Louisiana Department of Public Safety

Office of Motor Vehicles

2-9.00 Third Party Testing Enforcement

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Purpose

This policy describes third party testing enforcement.

Definitions

- **Department –** Louisiana Office of Motor Vehicles
- **Third Party Examiner –** A person employed by a third party tester who has been qualified, by the Department, to administer the on-the-road skills test to applicants for commercial driver's licenses
- **Third Party Tester –** A company or entity approved by the Department that is responsible for employing third party examiners to administer the on-the-road skills test to applicants for commercial driver's licenses

Enforcement-Third Party Testing

Authority:

R.S. 32:408

R.S. 32:408.1

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General:

- Any third party tester, third party examiner, or Department employee who has been found to falsify or participate in falsifying any information relating to the testing or issuance of a commercial driver's license or endorsement or failing to comply with the third party agreement will be liable for civil penalties of not less than five hundred nor more than $5,000 per act.
    - **Note** - The assessment of civil penalties will be based upon the aggravating or mitigating factors on a case by case basis.
- Any third party, third party examiner, or Department employee receiving sanctions as determined by the Department will forfeit his/her authorized third party testing status, agreement, or contract and will not qualify for such status again.
- The Department may void any and all transactions and commercial driver's licenses issued as a result of an act of fraudulent testing, with falsified documentation or issued in connection with violations of the third party tester's agreement.
- Third party testers, their examiners, or departmental employees receiving sanctions, as determined by the Department, will be sent a certified notice outlining the decision.

- Any request for an administrative hearing to review the suspension, revocation, or cancellation of any certification, license, or permit, any other action, order or decision of the Department regarding a third-party tester or a third-party examiner must be in writing and received by the Department within thirty days of the date the notice was mailed or hand delivered.
    - The request must be mailed to:

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