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MEMORANDUM

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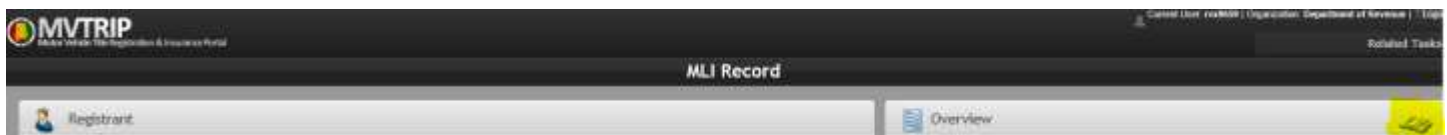
TO: License Plate Issuing Officials
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FROM: Sherry Helms, Registration Manager SCH
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SUBJECT: MLI Suspension File Update

On Friday, November 13, 2015, the MLI suspension file will include “Open” MLI inquiry records. This information will allow the licensing office to identify a registration with an open MLI inquiry record, alert registrants that an MLI inquiry record exists and will allow the registrant to address this issue prior to renewing the registration, which may prevent the registration from being suspended or revoked unnecessarily.

For further information regarding processing a registrant’s response, please refer to the MLI Manual at: <http://revenue.alabama.gov/motorvehicle/pdf/MLIProceduresManual.pdf>. The manual is also available from within a MLI inquiry record as shown below:



The status code is “MO” for an open MLI inquiry record and has been added to the list of Suspension Status Codes which may be found on the Motor Vehicle Division website at:

<http://www.revenue.alabama.gov/motorvehicle/index.html> under ‘Reference’ then ‘Registration File Information’, under the tab labeled Suspension Status.

Clerks should not refuse to process a registration transaction with an “Open” MLI inquiry record during the registrant’s response period, which is reflected in the MLI inquiry record.

If you have questions regarding the change, please contact the MLI Unit at: mli@revenue.alabama.gov or (334)242-9006.