

**CHAPTER 20
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See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

Chapter Expiration Date

Chapter 20, Enforcement Service, expires on June 8, 2011.

Chapter Historical Note

Chapter 20, Enforcement Service, was adopted and became effective prior to September 1, 1969.

Subchapter 26, Self-Inspection of Certain Classes of Motor Vehicles, was adopted as new rules by R.1970 d.132, effective November 2, 1970. See: 2 N.J.R. 85(d), 2 N.J.R. 101(d).

Subchapter 27 was adopted as new rules by R.1971 d.86, effective June 1, 1971. See: 3 N.J.R. 84(a), 3 N.J.R. 136(d).

Subchapter 28, Inspection of New Motor Vehicles, was adopted as new rules by R.1971 d.144, effective October 1, 1971. See: 3 N.J.R. 112(a), 3 N.J.R. 181(a). Subchapter 28 was amended by R.1971 d.222, effective December 10, 1971. See: 3 N.J.R. 226(a), 4 N.J.R. 10(c).

Subchapter 29, Mobile Inspection Unit, was adopted as new rules by R.1972 d.106, effective June 1, 1972. See: 4 N.J.R. 105(b), 4 N.J.R. 165(b).

Subchapter 30, Supplemental Inspection of School Buses, was adopted as new rules by R.1972 d.154, effective August 7, 1972. See: 4 N.J.R. 163(a), 4 N.J.R. 223(b).

Subchapter 31, Alcohol Countermeasures Regulations, was adopted as new rules by R.1972 d.255, effective December 15, 1972. See: 4 N.J.R. 273(a), 5 N.J.R. 18(c).

Subchapter 32, Motor Vehicle Reinspection Centers, was adopted as new rules by R.1975 d.333, effective November 3, 1975. See: 7 N.J.R. 433(b), 7 N.J.R. 570(c).

Subchapter 33, Enforcement Service: Standards and Procedures To Be Used By Licensed Reinspection Centers, was adopted as new rules by R.1975 d.334, effective November 3, 1975. See: 7 N.J.R. 469(d), 7 N.J.R. 570(d).

Subchapter 34, Identifying Marks, was adopted as new rules by R.1976 d.302, effective September 24, 1976. See: 8 N.J.R. 400(b), 8 N.J.R. 532(a).

Subchapter 35, Inspection of State-Owned Vehicles by the Central Motor Pool, was adopted as new rules by R.1977 d.480, effective December 21, 1977. See: 9 N.J.R. 486(b), 10 N.J.R. 71(c).

Subchapter 31, Alcohol Countermeasures Regulations, was amended by R.1979 d.4, effective January 8, 1979. See: 10 N.J.R. 508(a), 11 N.J.R. 78(b).

Subchapter 28, Inspection of New Motor Vehicles, was amended by R.1980 d.345, effective August 5, 1980. See: 12 N.J.R. 280(c), 12 N.J.R. 551(c).

Subchapter 36, Special National Guard Plates, was adopted as new rules by R.1981 d.31, effective January 28, 1981. See: 12 N.J.R. 427(a), 13 N.J.R. 150(e).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Subchapter 31, Alcohol Countermeasures Regulations, was readopted as R.1984 d.7, effective January 4, 1984. See: 15 N.J.R. 1923(a), 16 N.J.R. 247(b).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Subchapter 33, Enforcement Service: Standards and Procedures To Be Used By Licensed Reinspection Centers, was readopted as R.1984 d.173, effective April 25, 1984. See: 16 N.J.R. 503(a), 16 N.J.R. 1280(d).

Subchapter 12, Accident Prevention Clinic, was adopted as new rules by R.1984 d.492, effective October 16, 1984. See: 16 N.J.R. 2347(a), 16 N.J.R. 3054(b).

Subchapter 28, Inspection of New Motor Vehicles, was amended by R.1984 d.622, effective January 21, 1985 (operative July 1, 1985). See: 16 N.J.R. 2500(a), 17 N.J.R. 203(a).

Subchapter 38, Dimensional Standards for Automobile Transporters, was adopted as new rules by R.1985 d.23, effective February 4, 1985. See: 16 N.J.R. 3176(a), 17 N.J.R. 313(b).

Subchapter 37, Standards for Motor Vehicles with Modified Chassis Height, was adopted as new rules by R.1985 d.100, effective March 4, 1985. See: 16 N.J.R. 2501(a), 17 N.J.R. 603(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Subchapter 28, Inspection of New Motor Vehicles, was adopted as new rules by R.1985 d.379, effective June 27, 1985. See: 17 N.J.R. 1059(a), 17 N.J.R. 1901(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Subchapter 36, Special National Guard Plates, was readopted as R.1985 d.678, effective December 18, 1985. See: 17 N.J.R. 2602(a), 18 N.J.R. 203(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Subchapter 25, Safety Glazing Material; Other Equipment, expired on January 16, 1986, and Subchapter 25, Safety Glazing Material, was adopted as new rules by R.1986 d.80, effective April 7, 1986. See: 18 N.J.R. 47(a), 18 N.J.R. 703(a).

Subchapter 39, Special Registration Plates for Non-Profit Organizations, was adopted as new rules by R.1988 d.537, effective November 7, 1988. See: 20 N.J.R. 2033(a), 20 N.J.R. 2788(a).

Pursuant to P.L. 1984, c.243 (N.J.S.A. 26:2B-9.1), Subchapter 31, Alcohol Countermeasures Regulations, was recodified to N.J.A.C. 8:66-1. See: 21 N.J.R. 70(a).

Subchapter 1, Enforcement Officer, was repealed by R.1989 d.518, effective October 2, 1989. See: 21 N.J.R. 1500(b), 21 N.J.R. 3176(a).

Subchapter 3, Identification Lights, was repealed and recodified as new rules at N.J.A.C. 13:24-5 by R.1989 d.542, effective October 16, 1989. See: 21 N.J.R. 2460(a), 21 N.J.R. 3299(c).

Subchapter 40, Reflectorized Registration Plates, was adopted as new rules by R.1990 d.322, effective June 18, 1990. See: 22 N.J.R. 1230(b), 22 N.J.R. 1940(b).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Subchapter 10, Automatic Vehicle Identification Systems, was readopted as R.1990 d.491, effective October 1, 1990. See: 22 N.J.R. 2133(a), 22 N.J.R. 3151(b).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 20, Enforcement Service, was readopted as R.1991 d.20, effective December 13, 1990. See: 22 N.J.R. 3307(a), 23 N.J.R. 207(b).

Subchapter 31, Private Inspection Center Licensing, was adopted as new rules by R.1991 d.253, effective May 6, 1991. See: 23 N.J.R. 387(a), 23 N.J.R. 1417(b).

Subchapter 41, Persian Gulf War Commemorative License Plates, was adopted as new rules by R.1992 d.20, effective January 6, 1992. See: 23 N.J.R. 2916(a), 24 N.J.R. 108(a).

Subchapter 42, Purple Heart Emblems on License Plates, was adopted as new rules by R.1992 d.168, effective April 6, 1992. See: 24 N.J.R. 219(a), 24 N.J.R. 1365(a).

Subchapter 43, Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program, Subchapter 44, Private Inspection Facility Licensing, and Subchapter 45, Motor Vehicle Emission Repair Facility Registration, were adopted as emergency new rules by R.1995 d.410, effective June 29, 1995 (expires August 28, 1995). See: 27 N.J.R. 2777(a). The concurrent proposal of Subchapters 43, 44 and 45 was adopted as R.1995 d.528, effective August 28, 1995. See: 27 N.J.R. 3820(a).

Subchapter 31, Private Inspection Center Licensing, was repealed by R.1995 d.664, effective December 18, 1995. See: 27 N.J.R. 3911(a), 27 N.J.R. 5033(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 20, Enforcement Service, was readopted effective December 13, 1995, and Subchapter 2, Vehicle Construction, Subchapter 8, Motor Vehicles Transporting Flammable Liquids, Subchapter 11, School Bus Warning Lamps, Subchapter 16, Concrete Ready-Mix Transit Vehicles, Subchapter 18, Flashing Warning Signals, Subchapter 19, Seat Belts, Subchapter 20, New Tires, Subchapter 21, Retread Tires, Subchapter 23, Fastening Loads on Commercial Flat Bed Vehicles, and Subchapter 41, Persian Gulf War Commemorative License Plates, were repealed effective January 16, 1996 by R.1996 d.28. See: 27 N.J.R. 4140(a), 28 N.J.R. 272(a).

Subchapter 46, Diesel Emission Inspection and Maintenance Program, was adopted as new rules, and Subchapter 47, Diesel Emission Inspection Center Licensing, was adopted as new rules by R.1997 d.392, effective September 15, 1997. See: 29 N.J.R. 1264(a), 29 N.J.R. 4149(a).

Subchapter 48, Inspection Standards and Test Procedures to be Used by Licensed Diesel Emission Inspection Centers, was adopted as new rules by R.1998 d.310, effective June 15, 1998. See: 30 N.J.R. 990(a), 30 N.J.R. 2262(b).

Subchapter 32, Motor Vehicle Reinspection Centers, was repealed and Subchapter 32, Inspection Standards and Test Procedures to be Used by Official Inspection Facilities, was adopted as new rules, Subchapter 33, Enforcement Service: Standards and Procedures to be Used by Licensed Reinspection Centers, was repealed and Subchapter 33, Inspection Standards and Test Procedures to be Used by Licensed Private Inspection Facilities, was adopted as new rules by R.1999 d.422, effective December 6, 1999. See: 31 N.J.R. 2466(a), 31 N.J.R. 4078(a).

Subchapter 41, Silver Star Insignias on License Plates, was adopted as new rules by R.2000 d.72, effective February 22, 2000. See: 31 N.J.R. 4223(b), 32 N.J.R. 711(b).

N.J.A.C. 13:20-49C.5, Capacity, Subchapter 49, Standards for School Buses Manufactured July 1985 through May 1993, Subchapter 49 Appendix, Subchapter 49A, Standards for Buses Used for Pupil Transportation Manufactured June, 1993 or Thereafter, Subchapter 49B, Chassis Standards, Subchapter 49C, Body Standards, Subchapter 49D, Specially Equipped School Bus Standards, 13:20-49E, Use of Vehicles as School Buses under the Jurisdiction of the Department of Transportation, Subchapter 49F, Small Vehicle Standards, Subchapter 49G, Inspection, Subchapter 49H, Insurance, were recodified from N.J.A.C. 6:21-4.1, Capacity, N.J.A.C. 6:21-5, Standards for School Buses Manufactured July 1985 through May 1993, N.J.A.C. 6:21 Appendix, N.J.A.C. 6:21-6, Standards for Buses used For Pupil Transportation Manufactured June, 1993 or Thereafter, N.J.A.C. 6:21-6A, Chassis Standards, N.J.A.C. 6:21-6B, Body Standards, N.J.A.C. 6:21-6C, Specially Equipped School Bus Standards, N.J.A.C. 6:21-8, Use of Vehicles as School Buses under the Jurisdiction of the Department of Transportation, N.J.A.C. 6:21-9, Small Vehicle Standards, N.J.A.C. 6:21-18, Inspection, and N.J.A.C. 6:21-17, Insurance, respectively, by administrative change. See: 32 N.J.R. 3090(a).

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 66(1978), Chapter 20, Enforcement Service, was readopted by R. 2001 d.20, effective December 13, 2000, and Subchapter 40, ReflectORIZED Registration Plates, was repealed by R.2001 d.20, effective January 16, 2001. See: 32 N.J.R. 3720(a), 33 N.J.R. 269(a). See, also, section annotations.

Subchapter 1, Standards and Specifications Governing the Types of Sun-Screening Materials and Products that May Be Installed or Applied to Windshields and Front Side Windows of Motor Vehicles for which

Medical Exemption Certificates have been Issued; Standards Governing the Issuance of Medical Exemption Certificates; and Subchapter 2, Registration of Facilities that Install or Apply Approved Sun-Screening Materials and Products to Windshields and Front Side Windows of Motor Vehicles for which Medical Exemption Certificates have been Issued, were adopted as new rules by R.2001 d.341, effective September 17, 2001. See: 33 N.J.R. 2450(a), 33 N.J.R. 3343(a).

Subchapter 31, School Bus Enhanced Safety Inspection Out-of-Service Criteria; Subchapter 51, Standards for Type S School Buses; Subchapter 52, Insurance; Subchapter 53, Standards for Alternatively Fueled School Buses; Subchapter 53A, Standards for School Buses Having Fuel Systems Using Liquefied Petroleum Gas; Subchapter 53B, Standards for School Buses Having Fuel Systems Using Compressed Natural Gas; and Subchapter 53C, Standards for School Buses Having Fuel Systems Using Liquefied Natural Gas, were adopted as new rules by R.2003 d.36, effective January 21, 2003. See: 34 N.J.R. 829(a), 35 N.J.R. 450(a).

Subchapter 49F, Small Vehicle Standards, was repealed by R.2003 d.36, effective January 21, 2003. See: 34 N.J.R. 829(a), 35 N.J.R. 450(a).

Subchapter 27, Inspection of New Heavy-Duty Diesel Trucks, was adopted as new rules by R.2004 d.133, effective April 5, 2004. See: 35 N.J.R. 2575(a), 36 N.J.R. 1821(a).

Subchapter 8, Penalty Reduction for Non-Out-Of-Service Equipment Violations, was adopted as new rules by R.2004 d.207, effective June 7, 2004. See: 36 N.J.R. 2789(b).

Subchapter 50, Standards for School Buses Manufactured January 2006 and Thereafter; Subchapter 50A, Chassis Standards for School Buses Manufactured January 2006 and Thereafter; Subchapter 50B, Body Standards for School Buses Manufactured January 2006 and Thereafter; and Subchapter 50C, Standards for Specially Equipped School Buses Manufactured January 2006 and Thereafter, were adopted as new rules by R.2005 d.24, effective January 18, 2005. See: 35 N.J.R. 5483(a), 37 N.J.R. 321(a).

Subchapter 49G, Inspection, was repealed by R.2005 d.24, effective January 18, 2005. See: 35 N.J.R. 5483(a), 37 N.J.R. 321(a).

Chapter 20, Enforcement Service, was readopted by R.2006 d.249, effective June 8, 2006. See: Source and Effective Date. See, also, section annotations.

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SUBCHAPTER 1. STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS GOVERNING THE TYPES OF SUN-SCREENING MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS THAT MAY BE INSTALLED OR APPLIED TO WINDSHIELDS AND FRONT SIDE WINDOWS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR WHICH MEDICAL EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES HAVE BEEN ISSUED; STANDARDS GOVERNING THE ISSUANCE OF MEDICAL EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES

13:20-1.1 Definitions

The following words and terms, when used in this subchapter, shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

“Action spectra” means those portions of the electromagnetic spectrum, such as UVA, UVB, near UV, and visible light, which elicit an adverse medical condition as specified in N.J.S.A. 39:3-75.1 and this subchapter.

“AS-1 line” means the mark at the edge of a sheet of glazing material that delineates the area of the windshield requisite for driving visibility and indicates that portion of the sheet of glazing material having a luminous transmittance of not less than 70 percent.

“Chief Administrator” means the Chief Administrator of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission.

“Clear film” means a material that, when applied over factory-installed glazing, has a neutral gray appearance.

“Motor Vehicle Commission” or “Commission” means the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission established by section 4 of P.L. 2003, c. 13 (N.J.S.A. 39:2A-4).

“Near UV” means the portion of the visible electromagnetic spectrum that appears violet to blue in color, having wavelengths that range from 400 nanometers to 492 nanometers.

“Optical properties” means the percentage of visible light and/or UV transmittance, visible light reflection, and other parameters of approved sun-screening materials and products as supplied by the manufacturer and installed or applied by registered sun-screening material installation facilities.

“Reflectance” means the percentage of visible light reflected by the sun-screening material or product.

“Tinted film” means a material of any color that is applied over factory-installed glazing.

“Transmittance” means the percentage of visible light and/or UV radiation that passes through a sun-screening material or product and the factory-installed glazing to which it is attached.

“Ultraviolet” or “UV” means the ultraviolet portion of the electromagnetic spectrum, having wavelengths that range from 290 nanometers to 400 nanometers.

“UVA” means the portion of the UV spectrum that ranges from 320 nanometers to 400 nanometers in wavelength.

“UVB” means the portion of the UV spectrum that ranges from 290 nanometers to 320 nanometers in wavelength.

“Visible light” means that portion of the electromagnetic spectrum that is directly observable, having wavelengths that range from 400 nanometers to 760 nanometers with a corresponding appearance of violet to red in color.

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Added definitions “Chief Administrator” and “Motor Vehicle Commission”; and deleted definitions “Director” and “Division”.

13:20-1.2 Light transmittance standard; motor vehicle windshield and front side windows

(a) Sun-screening materials and products shall not be installed or applied to the windshield of a motor vehicle which, in conjunction with factory-installed glazing, reduce the transmittance of normally incident visible light below 70 percent.

(b) Notwithstanding (a) above, sun-screening materials and products may be installed or applied to that portion of the windshield of a motor vehicle above the AS-1 line which, in conjunction with factory-installed glazing, reduce the transmittance of normally incident visible light below 70 percent.

(c) Sun-screening materials and products shall not be installed or applied to the front side window(s) of a motor vehicle which, in conjunction with factory-installed glazing, reduce the transmittance of normally incident visible light below 60 percent.

(d) Notwithstanding (c) above, the owner or lessee of a motor vehicle for which a medical exemption certificate has been issued pursuant to this subchapter may affix readily removable sun-screening materials and products to the uppermost six-inch portion of the front side window(s) of such motor vehicle during the hours between sunrise and sunset; provided, however, that such readily removable sun-screening materials and products shall not, in conjunction with factory-installed glazing, reduce the transmittance of normally incident visible light below 35 percent.

13:20-1.3 Visible light reflectance standard; motor vehicle windshield and front side windows

The visible light reflectance of sun-screening materials and products installed or applied to the windshield and/or the front side window(s) of a motor vehicle shall not exceed eight percent.

13:20-1.4 Sun-screening materials or products; color

(a) Sun-screening materials or products that are installed or applied to the windshield of a motor vehicle shall be a clear film.

(b) Sun-screening materials or products that are installed or applied to the front side window(s) of a motor vehicle shall be either a clear film or a tinted film.

13:20-1.5 Medical exemption certificate application procedure; application contents

(a) The owner or lessee of a motor vehicle that is driven by or is used to regularly transport a person who has a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity, including, but not limited to, the medical conditions specified in N.J.S.A. 39:3-75.1, chronic actinic dermatitis, photosensitive eczema, and skin cancers having an associated diagnosis of chronic actinic dermatitis, may apply to the Chief Administrator for a medical exemption certificate to have the windshield and/or the front side window(s) of such motor vehicle covered by or treated with a material or product that increases its visible light reflectance or reduces its light transmittance.

(b) An applicant for a medical exemption certificate pursuant to this subchapter shall set forth the following information on an application form prescribed by the Motor Vehicle Commission:

1. The name, address, and driver license number of the person who has a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity; and
2. The make, model, year, registration plate number, and vehicle identification number of the vehicle on which the sun-screening material or product is to be installed or applied.

(c) An applicant for a medical exemption certificate pursuant to this subchapter shall, upon complying with (b) above, submit the application to a certified ophthalmologist or a physician with a plenary license to practice medicine and surgery in this State or a bordering state for completion.

(d) The ophthalmologist or physician referred to in (c) above shall certify in writing on the application that the person for whom the application is being submitted has a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity, and shall specify such medical condition and the recommended treatment therefor. The written certification shall also include the specific wavelength or action spectra of light to which the patient is photosensitive. For medical conditions involving dermatological photosensitivity, certification of photo-testing, using specific wavelengths of artificially generated photo-radiation to test skin for the radiation wavelengths that elicit a photo-reaction, shall be submitted with the application so as to enable the Chief Administrator to determine the type and application of sun-screening materials

and products that may be permitted to be installed or applied to the motor vehicle windshield and/or the front side window(s). The ophthalmologist or physician shall also set forth on the application his or her name, business address, medical license number, state of licensure, and date of licensure.

(e) Upon completion of the application for a medical exemption certificate in accordance with (a) through (d) above, the application shall be submitted by the applicant to the Motor Vehicle Commission for issuance of the medical exemption certificate.

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See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

In (a) and (d), substituted "Chief Administrator" for "Director", and in (b) and (e), substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission" for "Division".

13:20-1.6 Medical exemption certificate; period of validity; renewal; certificate void upon sale or termination of lease of motor vehicle; removal of sun-screening materials or products prior to sale or termination of lease of motor vehicle

(a) A medical exemption certificate shall be issued for a motor vehicle upon the owner's or lessee's compliance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-1.5.

(b) A medical exemption certificate shall be valid for a period of 48 months.

(c) The owner or lessee of a motor vehicle for which a medical exemption certificate has been issued pursuant to this subchapter shall make application for the renewal of such certificate no later than 30 days before the expiration of the certificate. The certificate shall not be renewed if the previously installed or applied sun-screening material or product has developed a haze, discoloration, or other visual distortion that changes the original optical properties of the sun-screening material or product.

(d) A medical exemption certificate shall be deemed void upon the sale of, or the termination of the lease for, the motor vehicle for which the certificate was issued; provided, however, that if the lessee purchases the motor vehicle upon the termination of the lease, the medical exemption certificate issued therefor shall remain valid until the issuance of a replacement medical exemption certificate for the motor vehicle by the Motor Vehicle Commission in accordance with (e) below.

(e) The owner or lessee of the motor vehicle for which a medical exemption certificate has been issued shall be responsible for the removal of the sun-screening materials or products from the windshield and/or the front side window(s) prior to the sale of, or the termination of the lease for, the motor vehicle. This subsection shall not apply to a lessee who purchases the motor vehicle for which a medical exemption certificate has been issued upon the termination of the lease for the motor vehicle; provided, however, an application for a

replacement medical exemption certificate shall be submitted to the Motor Vehicle Commission by the purchaser within 14 days of the date of issuance of the new registration for the motor vehicle. The replacement medical exemption certificate shall indicate the new registered owner and the new registration plate number of the motor vehicle.

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See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

In (d) and (e), substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission" for "Division".

13:20-1.7 Medical exemption certificate; exhibition to police or upon inspection of motor vehicle

(a) The medical exemption certificate shall be in the possession of the driver or operator at all times when he or she is in charge of the motor vehicle on the highways of this State.

(b) The driver or operator shall exhibit the medical exemption certificate when requested to do so by a police officer while in the performance of the duties of his or her office, or when requested to do so when the motor vehicle is presented for inspection or reinspection in accordance with N.J.S.A. 39:8-1.

13:20-1.8 Label; attachment; size; content; representation of compliance with subchapter

(a) Each sun-screening material installation facility registered by the Motor Vehicle Commission in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-2 shall attach a label between the sun-screening material or product and the windshield and/or the front side window(s) of the motor vehicle to which such material or product is installed or applied. A label shall be attached to the lower right corner of the windshield as viewed from the interior of the motor vehicle and shall be completely visible from the front of the motor vehicle. A label shall be attached to the lower left corner of the front left side window as viewed from the interior of the motor vehicle and shall be completely visible from the left side of the motor vehicle. A label shall be attached to the lower right corner of the front right side window as viewed from the interior of the motor vehicle and shall be completely visible from the right side of the motor vehicle.

(b) The label required by (a) above shall be one inch by one inch in size, and shall contain the name of the sun-screening material or product manufacturer and the registration number of the sun-screening material installation facility that installed or applied the sun-screening material or product to the motor vehicle.

(c) The attachment of the label to the windshield and/or the front side window(s) of a motor vehicle shall constitute the sun-screening material installation facility's representation that the sun-screening materials or products are in compliance with the standards set forth in this subchapter.

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See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

Substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission" for "Division" in (a).

SUBCHAPTER 2. REGISTRATION OF FACILITIES THAT INSTALL OR APPLY APPROVED SUN-SCREENING MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS TO WINDSHIELDS AND FRONT SIDE WINDOWS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR WHICH MEDICAL EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES HAVE BEEN ISSUED

13:20-2.1 Purpose

The purpose of this subchapter is to implement N.J.S.A. 39:3-75.1 et seq. by establishing a system for the registration of persons in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products on the windshields and/or the front side window(s) of motor vehicles for which medical exemption certificates have been issued in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-1 and which are driven by or are used to regularly transport a person having a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity.

13:20-2.2 Scope

(a) This subchapter shall apply to every person engaged in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products to windshields and/or front side windows of motor vehicles for which medical exemption certificates have been issued in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-1 and which are driven by or are used to regularly transport a person who has a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity.

(b) No person shall, on or after September 17, 2001, engage in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products to windshields and/or front side windows of motor vehicles for which medical exemption certificates have been issued in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-1 and which are driven by or are used to regularly transport a person who has a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity unless registered by the Chief Administrator in accordance with this subchapter.

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See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

Substituted "Chief Administrator" for "Director" in (b).

13:20-2.3 Definitions

The following words and terms, when used in this subchapter, shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

"Advertising" means any printed or published materials including, but not limited to, direct mail, circulars, leaflets, pamphlets, newspapers, magazines, billboards, yellow pages of any telephone directory, radio and/or television broadcasts,

and any other advertising medium of communication used to induce the public to seek the services of a sun-screening material installation facility. The term “advertising” shall not include printed or published materials appearing in the white pages of any telephone directory.

“Applicant” means any person making application pursuant to this subchapter for an initial registration to engage in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows or to renew an existing registration. In the case of a partnership or corporation applying for a registration, the term “applicant” shall respectively include all partners and/or officers and directors and/or persons having a controlling interest in a sole proprietorship or corporation.

“Chief Administrator” means the Chief Administrator of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission.

“Controlling interest” means possession of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a sun-screening material installation facility whether through the ownership of voting securities or otherwise. The Chief Administrator will presume that control in fact exists if any person or entity directly or indirectly owns, controls, holds the power to vote, or holds proxies representing 10 percent or more of the voting securities of any sun-screening material installation facility. This presumption may be rebutted by showing that control does not in fact exist. The Chief Administrator may determine that control in fact exists, notwithstanding the presence or absence of a presumption to that effect.

“Customer” means the owner of record of a motor vehicle on file with the Motor Vehicle Commission, or any family member, employee, or any other person whose use of the motor vehicle is authorized by such owner of record.

“Engaged in the business” means performing the installation or application of approved sun-screening materials and products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows for compensation and includes:

1. Any person installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products on the windshields and/or the front side windows of motor vehicles that are driven by or are used to regularly transport a person having a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity;
2. Any person who subcontracts or has any type of business arrangement with a sun-screening material installation facility or other person to install or apply approved sun-screening materials and products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows;
3. Any person who prepares an estimate to be used by a sun-screening material installation facility or other person to install or apply approved sun-screening materials and

products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows; or

4. Any person who negotiates in any manner with any customer to install or apply approved sun-screening materials and products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows.

“Estimate” means any written determination prepared by a sun-screening material installation facility of the approximate cost of the parts and labor needed to install or apply approved sun-screening materials and products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows.

“Motor Vehicle Commission” or “Commission” means the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission established by section 4 of P.L. 2003, c.13 (N.J.S.A. 39:2A-4.)

“Person” means any natural person, business, company, firm, partnership, association, corporation, or any other entity.

“Place of business” means the address or location where the services of a sun-screening material installation facility are offered or ordinarily performed.

“Sun-screening material installation facility” means any person who for compensation engages in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products on the windshields and/or the front side window(s) of motor vehicles for which medical exemption certificates have been issued in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-1 and which are driven by or used to transport a person having a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity. For the purpose of this subchapter, an employee of a sun-screening material installation facility who engages in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products to motor vehicle windshields and/or front side windows solely by reason of his or her employment shall not be deemed to be a sun-screening material installation facility and shall not be required to be registered.

“Sun-screening material installation facility registration” means a registration issued to a sun-screening material installation facility which evidences the Chief Administrator’s authorization for the facility to engage in the business of installing or applying approved sun-screening materials and products on the windshields and/or the front side window(s) of motor vehicles for which medical exemption certificates have been issued in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-1 and which are driven by or are used to regularly transport a person having a medical condition involving ophthalmic or dermatological photosensitivity.

“Suspension, revocation, or refusal to renew” means administrative action by the Chief Administrator, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 39:3-75.1 et seq. or this subchapter, to refuse to renew a sun-screening material installation facility registration or to suspend or revoke such registration.

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