

plates issued to the former owner may be displayed on the vehicle.

(D) After [this operation] THE OPERATION OF A VEHICLE DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION is completed or, even before this operation is completed, on request of the former owner or the Administration, the person who obtained possession of the vehicle shall return its registration plates to the former owner or to the Administration.

[(3)] (E) After 24 hours of the earlier of the request or the completion of the operation described in [paragraph (2)] SUBSECTION (B) of this [subsection] SECTION, no person, other than the person to whom the registration plates originally were issued, may have the registration plates in his possession, whether or not they are in use.

[(b)] (F) If the title or interest of an owner in a registered vehicle passes to a legatee or distributee as a result of testamentary disposition or intestate devolution, the personal representative, legatee, or distributee may drive the vehicle and permit it to be driven on the highways, without applying for a new registration, until the expiration of the last annual registration in the name of the deceased owner.

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(a) (1) Subject to the provisions of this part, a licensed dealer may issue one temporary registration plate for a vehicle to the person who buys the vehicle from the dealer, whether or not the vehicle is to be registered in this State.

(2) The dealer may not issue more than one temporary registration for any vehicle.

(b) [(1)] Before a temporary registration plate may be issued for a vehicle, the buyer of the vehicle shall complete and deliver to the dealer a temporary registration plate application, on the form that the Administration requires.

[(2)] (C) On the same day that a dealer issues a temporary registration plate for a vehicle, the dealer shall send to the Administration a copy of the temporary registration plate application completed by the buyer of the vehicle.

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(a) On request of the buyer of a vehicle to whom the dealer has issued a temporary registration plate, the dealer immediately shall send to the Administration[:

(1) An] AN application completed by the buyer for the annual registration of the vehicle[; and].