

(m) After suspending, revoking, or canceling a nonresident commercial driver's privilege, or after disqualifying a nonresident driver from operating a commercial motor vehicle, the Administration shall notify the licensing authority of the state which issued the commercial driver's license within 10 days.

(n) An individual who is disqualified from driving a commercial motor vehicle under this section shall surrender the individual's driver's license to the Administration.

(o) The Administration may issue a noncommercial driver's license of an appropriate class to an individual who is disqualified under this section if:

(1) The individual surrenders the commercial driver's license; and

(2) The individual's driving privilege is not otherwise refused, suspended, revoked, or canceled in this State or any other state.

(p) Upon termination of a disqualification period, an individual may apply for a new commercial driver's license. The Administration shall issue a commercial driver's license to the applicant when the applicant:

(1) Passes the skills and knowledge tests required by this subtitle;

(2) Is eligible to drive pursuant to the Commercial Driver's License Information System, and National Driver's Register;

(3) Surrenders any previously issued driver's instructional permit or license; and

(4) Pays the fees required by § 16-818(a)(1) of this subtitle.

(q) If an individual is disqualified based on multiple offenses committed at the same time, or arising out of circumstances simultaneous in time and place, or arising out of the same incident, the Administration:

(1) Shall disqualify the individual from driving a commercial motor vehicle for the offense which results in the lengthiest period of disqualification; and

(2) May not impose any additional periods of disqualification for the remainder of the offenses.

(R) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, AN OFFENSE DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION OR § 16-205.1 OF THIS ARTICLE COMMITTED BY AN INDIVIDUAL IN A NONCOMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED AN OFFENSE FOR THE PURPOSES OF DISQUALIFICATION IF THE OFFENSE OCCURRED BEFORE:

(1) SEPTEMBER 30, 2005; OR

(2) THE INITIAL ISSUANCE TO THE INDIVIDUAL OF A COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE BY ANY STATE.