

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66 1/2, §5-107.

As to the present requirement that there be a "fixed location" at which the books and records of the business are kept, see §15-105 of this title to the same effect.

In subsection (a) of this section, a reference to "semitrailers" is added for clarity.

In subsection (b) (3) (i) of this section, the term "automotive repair facility" is substituted for the present term "service shop" to conform to current usage. See, e.g., §§ 14-1001 et seq. of the Commercial Law Article.

The only other changes are in style.

15-305. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSE TO DEAL IN NEW VEHICLES.

(A) COMPLIANCE WITH SURETY BOND REQUIREMENTS.

A LICENSE TO DEAL IN NEW CLASS A VEHICLES MAY NOT BE ISSUED TO ANY PERSON UNLESS THE MANUFACTURER OR DISTRIBUTOR OF THE VEHICLES IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE SURETY BOND REQUIREMENTS OF §15-205 OF THIS TITLE.

(B) PERSONS WHO MAY BE ISSUED LICENSE.

A LICENSE TO DEAL IN NEW VEHICLES MAY BE ISSUED ONLY FOR:

(1) A SALES BRANCH OR AGENCY OF THE MANUFACTURER OF THE VEHICLES;

(2) A DISTRIBUTOR OF NEW VEHICLES WHO HOLDS A FRANCHISE FROM THE MANUFACTURER OF THE VEHICLES; OR

(3) A DEALER IN NEW VEHICLES WHO HOLDS A FRANCHISE FROM:

(I) THE MANUFACTURER OF THE VEHICLES; OR

(II) ~~AN AUTHORIZED~~ A FRANCHISED DISTRIBUTOR OF THE VEHICLES.

(C) SUBMISSION OF COPY OF FRANCHISE.

IF AN APPLICANT FOR A LICENSE TO DEAL IN NEW VEHICLES SEEKS TO QUALIFY UNDER SUBSECTION (B) (2) OR (3) OF THIS SECTION, THE APPLICANT SHALL SUBMIT WITH THE APPLICATION AN EXACT COPY OF THE REQUIRED FRANCHISE.

(D) SUSPENSION OF LICENSE ON TERMINATION OF