

Article - Transportation

16-103.

(c) The Administration may not issue:

(1) A learner's instructional permit to any individual who has not reached the age of 15 years, 9 months;

(2) A provisional license to any individual who has not reached the age of 16 years, [1 month] 3 MONTHS; or

(3) A license to any individual who has not reached the age of 17 years, [7] 9 months.

16-105.

(a) (1) Any individual who desires to obtain an original driver's license under this subtitle or to be licensed in a class for which the individual is not already licensed under this subtitle shall apply to the Administration for the desired driver's license.

(2) Except as provided in subsection (f) of this section, before issuing a driver's license, the Administration shall issue to each applicant a learner's instructional permit. The learner's instructional permit shall identify clearly the class of license for which the applicant has applied.

(b) (1) The holder of a learner's instructional permit may drive the same vehicle and combinations of vehicles as may a holder of the class of driver's license for which the permit holder has applied, but only while accompanied by and under the immediate supervision of an individual who:

(i) Is at least 21 years old;

(ii) Has been licensed for at least 3 years in this State or in another state to drive vehicles of the class then being driven by the holder of the learner's instructional permit; and

(iii) Unless the vehicle is a motorcycle, is seated beside the holder of the learner's instructional permit.

(2) The individual supervising the holder of the learner's instructional permit under paragraph (1) of this subsection is the only individual allowed in the front seat of a motor vehicle with the permit holder while the permit holder is driving.

(c) The holder of a learner's instructional permit for a motorcycle may drive the motorcycle with another individual on it only if the other individual is one described in subsection (b)(1)(i) and (ii) of this section.

(d) (1) This subsection applies to an individual who:

(i) Seeks to obtain an original driver's license under this subtitle;

and