

Effective: Immediately

New Information

Do **not** process off-highway vehicle (OHV) transactions for exempt agencies.

Procedures

If an application to register an OHV is received from an exempt agency:

- Inform the representative that their agency is exempt from displaying indicia on their
- Return the application to the exempt agency.

Background

In the past, when the Department of Motor Vehicles received an application to register an OHV for an exempt agency, the fees were waived manually and indicia was issued in error, instead of returning the application. This resulted in exempt agencies registering vehicles unnecessarily and receiving delinquent notices.

Distribution

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Reference

California Vehicle Code §38010(b)(3)

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Call the DMV Customer Communications Section at (916) 657-6560 for further clarification of this memo.