

tificate, properly numbered, stating that such motor vehicle is registered in accordance with this section, and shall cause the name of the owner, with his address, the number of his certificate, and a description of such motor vehicle or motor vehicles, to be entered in alphabetical order of the owner's name in a book to be kept for such purpose; this section not to apply to manufacturers of motor vehicles, except as to vehicles kept by such manufacturers for private use or for hire.

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Certificate
issued.

132. The owners of each and every motor vehicle and every other person driving the same upon the public streets, public roads, turnpike, parks, highways, public driveways or other public highways in this State, shall have the registration number issued as aforesaid by the Secretary of State upon the back and front of every such motor vehicle, fixed stationary in a conspicuous place, so as to be plainly visible at all times during daylight; such numbers to be separate Arabic numerals not less than three inches in height, the strokes to be of a width not less than three-eighths of an inch, such numbers to be of white letters on a black ground, and such owner shall not be required to place any other marks of identity upon such motor vehicle; provided, however, that in the event of the sale of the motor vehicle, or letting for hire of the same, the purchaser or person hiring the same may for a period of five days ensuing the delivery or hiring to him of such vehicle, including in such computation the day of delivery, operate such vehicle under the number of the previous owner or lettor; provided he have and display on demand the actual consent in writing of such previous owner or lettor so to do. Upon the expiration of such period of five days the right to continue the use of such number shall absolutely cease and terminate, and its use after such period shall be regarded as the displaying of a fictitious number within the meaning of this section. Any person driving a motor vehicle in this State, the owner of which shall not have complied with the provisions of this sub-title, or which motor vehicle shall display a fictitious number, the same being a number other than that designated for such motor vehicle by the Secretary of State, shall, upon conviction, be fined in a sum not exceeding fifty dollars, and, in default of payment thereof, be punished by imprisonment in the county or

Registration
number
displayed
back and
front.

Fine imposed.