

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES**



OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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WAIVER OF IRP REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

WHEREAS, multiple states in the Northeast Region of the United States were adversely impacted by weather events caused by Hurricane Sandy during the period of October 27-30, 2012; and

WHEREAS, there is anticipated travel of commercial vehicles pertaining to the loss of services, including fuel deliveries, as well as utility and highway infrastructure that are not currently registered in the IRP programs or have not been apportioned in these jurisdictions;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Lucinda M. Babers, Director, Department of Motor Vehicles, acting under the authority as set forth in 49 CFR Part 390.23, do hereby order that effective immediately, the District of Columbia, will authorize a temporary waiver of IRP registration requirements for the purpose of ensuring that essential services and emergency relief supplies reach the disaster areas in a timely manner. This pertains only to shippers and carriers of essential emergency relief supplies or those providing restoration of utilities to severe weather impacted areas in the Northeast. This waiver commenced on October 27, 2012 and will expire on November 25, 2012 at midnight.

Approved by:

Lucinda M. Babers

Director, Department of Motor Vehicles

District of Columbia