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Act 89 - Consumer Price Index (CPI) Fee Adjustments Affecting Renewal Notices

Act 89, which became law on November 25, 2013, amends many sections of Title 75, including adjustments to registration fees effective July 1, 2017. Act 89 represents an investment in Pennsylvania's future: increasing public safety, driving commerce, creating jobs and providing reliable funding for our transportation needs without leaving the bill to our future generations.

Act 89 provides for biennial adjustments to numerous fees based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI). Based on the CPI, effective July 1, 2017, the act amends the following sections:

- Section 1912 adjusts the fee for passenger vehicle registrations from \$36 to \$37.
- Section 1913 adjusts the fees for motor home registrations as follows:
 - Class 1 from \$65 to \$68,
 - Class 2 from \$90 to \$94, and
 - Class 3 from \$116 to \$121.
- Section 1914 adjusts the fees for motorcycle registrations from \$18 to \$19.
- Section 1920 adjusts the fee for a class 3 trailer registrations from \$35 to \$36.
- Section 1921 adjusts the fees for special mobile equipment registrations from \$52 to \$54.
- Section 1922 adjusts the fee for Implements of Husbandry registrations from \$26 to \$27.
- Section 1924(b) adjusts the fee for farm vehicle certificates of exemption as follows:
 - Type A and B from \$24 to \$25,
 - Type C from \$50 to \$52, and
 - Type D from \$100 to \$104.
- Section 1925 adjusts the fee for ambulance, hearse and taxi registrations from \$77 to \$80.
- Section 1926 adjusts the fee for dealer registrations from \$52 to \$54.
- Section 1959(a) & (b) adjusts the fee for annual registration of Motor Vehicle Messenger Service locations as follows:
 - Main office from \$192 to \$200 and
 - Branch office from \$95 to \$99.

The new fees will appear on renewal notices sent to customers for the above registrations that have a current expiration date of July 2017 or later. PennDOT will begin accepting the new fee on April 15, 2017, for renewals listed above that expire July 2017 or later.

Please ensure that you charge the correct fee when completing applications impacted by these fee adjustments. Failure to charge the correct fee may result in the application being rejected for insufficient fees.

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