

Motor Vehicle Advisory

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TO: All Law Enforcement Officials
FROM: Sue Fulton, Acting Chair and Chief Administrator
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SUBJECT: Updated Numbering Scheme for the eTemp Tag System

As our partners and stakeholders well know, the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission (MVC) authorizes the issuance of both resident and non-resident temporary registrations, commonly known as Temp Tags, through the eTemp Tag System. All partners and stakeholders are hereby advised of an update to the numbering scheme for the eTemp Tag System, as follows:

- Valid non-resident temporary registrations each begin with a six-digit number, followed by a single alpha character. These range from 000001C to 999999Z.
- Valid resident temporary registrations each begin with a single alpha character, followed by a six digit number. These range from C000001 to Z999999.
- In both non-resident and resident Temp Tags, the MVC will only utilize 13 specific alpha characters.
- These 13 alpha characters are: C, F, H, J, L, M, N, R, T, V, W, X, and Z.
- The MVC has discontinued the use of the letter "P".
- The letter "P" should not appear on any resident temporary registration or on any non-resident temporary registration.

If you have any questions concerning these changes, please direct them to the MVC Office of Business Government Operations at (609) 633-2194. If your question concerns a Temp Tag for which no information appears, please contact the MVC Security & Investigations Unit at (609) 984-5279 for assistance. Both of these calls can be made during normal business hours.