

13:18-11.2 Public information requests and submissions

(a) A member of the public may obtain information or make a submission or a request by writing to the Office of the Director, Division of Motor Vehicles, 225 E. State Street, 9th Floor, Trenton, New Jersey 08666.

(b) A member of the public seeking general information may telephone the Division of Motor Vehicles by calling 1-609-292-6500.

R.1989 d.365, effective June 14, 1989.

See: 21 N.J.R. 2048(a).

Amended by R.1995 d.218, effective May 1, 1995.

See: 27 N.J.R. 637(a), 27 N.J.R. 1806(b).

13:18-11.3 Public records; examination; purchase of copies; exemption

(a) Except as otherwise provided in N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1 et seq. or by any other statute, resolution of either or both houses of the Legislature, executive order of the Governor, rule of court, any Federal Law, regulation or order, or by any regulation promulgated under the authority of any statute or executive order of the Governor, all records which are required by law to be made, maintained, or kept on file by the Division of Motor Vehicles shall be considered public records. Public records shall be available for examination by the citizens of New Jersey during the regular business hours of the Division at the Trenton Regional Service Center, 120 South Stockton Street, Trenton, New Jersey or other office of the Division as determined by the Custodian of Records. Citizens of New Jersey shall have the right to copy public records by hand under reasonable supervision during regular business hours. Citizens shall have the right to purchase copies of public records by written request upon payment of the fee as set forth in N.J.A.C. 13:18-11.4.

(b) The right of examination of public records pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-3 may be denied in cases where the records being sought for examination pertain to any investigation in progress, if the inspection, copying, or publication of the records is not in the best interest of the public.

New Rule, R.1991 d.575, effective November 18, 1991.

See: 23 N.J.R. 2857(a), 23 N.J.R. 3520(a).

13:18-11.4 Fees; information search; exemption

(a) A citizen requesting to purchase a public record shall pay the fee established by the Division as set forth in this section.

(b) The fees are as follows:

1. A Driver History Abstract:

- i. Uncertified, \$10.00.
- ii. Certified, \$10.00.

2. A Notice of Scheduled Suspension, Order of Suspension or Notice of Restoration:

i. Uncertified, \$4.00.

ii. Certified, \$5.00.

3. Violation Record:

i. Uncertified, \$4.00.

ii. Certified, \$5.00.

4. Mail Lists:

i. Uncertified, \$4.00.

ii. Certified, \$5.00.

5. Registration or Driver License Application:

i. Uncertified, \$8.00.

ii. Certified, \$10.00.

6. Boat Registration Application:

i. Uncertified, \$8.00.

ii. Certified, \$10.00.

7. Final Decision of Director:

i. Uncertified, \$4.00.

ii. Certified, \$5.00.

8. File Search of Division Records:

i. Uncertified, \$8.00.

ii. Certified, \$10.00.

9. Telephonic Search of Division Records: \$6.00.

(c) Payment shall be made by check or money order payable to the New Jersey Division of Motor Vehicles.

(d) Government agencies are exempt from the fees set forth in this section.

(e) Notwithstanding the fees set forth in this section, the Director shall collect a fee of \$2.00 per driver history abstract from high volume tape to tape users.

(f) Notwithstanding the fees set forth in this section, the Director shall collect from high volume on-line information users a fee of \$4.00 for each driver history abstract, drivers license record, or vehicle registration record requested on-line.

New Rule, R.1991 d.575, effective November 18, 1991.

See: 23 N.J.R. 2857(a), 23 N.J.R. 3520(a).

Amended by R.1995 d.365, effective July 3, 1995.

See: 27 N.J.R. 1521(b), 27 N.J.R. 2592(b).

Amended by R.1996 d.410, effective September 3, 1996.

See: 28 N.J.R. 2795(b), 28 N.J.R. 4110(a).

Added \$4 fee for high volume on-line information users.

13:18-11.5 Procedure for record examination or request to purchase public records

A private citizen may request a copy of a public record, or make inquiry concerning the examination of a public record, by contacting:

Official Custodian of Records
New Jersey Division of Motor Vehicles

120 South Stockton Street
Trenton, New Jersey 08666
Attn: Manager, Bureau of Information Update and Retrieval
Telephone: (609) 292-4572

New Rule, R.1991 d.575, effective November 18, 1991.
See: 23 N.J.R. 2857(a), 23 N.J.R. 3520(a).