

810-5-1-.454 Temporary Evidence of Apportioned Registration (TEAR).

(1) When the carrier wishes to create an apportioned fleet, add vehicles to an apportioned fleet, or make changes to an existing fleet, the Department may issue Temporary Evidence of Apportioned Registration (TEAR) if requested by the carrier.

(2) A TEAR will not be issued on a renewal vehicle.

(3) The TEAR is issued to a specific vehicle and cannot be transferred to another vehicle.

(4) Requests for TEARs will be submitted on forms furnished by the Department, or may be submitted electronically.

(5) The registrant is required to pay for the registration prior to obtaining the TEAR.

(6) A TEAR is valid only until the date shown on the permit, and is in no case valid beyond a date sixty (60) days from date of issuance.

(7) In accordance with the provisions of the International Registration Plan and Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations, the Department reserves the right to deny TEAR to any carrier whose account is not in good standing. Registrants may file a notice of appeal from the denial of TEAR with the Alabama Tax Tribunal in accordance with Section 40-2A-8, Code of Alabama 1975.

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