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Current Rulemaking Activity

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1039, the Department received authorization on April 28, 2025, from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.

with this rulemaking.			
Rule Package:	Commercial Vehicle Fleet Name or Logo License Plate; Fees (Amend)		
Title: Chapter: Article(s): Section(s):	17, Transportation 4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses 3, Vehicle Registration R17-4-351 (Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.)		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 31 A.A.R. 1974, June 20, 2025, Issue 25		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 31 A.A.R. 2663, August 15, 2025, Issue 33		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:		
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking for implementation of Laws 2024, Ch. 208 (HB2438), § 6, which authorizes the owner or operator of a commercial vehicle fleet to apply for a commercial vehicle fleet license plate that displays the fleet's approved name or logo, in lieu of using the standard fleet license plates currently issued by the Department. The rulemaking will amend existing rule R17-4-351 to establish new fees that must be paid to the Department, as applicable, by an owner or operator of a commercial vehicle fleet who seeks to use unique company name or logo plates on qualifying commercial fleet vehicles. As authorized under A.R.S. § 28-2209, the Department intends to establish a fee for the initial design, production, and implementation of each uniquely designed commercial fleet logo or name plate, and a new substitution fee that must be charged if the commercial fleet vehicle owner or operator seeks to exchange a vehicle's currently issued standard license plate with a new commercial fleet logo or name plate.		
Comments:	<u>JLindley@azdot.gov</u>		
Oral Proceeding:	This meeting was held virtually through Google Meet on September 24, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact the person listed above.		
Close of Record:	September 24, 2025		
Council Date:	To be determined Rule Effective Date: To be determined		

Pursuant to A.R.S. \S 41-1039, the Department received authorization on April 2, 2024, from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.

Rule Package:	Driver Licenses Update (Amend)			
Title: Chapter: Article(s): Section(s):	17, Transportation 4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses 1, General Provisions and 4, Driver Licenses R17-4-101, R17-4-401 through R17-4-404, Table 1, R17-4-406, R17-4-408, and R17-4-410 through R17-4-414 (Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.)			
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 30 A.A.R. 3329, November 8, 2024, Issue 45			
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking:			
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:			
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking to complete technical corrections necessary for conformance with legislative changes made to Arizona's driver licensing statutes over the last several years, align the rules with current ADOT systems, clarify existing processes and procedures, and ensure consistency with the rulemaking format and style requirements of the Arizona Administrative Procedure Act and the Office of the Secretary of State. The anticipated amendments in this rulemaking will provide drivers with a clearer understanding of the Department's driver improvement processes, further clarify driver rights and responsibilities in maintaining a license in good standing, update and refine the actions the Department may require of a driver to curb unsafe driving behavior and increase safety on Arizona roadways, and will complete the Department's stated course of action in its recent five-year review report on the rules as approved by the Governor's Regulatory Review Council on September 6, 2023.			
Comments:	JLindley@azdot.gov			
Oral Proceeding:	To be determined			
Close of Record:	To be determined			
Council Date:	To be determined Rule Effective Date: To be determined			

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1039, the Department received authorization on April 2, 2024, from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.

with this rulemaking.				
Rule Package:	Motor Vehicle Records Rule Update (Amend)			
Title: Chapter: Article(s): Section(s):	17, Transportation 4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses 8, Motor Vehicle Records R17-4-801 through R17-4-803, and Table 1 (Sections may be added, amended, repealed, or renumbered as necessary.)			
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening:			
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking:			
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:			
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking to incorporate the changes proposed in ADOT's recent five-year review report on 17 A.A.C. Chapter 4, Article 8, Motor Vehicle Records, approved by the Governor's Regulatory Review Council on March 7, 2023. ADOT determined that these rules should be updated and improved to better reflect ADOT's release of motor vehicle records. These updates include complying with changes made due to Laws 2021, Chapter 335 (HB2143), which revised the release of personal information; and updating the rules for application requirements, applicable record types, and language usage.			
Comments:	COlson2@azdot.gov			
Oral Proceeding:	To be determined			
Close of Record:	To be determined			
Council Date:	To be determined Rule Effective Date: To be determined			

Completed Rulemaking Activity

The following rulemaking activities are complete and will remain listed until the rules are fully codified in the <u>Arizona</u> <u>Administrative Code</u>.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1039, the Department received authorization on January 19, 2025, from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking and final approval on July 28, 2025.

Rule Package:	Grand Canyon National Park Airport (GCNPA) Update (Amend)			
Title: Chapter: Article(s): Section(s): A.A.R. Citation:	17, Transportation 2, Department of Transportation - Aeronautics 1, General Provisions and 2, Grand Canyon National Park Airport – Operation and Management R17-2-101, R17-2-201 Table 1, and R17-2-203 through R17-2-206			
A.A.R. CHUIIOII.	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 31 A.A.R. 865, March 21, 2025, Issue 12 Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 31 A.A.R. 1580, May 16, 2025, Issue 20			
	Notice of Final Rulemaking: 31 A.A.R. 4090, October 24, 2025, Issue 43			
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking to incorporate the changes proposed in ADOT's recent <u>five-year review report</u> on 17 A.A.C. Chapter 2, Aeronautics; approved by the Governor's Regulatory Review Council on August 6, 2024. This includes updates and improvements that better reflect the current process, provide better clarity, and removes unnecessary language as they relate to the current operations of GCNPA.			
Comments:	KMcDonald3@azdot.gov			
Oral Proceeding:	This meeting was held virtually through Google Meet on June 23, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact the person listed above.			
Close of Record:	June 23, 2025			
Council Date:	October 7, 2025, October Final Files Rule Effective Date: December 9, 2025			

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1039, the Department received authorization on April 2, 2024, from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking and final approval on August 21, 2025.

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Rule Package:	Motor Vehicle Repossession (Amend)		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs 4, Dealers		
Article(s): Section(s):	R17-5-407 (Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.)		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 30 A.A.R. 3330, November 8, 2024, Issue 45		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 31 A.A.R. 2162, July 4, 2025, Issue 27		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking: Filed with the Office of the Secretary of State on December 3, 2025		
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking to complete technical corrections necessary for conformance with legislative updates made to Arizona's vehicle title and registration statutes over the last several years, clarify existing processes and procedures, and align the rules with current ADOT systems.		
	The Department intends to remove the requirement that a lienholder's signature be witnessed by a notary public or Department agent when the lienholder of record completes and submits to the Department a repossession affidavit form provided by the Department. Additionally, the seller's signature on the odometer certification statement (located in the bill of sale portion of the repossession affidavit) is no longer required to be notarized unless required by law.		
Comments:	JLindley@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	This meeting was held virtually through Google Meet on August 6, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact the person listed above.		
Close of Record	August 6, 2025		
Council Date:	December 2, 2025, <u>December Final Files</u> Rule Effective Date: February 1, 2026		

Pursuant to A.R.S. \S 41-1039, the Department received authorization on April 28, 2025, from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking and final approval on October 6, 2025.

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Rule Package:	Safety Rules Update (Amend) - Expedited		
Title: Chapter: Article(s): Section(s):	17, Transportation 4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses 5, Safety R17-4-501, R17-4-502, and R17-4-504 (Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.)		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 31 A.A.R. 2720, August 22, 2025, Issue 34		
	Notice of Proposed Expedited Rulemaking: 31 A.A.R. 2714, August 22, 2025, Issue 34		
	Notice of Final Expedited Rulemaking: Filed with the Office of the Secretary of State on December 3, 2025		
Description:	The Department engages in this expedited rulemaking to incorporate the changes proposed in the Department's recent five-year review report on 17 A.A.C. Chapter 4, Article 5, which was approved by the Governor's Regulatory Review Council on April 1, 2025. The Department determined that there were rules in this Article that should be updated and improved to provide better clarity and consistency; to update for Laws 2024, Chapter 169 (SB1062), which changed the term "substance abuse counselor" to "addiction counselor"; and to remove unnecessary language.		
Comments:	COlson2@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	This meeting was held virtually through Google Meet on September 5, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact the person listed above.		
Close of Record:	September 5, 2025		
Council Date:	December 2, 2025, <u>December Final Files</u> Rule Effective Date: December 3, 2025		

Rule Package:	Vehicle Title and Registration Update (Amend)		
Title: Chapter: Article(s): Section(s):	17, Transportation 4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses 1, General Provisions; 2, Vehicle Title; and 3, Vehicle Registration R17-4-101, R17-4-201 through R17-4-208, R17-4-301 through R17-4-305, R17-4-307 through R17-4-312, and R17-4-350 (Sections may be added, deleted, or further modified as necessary.)		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 30 A.A.R. 3328, November 8, 2024, Issue 45		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 31 A.A.R. 2144, July 4, 2025, Issue 27		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking: Filed with the Office of Secretary of State on December 3, 2025		
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking to complete technical corrections necessary for conformance with legislative changes made to Arizona's vehicle title and registration statutes over the last several years, align the rules with current ADOT systems, clarify existing processes and procedures, and ensure consistency with the rulemaking format and style requirements of the Arizona Administrative Procedure Act and the Office of the Secretary of State. The Department anticipates repealing three rules (R17-4-202, R17-4-203, and R17-4-204) and amending 18 rules relating to mobile home title transfers and vehicle title and registration activities. These rules are outdated and need to be amended to reflect all current Department processes and procedures required for titling and registering a vehicle in this state. The anticipated rule amendments will allow the Department to: Reduce a regulatory burden by making the rules more clear, concise, and understandable; Comply with existing state statutory requirements by including technical corrections and updated language needed for conformance with statutory amendments made over the last several years; Eliminate rules that are antiquated, redundant or otherwise no longer necessary for the operation of state government; and Complete the Department's stated course of action in its recent five-year review report on the rules as approved by the Governor's Regulatory Review Council on November 7, 2023.		
Comments:	JLindley@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	This meeting was held virtually through Google Meet on August 6, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact the person listed above.		
Close of Record:	August 6, 2025		
Council Date:	December 2, 2025, <u>December Final Files</u> Rule Effective Date: February 1, 2026		

Rule Review Reports

2026 Reports			
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Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter: Article(s):	5, Department of Transportation - Comme2, Motor Carriers	rcial Programs	
Submitted Report:	To be determined		
Due Date:	January 2026	Council Approval Date:	To be determined
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter: Article(s):	5, Department of Transportation - Comme 4, Dealers	rcial Programs	
Submitted Report:	To be determined		
Due Date:	January 2026	Council Approval Date:	To be determined
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Re7, Hazardous Materials Endorsement	egistration, and Driver Licenses	
Article(s): Submitted Report:	To be determined		
Due Date:	June 2026	Council Approval Date:	To be determined
2025 Reports			
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Comme	rcial Programs	
Article(s): Submitted Report:	5, Motor Carrier Financial Responsibility June Final Files: Item E-9		
Due Date:	January 2025	Council Approval Date:	June 3, 2025
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Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Comme		Duna dalama a and 2 1 5 10
Article(s):	6, Ignition Interlock Device Manufacturers Interlock Device Technicians	and Ignition Interlock Service F	Providers and 7, Ignition
Submitted Report:	June Final Files: Item E-10		
Due Date:	January 2025	Council Approval Date:	June 3, 2025

Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Comme	rcial Programs	
Article(s):	9, Transportation Network Companies		
Submitted Report:	October Final Files: Item E-1		0 1 1 7 0005
Due Date:	July 2025	Council Approval Date:	October 7, 2025
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Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Comme	rcial Programs	
Article(s):	3, Professional Driver Services November Final Files: Item E1		
Submitted Report: Due Date:	August 2025	Council Approval Date:	November 4, 2025
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2024 Reports			
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	8, Department of Transportation - Fuel Ta		
Article(s):	4, Electronic Funds Transfers and 5, Electronic Fuel Tax Reporting		
Submitted Report:	June Final Files: Item F-8	Council Ammuouni Date.	luno // 202//
Due Date:	January 2024	Council Approval Date:	June 4, 2024
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	1, Department of Transportation - Adminis		
Article(s):	1, General Provisions; 2, Fees; 3, Taxes; 5 and Sponsorship Program	6, Administrative Hearings; 6, S	folicitation; and 7, Advertising
Submitted Report:	July Final Files: Item F-5		
Due Date:		Council Approval Date:	July 2. 2024
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Report	Five-Year		
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Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	2, Department of Transportation - Aeronal		ation and Managament
Article(s):	1, General Provisions and 2, Grand Canyo August Final Files: Item G-6	ni National Park Airport - Opera	ation and ivianagement
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Report	Five-Year		
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Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	 Department of Transportation - Highway Management of Contractor Bidding; 3, 1 		way Encroschments and
Article(s):	Permits; 7, Highway Beautification; and 9,		
Submitted Report:	February Final Files: Item E-6	5,	
Due Date:		Council Approval Date:	February 4, 2025

Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses		
Article(s):	5, Safety April Final Files: Item E-3		
Submitted Report: Due Date:	November 2024	Council Approval Date:	April 1, 2025
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2023 Reports			
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Re	egistration, and Driver Licenses	
Article(s):	4, Driver Licenses		
Submitted Report:	September Final Files: Item F-5	Council Annuary Date	Santombor 6 2022
Due Date:	January 2023; Extended to May 2023	Council Approval Date:	September 6, 2023
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Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	8, Department of Transportation - Fuel Ta	xes	
Article(s):	6, Motor Fuel Refunds April Final Files: Item D-6		
Submitted Report: Due Date:	January 2023	Council Approval Date:	April 4, 2023
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Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	 Department of Transportation - Oversiz General Provisions; 2, Special Permit C 		
Article(s):	Provisions; and 5, Envelope Permit Speci		quirements, 4, Transport
Submitted Report:	May Final Files: Item E-1		
Due Date:	March 2023	Council Approval Date:	May 2, 2023
Report	Five-Year		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Re		•
Article(s):	1, General Provisions; 2, Vehicle Title; and	d 3, Vehicle Registration	
Submitted Report:	November Final Files: Item D-2 June 2023	Council Approval Date:	November 7, 2023
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Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	7, Department of Transportation - Third-Party Programs 1, Definitions; 2, Authorization; 3, Certification; 4, Audits and Inspection; 6, Commercial Driver License		
Article(s):	Examination Program; and 7, Driver Licen		o, Commercial Driver License
Submitted Report:	November Final Files: Item D-3		
Due Date:	July 2023	Council Approval Date:	November 7, 2023
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Report	One-Year		
Title: Chapter: Article(s):	1, Department of Transportation - Administration		
Submitted Report:	January Final Files: Item D-2		
Due Date:	September 2023	Council Approval Date:	January 3, 2024
Report	One-Year		
Title: Chapter: Article(s):	17, Transportation 3, Department of Transportation - Highway 6, Telecommunication Facilities	ys	
Submitted Report:	June Final Files: Item E-1		
Due Date:	December 2023	Council Approval Date:	June 4, 2024
2022 Reports Report	Five-Year		
Title: Chapter:	17, Transportation 5, Department of Transportation - Comme	rcial Programs	
Article(s):	10, Vehicle for Hire June Final Files: Item E-10		
Submitted Report: Due Date:	February 2022	Council Approval Date:	June 1, 2022
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Report	Five-Year		
Title: Chapter: Article(s):	17, Transportation 5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs 8, Mandatory Insurance and Financial Responsibility		
Submitted Report:	July Final Files: Item E-4		
Due Date:	March 2022	Council Approval Date:	July 6, 2022
Report	Five-Year		

Report	Five-Year		
Title: Chapter: Article(s):		egistration, and Driver Licenses	
Submitted Report:	March Final Files: Item D-5		
Due Date:	December 2022	Council Approval Date:	March 7, 2023