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(b) No person, in or around any building or premises used or occupied by the Department of Motor Vehicles for the transaction of business lawfully provided for in this Article, shall assist, offer to assist, or solicit, for a fee charged directly or indirectly, any person to obtain a permit to operate a motor vehicle, a certificate of title, motor vehicle registration, other requisite licenses, or for the filing of statements, or engage in or around said building or premises directly or indirectly in such business or occupation for gain, nor shall any person in or around such building or premises, in any manner interfere with any person or persons transacting business for or with the Department.

Violation of sub-section (b) of this section shall be deemed a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punishable by a fine of not less than one (\$1.00) dollar nor more than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars.

(c) The Commissioner and such officers of the Department as he may designate are hereby authorized to prepare under the seal of the Department and deliver upon request a certified copy of any public record of the Department, charging a fee of fifty (50) cents for each document so authenticated, and every such certified copy shall be admissible in any proceeding in any court in like manner as the original thereof.

But no charge shall be made for any record required or requested by any court or state department. All fees received from such source shall be paid by said Department into the State Treasury as are other funds received.

12. RECORDS OF DEPARTMENT. (a) The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall keep a record of all statements filed with him and all certificates issued by him, and all records of the Department, other than those declared by law to be confidential for the use of the Department, shall be open to public inspection during office hours.

(b) The Department shall file each application received and when satisfied as to the genuineness and regularity thereof, and that the applicant is entitled to register such vehicle and to the issuance of a certificate of title shall register the vehicle therein described and keep a record thereof in suitable books or on index cards as follows:

1. Under a distinctive registration number assigned to the vehicle;