

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT TRANSFERRING YOUR TAG

Changes in SC Law

Under a budget proviso effective January 1, 2006, SCDMV customers may only transfer a license plate to the same vehicle once without providing a paid tax receipt at the time of the transfer. SCDMV and county tax offices will implement this proviso on March 1, 2006.

How this affects you.

If you are transferring a license plate to a vehicle, and if you previously transferred a tag to that same vehicle, you must provide a paid property tax receipt from your county for that vehicle. Under the proviso, DMV cannot perform the second transfer without a tax receipt that covers the period from the transfer date to the expiration date of the vehicle registration.

Your DMV Customer Service Representative can provide you with a letter that details the transfer registration requirements. You may take this letter to your county tax office to obtain the appropriate tax bill for your vehicle.