

The Division's Communications Section provides motor vehicle information to law enforcement and other authorized agencies daily from 8:00 a.m. to midnight.

### DRIVER SERVICES

Melvin Holmes, *Associate Administrator*

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Driver Services is responsible for three divisions: Licensing and School Vehicle Safety; Driver Control and Records; and Administrative Adjudication.

#### DIVISION OF LICENSING & SCHOOL VEHICLE SAFETY

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The Division of Licensing and School Vehicle Safety conducts examinations of all new drivers and renews motor vehicle drivers' licenses.

Examinations test vision, knowledge of motor vehicle laws, and ability to operate a motor vehicle safely. Licensees also must meet age requirements.

Maryland licenses are classified according to the type of vehicle the driver will operate. The five kinds of licenses are:

*Class A*—required to operate tractor-trailers;

*Class B*—required to operate trucks over 20,000 pounds gross weight;

*Class C*—required to operate buses;

*Class D*—required to operate automobiles, station wagons, and trucks up to 20,000 pounds gross weight; and

*Class E*—required to operate motorcycles.

Examinations are held at the headquarters of the Motor Vehicle Administration in Glen Burnie and at branch offices in Annapolis, Baltimore City, Chesapeake City, Easton, Gaithersburg, Hagerstown, Largo, LaVale, Salisbury, and Waldorf. Examining and licensing teams also conduct driver examinations at fourteen other locations throughout the State.

The Division also administers the Commercial Drivers License Programs and ensures that each school bus is inspected for safety three times a year.

#### DIVISION OF DRIVER CONTROL & RECORDS

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The Division of Driver Control and Records oversees three programs: Driver Review and Reinstatement, Driver Improvement, and Alcohol Education. The Division also is assisted by the Medical Advisory Board.

The Driver Review and Reinstatement Program helps rehabilitate unsafe drivers and identify per-

sons who demonstrate dangerous attitudes about driving. Based on hearings held for errant drivers, license reviewers recommend administrative action regarding an individual's driving privileges. The Driver Improvement Program was established in 1962 to improve the attitudes of problem drivers. It consists of weekly sessions held for four weeks at one of MVA's full service offices. The Alcohol Education Program is a course for first offender social drinkers charged with alcohol-related offenses. It consists of weekly sessions held for six weeks.

The Division suspends the driving privileges of individuals who fail to appear in court after receiving a motor vehicle citation. The Division also distributes citation books to law enforcement officers and accounts for citations issued.

Within the Division, are the Central License File and the Case History Files. Certified copies of driving records are available from the Division.

#### MEDICAL ADVISORY BOARD

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