



South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles (SCDMV)
2018 Driver Suspension Eligibility Week
Information Sheet

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WHAT is Driver Suspension Eligibility Week?

- A. Driver Suspension Eligibility Week is a one week period in which the SCDMV will **forgive the suspension period** for any qualifying suspensions. Fees will not be waived.
- B. According to the amnesty law (SC Code of Law § 56-1-396), the suspensions listed below are the only ones that have fixed suspension periods so these are the only suspensions that will qualify for amnesty.

Suspension Description	SC Code of Law
Driving Under Suspension Excludes any DUS that is the result of a conviction for Driving Under the Influence (DUI) or Driving with an Unlawful Alcohol Concentration (DUAC)	56-1-460
Excessive Points for a Minor	56-1-185
Operating/Allow Operation of Uninsured Vehicle	56-10-270
Operating Unlicensed Taxi	56-1-290
Uninsured Motorist (Non-owner)	56-10-520

- C. You must have met all conditions for reinstatement except for serving the suspension period for all qualifying suspensions. All other suspension requirements must have been met when applying for amnesty. For example, you must have paid all fees related to the suspension, and provided SR-22 proof of insurance, if required.
- D. The amnesty program does not forgive you of any money you may owe.
- E. You must apply for amnesty during the week of April 16 - 20, 2018 by completing the application on page 2 of this form and taking it to one of the SCDMV branches.

WHEN and WHERE can a customer enter into the amnesty program?

Driver Suspension Eligibility Week will take place in the Allendale branch Tuesday and Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. All other SCDMV branches during these times.

- 1) Monday April 16th from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- 2) Tuesday April 17th from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- 3) Wednesday April 18th from **9:30 a.m.** to 5 p.m.***
- 4) Thursday April 19th from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- 5) Friday April 20th from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**** All SCDMV branches are closed on Wednesday mornings from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. for in-house training. All branches, telephone service centers and headquarter's employees participate in the training. The new training sessions allow management more time to work with employees to ensure consistent operations throughout the agency.*



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This application can be accepted in any of the SCDMV branches during Driver Suspension Eligibility Week April 16 - 20, 2018.

A. Is your driver's license under suspension or pending suspension?

- Yes - Go to the next question
 No - You are not eligible to participate in Driver Suspension Eligibility Week

B. Are you serving suspension periods for any of these suspensions?

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- Yes - Go to the next question
 No - You are not eligible to participate in Driver Suspension Eligibility Week

C. Of the suspensions listed above, have you met all of the terms for reinstating your driver's license other than serving the suspension period?

- Yes - **Go to the next question and fill out the rest of this form.** You qualify for amnesty and the suspension terms for the fixed suspension periods may be cleared from your South Carolina driving record.
 No - You are not eligible to participate in Driver Suspension Eligibility Week unless you take care of the other requirements (pay fees and/or file SR-22 proof of insurance).

D. Do you have any suspensions other than those listed above on your driving record?

- Yes - Your driving privileges will still be suspended but SCDMV will recalculate the remaining suspension start dates to begin as soon as possible but not before the conviction date(s).
 No - Once the suspension periods are cleared by the SCDMV, you should be eligible to apply for a driver's license. If you wish to apply for a driver's license at this time, fill out Application for Beginner's Permit, Driver's License, or Identification Card (form 447-NC) or Application for a Commercial Driver's License or Commercial Learner's Permit (form 447-CDL).

E. Complete the fields below and submit this form to any of the SCDMV branches for processing during Driver Suspension Eligibility Week.

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Suffix
Physical Address		City or Town	State Zip Code
Phone Number		Driver's License Number	
Signature		Date	

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SCDMV Customer Service Representative's Signature	Date Received	Branch Number