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To: Clerks of the Circuit Court

From: Lisa Henneman, Chief License Inspector, State License Bureau

Date: March 24, 2021

Subject: Extension of Certain Licenses, Permits, Registrations and Authorizations

Pursuant to Governor Hogan's Executive Order No. 21-03-09-03, dated March 9, 2021, **all licenses**, permits, registrations, and other authorizations issued by the State of Maryland, any agency of the State of Maryland, or any political subdivision of the State of Maryland, including, without limitation, driver's licenses, vehicle registrations, and professional licenses **that would have an expiration date or be renewable during the state of emergency and catastrophic health emergency** will be extended to **June 30, 2021**.

In addition, any business licenses which will need to be renewed for the 2019 license year and prior will be assessed a penalty as they were already expired and were not renewed, and thus delinquent, before the State of Emergency and Catastrophic Health Emergency took effect on March 5, 2020.

Please see the link below to the updated Executive order:

<https://governor.maryland.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/Licenses-Timeframes-2d-AMENDED-03.09.21.pdf>