

# DDS UPDATE



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## Topics for Discussion

- ▶ Legislative Update
- ▶ General DDS Information
  - ▶ License Suspension and Revocation
  - ▶ Limited Permits
  - ▶ CDL Disqualifications and other withdrawals
  - ▶ Online Services



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# 2017 LEGISLATIVE UPDATE



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## Legislative Update

### 2017

- ▶ Changed license class required for an auto-cycle from Class M (motorcycle) to Class C (passenger vehicle) (HB 38) (HB 136)
- ▶ Changed exceptions for teens with blind or otherwise disabled parents (HB 136)
- ▶ Autonomous Vehicles (SB 219)
- ▶ Criminal Justice Reform (SB 176)

### 2016

- ▶ Changes to the Administrative License Suspension (ALS) process (HB 205, SB 367)



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## Exceptions for minors with visually or physically impaired parents (HB 136)

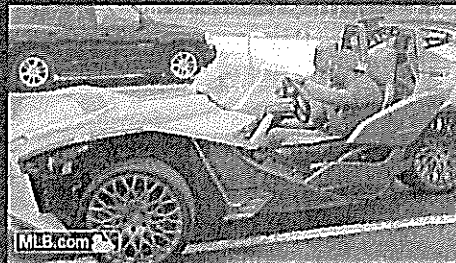
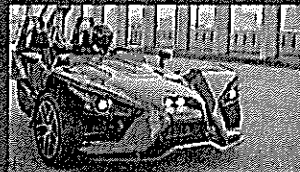
- ▶ O.C.G.A. § 40-5-22
  - Exemption allows for 14 year olds with a parent who is visually or physically impaired to obtain a permit
  - HB 136 removed the requirement for parent to have previously held a license



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## Autocycles (HB 136 and HB 38)

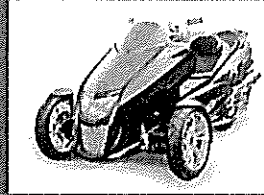
- ▶ Steering Wheel: Class C
  - ▶ expands the type of motor vehicles a person may operate with a Class C driver's license to include three-wheel motor vehicles controlled by a steering wheel
  - ▶ Still registered and tagged as Motorcycle
    - ▶ Helmet required because of registration
    - ▶ New bill allows operation of Autocycle (3 wheeled car) without a Class M license



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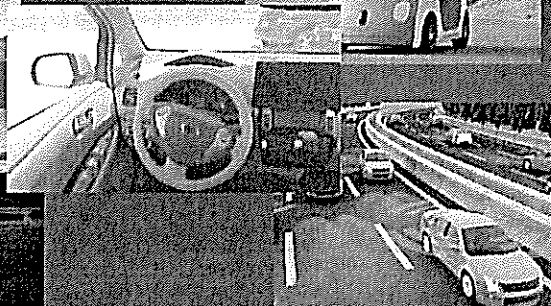
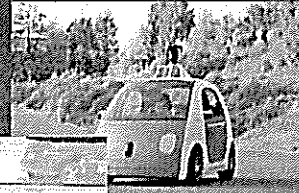
## Autocycles (HB 136 and HB 38)

- ▶ Handle Bars: Class M
  - ▶ Class M (motorcycle) driver's license is required for any three-wheel motor vehicle controlled by handlebars



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## Autonomous Vehicles (SB 219)



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## Autonomous Vehicles (SB 219)

- ▶ Defines "Autonomous Vehicles"
- ▶ 'Fully autonomous vehicle'
  - ▶ equipped with an automated driving system that can perform all aspects of the dynamic driving task
  - ▶ human driver not required (to be present in vehicle)
  - ▶ Registered as "fully autonomous vehicle"
- ▶ Provides for exemptions for Autonomous Vehicles
  - ▶ Persons operating a "fully autonomous vehicle" are exempted from driver's license



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## Autonomous Vehicles (SB 219)

- ▶ Driverless cars
- ▶ Levels 0-5
- ▶ 4 and 5 = no human driver required for operation
- ▶ 3 and below = convenience features, human driver required for operation
  - ▶ Cruise control, automatic deceleration/acceleration
- ▶ Convenience, safety



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## 2017 Criminal Justice Reform Bill (SB 176)

- ▶ Changes relevant to DDS:
  - ▶ Changes to FTA and Bench Warrant procedures in Title 17
  - ▶ Changes to Habitual Violator (HV) and Habitual Violator Probationary License (HVPL) requirements



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## FTA and Bench Warrant Changes (SB 176)

- ▶ O.C.G.A. § 17-6-11:
  - ▶ New procedures must be followed before a court can issue a bench warrant or forward a Failure to Appear to DDS
  - ▶ Before issuing a bench warrant or sending the FTA to DDS the clerk must:
    - ▶ notify the driver by mail
    - ▶ Allow 30 days from date of the notice to resolve the failure to appear
    - ▶ After 30 days court shall forward the DL# to DDS



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## FTA and Bench Warrant Changes (SB 176)

- ▶ New procedures do not apply to mandatories or "Serious Traffic Offenses" in Title 40, Chapter 6:
  - ▶ Reckless Driving, DUI, Vehicular Homicide, Serious Injury by Vehicle, Fleeing, Aggressive Driving
  - ▶ Hit and Run not included (so new rules apply)
- ▶ Deter added punishments for minor offenses
- ▶ Ensure that driver has chance to resolve issues with the court first



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## FTA procedures for DDS

- ▶ No changes
  - Fee to reinstate a suspension remains the same
- ▶ DDS will continue to send notice after receipt from court and allow 28 days to resolve FTA before actual suspension imposed



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# Failure to Appear (FTA)

(§40-5-56, §17-6-11)

## Court Actions

- ▶ Prior to July 1, 2017:
  - ▶ No legal requirement for the court to provide notice of FTA or a "grace period"
- ▶ After July 1, 2017:
  - ▶ (SB 176) Courts must provide 30 days notice for most offenses prior to sending FTA to DDS

## DDS Actions

- ▶ Notice to driver via certified mail
- ▶ Allow 28 days to resolve the FTA with the court before license suspension
- ▶ No reinstatement fee if resolved w/in 28 days or if sent to DDS in error by the court



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# Changes to Habitual Violator Probationary License (HVPL) requirements (SB 176)

- ▶ O.C.G.A. § 40-5-58 (e)(1)(D):

~~Such person has not been convicted, or pleaded not guilty to a charge, of violating any provision of Title 3, relating to alcoholic beverages, or of violating any provision of Chapter 13 of Title 16, relating to controlled substances;~~

- ▶ Prohibition on those convicted of alcohol or drug violations removed

- ▶ ~~Controlled substance, underage alcohol~~



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## 3<sup>rd</sup> in 5 DUI consequences (SB 176)

- ▶ Prior to the changes in SB 176:
  - ▶ Driver convicted of 3<sup>rd</sup> DUI Drugs w/in 5 yrs. subject to five year suspension in O.C.G.A. § 40-5-75 **and** HY revocation
- ▶ SB 176 changed the suspension in O.C.G.A. § 40-5-75 for 3<sup>rd</sup> in 5 DUI Drugs to run concurrent rather than consecutive to other suspensions



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## HB 205 – Overview (2016 Legislation)

- ▶ **Changed the administrative license suspension process for DUI's**
- ▶ Became effective on July 1, 2017
- ▶ Created an option for an ignition interlock device limited permit (IIDLP) during the administrative suspension period for 1<sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI's
- ▶ 1205 temporary driving permit extended to 45 days
- ▶ 30 days to request an OSAH hearing
- ▶ Requesting IIDLP waives right to a hearing
- ▶ 1<sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI (consent) can still choose non-interlock driving permit (30 day permit)



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## Overview of ALS changes

1 <sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI	
Prior to July 1, 2017	On and After July 1, 2017
Issued 30-day permit with 1205	Issued 45-day permit with 1205
10 business days to request OSAH hearing	30 calendar days to request OSAH hearing
2 administrative options	3 administrative options



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## New Administrative Options

1 <sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI	
Prior to July 1, 2017	On and After July 1, 2017
2 administrative options	3 administrative options
1. Request OSAH hearing within 10 days.	1. Request OSAH hearing within <u>30</u> days.
No option available for Ignition interlock device limited permit	2. <u>Waive the right to an appeal by requesting an ignition interlock device limited permit (for a 1<sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI) prior to the effective date of the suspension if age 21 or over.</u>
2. Do nothing (fail to timely appeal) and serve out the required suspension.	3. Do nothing (fail to timely appeal) and serve out the required suspension.



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## Overview of ALS changes

2 <sup>nd</sup> in 5 DUI	
Prior to July 1, 2017	On and After July 1, 2017
Issued 30-day permit with 1205	Issued 45-day permit with 1205
10 days to request OSAH hearing	30 days to request OSAH hearing
Eligible for IIDLP after serving 120 day suspension <i>after</i> conviction.	Eligible for IIDLP after serving 120 day suspension <i>after</i> conviction.



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## Other highlights from HB 205

- ▶ Outlines provisions for Ignition Interlock Limited Permit (IIDLP)
- ▶ Provides for 1/5 DUI's to be eligible for IID limited permit if subject to administrative license suspension
- ▶ Also clearly provides for 2/5 DUI's to be eligible for IID limited permit after serving 120 days of suspension after conviction
- ▶ **Driver who refused and received IIDLP will have to serve out the term on the ignition interlock (12 mths) even if the DUI charge was dismissed or reduced**



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## Other highlights from HB 205

- ▶ Issuance of the IIDLP waives the right to an administrative hearing
- ▶ IIDLP cannot be issued to the following drivers:
  - ▶ Under 21;
  - ▶ Not licensed to drive in Georgia;
  - ▶ Subject to an suspension for involvement in a traffic accident resulting in injuries or fatalities; or
  - ▶ otherwise suspended, revoked, or cancelled
- ▶ If exempted from Ignition Interlock requirement by court waiver for financial hardship then cannot be issued an IIDLP
- ▶ **Misdemeanor to drive in violation of IIDLP**

***MUST have interlock device installed prior to issuance***



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## Changes to DDS 1205

- ▶ 30 days, instead of 10 days, to appeal the proposed suspension
- ▶ 30 days to request an ignition interlock limited driving permit
- ▶ The limited permit given to the driver on the 1205 notice is now 45 days, instead of 30 days
- ▶ Unless appealed, the suspension will be imposed on the 46<sup>th</sup> day



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## DDS Specifics

- ▶ Super Speeder
- ▶ Points
- ▶ Nolo
- ▶ Accountability Courts
- ▶ Amending Convictions
- ▶ DUI's and ALS
- ▶ Limited Driving Permits
- ▶ HV
- ▶ CDL
- ▶ DDS Resources



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## Super Speeder



- 85 mph or more on any road or highway
- 75 mph or more on any two-lane road or highway
- \$200 fee paid to DDS
- ▶ Nolo/zero points order will not avoid fee
- ▶ 90 days to pay fee to DDS to avoid license suspension
- ▶ \$50 reinstatement fee
- ▶ Fees can be paid at [www.dcls.georgia.gov](http://www.dcls.georgia.gov)



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## Points (O.C.G.A. § 40-5-57)

- ▶ 15 or more points w/in 24 month period
- ▶ from the dates of arrests
- ▶ From 6 points to 1 points



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## Points (O.C.G.A. § 40-5-57)

- ▶ 1 year suspension for first assessment
  - ▶ Eligible for early reinstatement after 120 days w/:
  - ▶ Certificate of completion of approved defensive driving course & reinstatement fee (\$200)
- ▶ 3 year suspension for 2<sup>nd</sup> assessment w/in 5 years
  - ▶ Eligible for early reinstatement after 120 days w/:
  - ▶ Certificate of completion of approved defensive driving course & reinstatement fee (\$300)
- ▶ 2 year suspension for 3<sup>rd</sup> assessment w/in 5 years
  - ▶ No early reinstatement option



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## Points (O.C.G.A. § 40-5-57)

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1 point	2 points	3 points	4 points	6 points
child safety restraint (1 <sup>st</sup> )	Speeding (>14 - <19)	Speeding (19 - <24)	Reckless Driving	Aggressive Driving
Wireless device violation	Open container	Disobedience of traffic control device or officer	Improper passing on hill or curve	Unlawful passing of school bus
Texting & Driving	Accident (failure to secure load)	All other moving violations ≠ speeding	Speeding (24 - <34)	Speeding (>34)
	Child Safety restraint (2 <sup>nd</sup> or more)			



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## Reducing or avoiding points

### ▶ *Nolo Contendere*

- ▶ Will not avoid the Super Speeder \$200 fee or a commercial license disqualification

### ▶ Zero-Point Orders

- Complete an approved Defensive Driving Course prior to adjudication for zero points and 20% reduction in the fine - O.C.G.A. § 40-5-57(c)(1)(C)
- Will not avoid the Super Speeder \$200 fee

### ▶ Points Reduction

- ▶ Submit a certificate of completion of an approved Defensive Driving Course to DDS for a reduction of seven (7) points - O.C.G.A. §40-5-86



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## Nolo Contendere Pleas

- ▶ DDS will accept one plea of *nolo contendere* for a moving traffic violation in any five year period without assigning points to the driving record.
- ▶ Subsequent *nolo* pleas will result in the assessment of points against the driving record.
- ▶ The court will determine in which cases it can or cannot, or will or will not, accept a plea of *nolo contendere*.



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## Nolo Contendere Pleas (cont'd)

- ▶ DDS will accept one plea of *nolo contendere* for each of the following offenses in any five year period without suspending the license:
  - Driving on a Suspended or Revoked License (40-5-121)
  - No Insurance or No Proof of Insurance (40-6-10)
  - Suspended Tag/Registration (offenses after July 1, 2015)
- ▶ Subsequent convictions within 5 years will result in the suspension of the driver's license.



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## Accountability Courts

### O.C.G.A. § 40-5-76 (a)

- ▶ Drug, mental health, veterans, DUI courts
- ▶ Judges in these courts can order the reinstatement of a 40-5-75 suspension (DUI drugs) or order a limited driving permit be issued
- ▶ Limited permit conditions in O.C.G.A. § 40-5-64 or whatever conditions the court determines to be appropriate
- ▶ The Court can determine fees as long as fee not more than normal fee



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## O.C.G.A. § 40-5-76

### General Considerations

- ▶ Court can set fees for the limited permit or restoration.
- ▶ O.C.G.A. § 40-5-76 does not allow courts to waive statutory requirements for DUI Risk Reduction or Ignition Interlock in cases where a limited permit is issued.
- ▶ O.C.G.A. § 40-5-76 does not apply to revocations or cancellations because revocations, cancellations, and suspensions are separately defined in O.C.G.A. § 40-5-1.
  - ▶ Only suspensions are referenced in O.C.G.A. § 40-5-76.
- ▶ DDS cannot issue a limited permit to a driver without license.
- ▶ Actions pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 40-5-76 will NOT affect CDL disqualifications.



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## Amending Traffic Convictions

- ▶ Court has unlimited discretion w/in 90 days of conviction
- ▶ After 90 days: motion, notice to prosecutor, hearing
  - ▶ strict compliance with O.C.G.A. § 40-13-32
- ▶ Restrictions do not apply to correction of typographical clerical errors on sentence
  - ▶ DS-1195 Court Correction Form
- ▶ Must make all challenges to traffic convictions within 180 days

*"Any challenge to a traffic conviction must be made within 180 days of the date the conviction becomes final, and the failure to do so divests the court of jurisdiction."*

*Jeter v. State, 269 Ga. App. 266, 266 (2004)*



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## Driving Under the Influence (DUI)

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Criminal Consequences	Administrative Consequences
Criminal Court	DDS/OSAH
10 year window (1/10, 2/10, 3/10...)	5 year window (1/5, 2/5, 3/5...)
Sentence	Suspension period
Confinement	Limited Driving Permit Eligibility
Fine	Ignition Interlock Requirement
Community Service	
Clinical Evaluation	



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## Administrative License Suspensions

Consent to State Chemical Test	Refusal of State Chemical Test
30 day suspension	12 month suspension
Eligible for non-interlock permit	Not eligible for non-interlock permit
Eligible for interlock permit (for 1 <sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI)	<u>Only</u> eligible for Interlock permit (for 1 <sup>st</sup> in 5 DUI)
Must request OSAH hearing w/in 30 calendar days or right to hearing will be waived	Must request OSAH hearing w/in 30 calendar days or right to hearing will be waived
Suspension removed if DUI ends in acquittal or reduction	Suspension removed if DUI ends in acquittal or reduction <u>unless</u> driver has obtained interlock permit
Interlock permit period = 4 months	Interlock permit period = 12 months



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## Limited Driving Permits

- ▶ Non-Interlock (O.C.G.A. § 40-5-64)
- ▶ Interlock (O.C.G.A. § 40-5-64.1)



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## Limited Driving Permits (LDP) O.C.G.A. § 40-5-64 (non-interlock)

- ▶ Who is eligible? Persons convicted of the following:
  - School related suspension
  - Points accumulation suspension (1<sup>st</sup> in 5 years)
  - Mandatory offenses and DUI (1<sup>st</sup> in 5 years)
  - Administrative License Suspension, consent (1<sup>st</sup> in 5 years)
  - Speeding if 18 years of age or older, and 24-33 mph over posted speed limit, and approved by the Judge



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## Limited Driving Permits (LDP) O.C.G.A. § 40-5-64 (non-interlock)

- ▶ \$25 permit fee (same for Interlock Permit)
- ▶ Shall become invalid:
  - ▶ Upon the driver's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday (school suspension),
  - ▶ Upon the expiration of one year following issuance (mandatory suspension, points suspension, or DUI),
  - ▶ Upon the expiration of 30 days for an administrative license suspension (40-5-67.2),
  - ▶ Upon the expiration of six, eight, twelve months following proof of installation of an Ignition Interlock device, or
    - Reinstatement of the driver's license.
- ▶ Renewable for a fee of \$5 until eligible for license reinstatement.



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## Limited Driving Permits (LDP)

### O.C.G.A. § 40-5-64 (non-interlock)

- ▶ The permit allows the driver to:
  - Go to his/her place of employment,
  - Receive medical care or obtain prescription drugs,
  - Attend college or school if enrolled as a student,
  - Attend meetings at support organizations for addiction or abuse relating to alcohol or drugs,
  - Attend court-ordered driver education or alcohol or drug programs,
  - Attending court, reporting to probation, and performing community service, and
  - Transporting an unlicensed immediate family member for work, medical care, prescriptions, or to school.
  - Attending an accountability court program (HB 205 from 2016 Legis. Session)



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## Revocation of Limited Driving Permit

- ▶ Conviction of violating ANY state law or local ordinance relating to the movement of vehicles
  - Including a seat belt violation
- ▶ Conviction of violating the conditions endorsed on the permit
- ▶ If the permit is revoked:
  - ▶ not eligible to apply for reinstatement for 6 months,
  - an additional six (6) month suspension may be imposed.



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## Ignition Interlock Limited Permit

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- ▶ Who is eligible?
  - ▶ Over 21 years of age;
  - ▶ currently licensed to operate a motor vehicle in GA;
  - ▶ Cannot hold CDL while driving on interlock permit
  - ▶ License cannot be subject to an administrative suspension for involvement in a traffic accident resulting in injuries or fatalities
  - ▶ Cannot be otherwise subject to license cancellation, suspension, revocation



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## Ignition Interlock Limited Permit

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- ▶ Who's eligible?
  - ▶ Not previously convicted of DUI w/in previous 5 years (consent or refusal)
  - ▶ If previously convicted of DUI w/in previous 5 years:
    - ▶ Not eligible until served 120 days of suspension after conviction



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## Ignition Interlock Limited Permit

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- ▶ Requirements for issuance
  - ▶ Request w/in 30 calendar days of 1205 notice
  - ▶ CDL license is downgraded
  - ▶ For 2<sup>nd</sup> conviction within 5 years the following is required:
    - ▶ submission of a certificate of eligibility from an accountability court; or
    - ▶ submission of proof of enrollment in a substance abuse treatment program
  - ▶ No issuance if financial hardship waiver has been granted



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## Ignition Interlock Limited Permit

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- ▶ Employment/work
- ▶ Medical care or obtaining prescription drugs;
- ▶ Attending a college or school
- ▶ Attending regularly scheduled sessions or meetings of treatment support organizations
- ▶ Attending court-ordered driver education or improvement school or alcohol or drug program or course
- ▶ Attending court, reporting to probation officer, or performing community service;
- ▶ Transporting an unlicensed immediate family member for work, medical care, prescriptions, or school;
- ▶ Attending accountability court program, event, treatment, or activity ignition interlock monitoring visits
- ▶ Ignition Interlock Monitoring



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## Revocation of Ignition Interlock Limited Driving Permit

- ▶ Permit revoked if
  - ▶ Convicted of violating ANY state law or local ordinance relating to the movement of vehicles
  - ▶ Convicted of violating permit restrictions (misdemeanor)
  - ▶ Failed to attend or complete substance abuse treatment program (if completion is requirement for reinstatement)
  - ▶ Noticed from Interlock provider that an Ignition Interlock device has been tampered with, a permittee has failed to report for monitoring, or an Ignition Interlock device has been removed prior to completion of term
- ▶ If the permit is revoked:
  - ▶ not eligible to apply for reinstatement for 6 months
  - ▶ an additional six (6) month suspension may be imposed



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## Ignition Interlock Waiver

- O.C.G.A. § 42-8-111
- Court-ordered by sentencing court
- ONLY for undue financial hardship beyond the time limits of the original sentence/term of probation
- Can be granted at time of sentence or ANY time thereafter
  - Exempt from the subject matter jurisdiction limitations of O.C.G.A. § 40-13-32 and 40-13-33
- If granted driver is not eligible for a limited driving permit or any other driving privilege for one year



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## Habitual Violator (O.C.G.A. § 40-5-58)

- Convictions and/or *nolo* pleas to any 3 of the listed violations within a 5 year period (Measured from dates of arrests)
- License revoked for a period of five (5) years
- Eligible for HVPL after 2 years under certain conditions
- Single incident or separate incidents:

Homicide by vehicle	Suspended, revoked, or cancelled mv registration
Felony in the commission of which a mv is used	DUI, (including DUI) Child Endangerment
Hit and Run (Leaving the scene)	Felicide by vehicle
Racing	Serious injury by vehicle
Fleeing and attempting to elude	



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## Effect of Appeal of Conviction

- ▶ A notice of appeal does not stay a license suspension or revocation.
- ▶ The court must still report the conviction, and DDS will take whatever withdrawal is required, if any
- ▶ Surrender of the driver's license is not a part of the criminal sentence
  - ▶ *Wells v. State*, 212 Ga. App. 15 (1994).



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## Suspended Licenses (notice)

- ▶ Proof of actual notice of a license suspension is only required for the following suspensions:
  - ALS or implied consent
  - Failure to appear (pre-January 1, 2010)
  - Child support
  - School suspensions (prior to July 1, 2015)
  - Safety responsibility
  - Insurance cancellation (no new insurance cancellation suspensions were imposed after October 2002)
- ▶ All other suspensions are imposed by operation of law.



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## Commercial Driving Disqualifications

- ▶ Commercial driving privilege is separate from non-commercial driving privilege.
- ▶ CDL penalties are based upon requirements in federal law, 49 C.F.R. §383.51.
- ▶ Georgia law imposes commercial penalties on all drivers, even without CDL.
- ▶ Unless specified, penalties apply even if driver is not in commercial vehicle.
- ▶ Neither a *nolo* plea nor first offender treatment will avoid commercial driving disqualification.



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## Commercial Driving Disqualifications

- ▶ Commercial disqualifications are generally triggered by traffic-related offenses. These offenses (and the corresponding disqualifications) are divided into 4 distinct categories:
  - ▶ **Major Traffic Violations**
  - ▶ **Serious Traffic Violations**
  - ▶ **Out-of-Service Order Violations**
  - ▶ **Railroad Grade Crossing Violations**
- ▶ Reference §40-5-142 and §40-5-151



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## Resources at DDS

- ▶ Online Services
- ▶ Check License Status
- ▶ Forms and Manuals
- ▶ [www.dds.georgia.gov](http://www.dds.georgia.gov)
- ▶ [www.legis.ga.gov](http://www.legis.ga.gov)
  - ▶ For legislation



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# Online Services

- ▶ Access driving record
- ▶ Pay reinstatement fees
- ▶ Order replacement licenses
- ▶ Renew



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## Important Information

You must know:

- ▶ Your driver's license number
- ▶ DOB
- ▶ Other information from your driver's license to create a DDS online account.



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## Access Driving Records

- ▶ **DDS customers can access suspension and reinstatement information**
- ▶ **Access to detailed information regarding their license suspension including court and citation information.**



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### Example of Detailed Report

The information now available online includes personalized reinstatement information including any citation number(s) and court information associated with the customer.

#### Cleared Suspensions(s)

Description: IDOL-PAY CANCELLATION  
 Court: UNKID-11  
 Citation #: 40002300499  
 Violation Date: 07/04/2010  
 Suspension Effective Date: 03/10/2010

[View Details](#)  
 Fee(s) Owed: \$10.00 Reinstat

Description: CHILD SUPPORT CHR  
 Court: G-CHR - GA DEPARTMENT HUMAN RESOURCES  
 Citation #: 000000000  
 Violation Date: 05/11/2010  
 Suspension Effective Date: 05/02/2010

[View Details](#)  
 Fee(s) Owed: \$20.00 Reinstat

Description: CHILD SUPPORT CHR  
 Court: G-CHR - GA DEPARTMENT HUMAN RESOURCES  
 Citation #: 000000000  
 Violation Date: 05/11/2010  
 Suspension Effective Date: 05/02/2010

[View Details](#)  
 Fee(s) Owed: \$20.00 Reinstat

#### Cleared Suspensions(s)

\* Suspensions cleared within the last three years.  
 Suspension Type: FAILURE TO APPEAR  
 Court: AL010002 - COURT CLERK  
 Citation #: 50000400  
 Violation Date: 12/09/2009

\* Call DDS Contact Center at (404) 657-9300 to find out about suspensions not listed on this page



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## Pending suspensions

Welcome Allocation Cody Stewart

[My Profile](#)
[Logout](#)

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**Driver Information**

Driver Status: Valid

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Real ID Compliant: Yes Points: 0

Address on License: Existing Fees: \$0.00

2205 Eastview Pkwy, Conyers, GA, 30613-6755

**License Information**

License No.: [REDACTED]

License Class: C Expiration Date: 9/16/2020

License Type: Regular

**My Messages**

[Mr Alanst11](#)

This license is suspended/revoked or expired and cannot be renewed/ replaced or updated until you are reinstated [View/ Pay Suspension/ Reinstatement](#)

**Need More Help?**

Unable to complete your request? Please visit your nearest DDS Customer Service Center.

**License/ID/Permit Services**

- Address Change
- Lost or Stolen Replacement
- Replace after Reinstat
- Renewal
- Order an ID Card

**Other Services**

- Purchase Motor Vehicle Report
- View/ Pay Suspension/ Reinstatement
- Order Status History
- Driver Training & Risk Reduction Certificates
- Patient ADAP Course Done/ Free 3Yr Non CERT MVR
- For-Hire Driver Endorsement Application



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## Other Services

- ▶ Customers may request a new driver's license or replacement license
- ▶ Pay any fees and reinstate driving privileges online.
- ▶ Some services may still require trip to CSC but online services can shorten the wait at the CSC



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## Check License Status

- ▶ <https://online.dds.georgia.gov/DLStatus>
- ▶ (404) 657-9300
- ▶ Valid only for licenses issued by the state of Georgia



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## Forms and Manuals

- ▶ [www.dds.georgia.gov](http://www.dds.georgia.gov)
- ▶ Click on "Driver's Info" then "Forms and Manuals"
  - ▶ Commercial Driver's Manual, Driver's Manual, Motorcycle Operator Manual, Parent/Teen Driving Guide
- ▶ Forms for Public Use (examples)
  - ▶ Application for Reinstatement of Controlled Substance Suspension
  - ▶ Request for Driver Evaluation
  - ▶ CDL Vision Exemption
  - ▶ Medical Report



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## Resources at [www.dds.georgia.gov](http://www.dds.georgia.gov)

- ▶ Click on "Business Partners"
  - ▶ Monthly Traffic Convictions Reported by Court
  - ▶ Court Bulletin
    - ▶ GECPS reporting information and tutorial
    - ▶ Legislative updates
    - ▶ PowerPoint presentations on conviction reporting
    - ▶ Reportable violations list
    - ▶ Suspension "cheat sheet"
    - ▶ Nolo "cheat sheet"
    - ▶ Traffic Court Reference Manual



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# Questions ???

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