

810-5-12-.04 Revocation of License

(1) The department may revoke the license of any motor vehicle dealer, automotive dismantler and parts recycler, or motor vehicle wholesale auction for the willful and intentional failure of the licensee to comply with the applicable provisions under §§ 40-12-396, 40-12-416 and 40-12-449, Code of Ala. 1975.

(2) A Notice of Statutory Non-Compliance shall be provided by the department to the licensee detailing the area or areas of alleged non-compliance. A response must be submitted to the department within ten (10) calendar days from the date of the notice either refuting the alleged non-compliance or detailing the action taken to correct the area or areas of non-compliance.

(3) Failure to satisfactorily respond to the department will result in the issuance of a revocation notice advising that the license will be revoked. A licensee may be assessed penalties for willful failure to comply as provided in §§ 40-12-29 and 40-12-450, Code of Ala. 1975. If the licensee is a designated agent and the license is revoked, the licensee's designated agent status will also be revoked.

(4) The revocation notice will include the right to appeal the department's intended action pursuant to § 40-2A-8, Code of Ala. 1975.

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