



TCD ALTERNATIVE VEHICLE LICENSING PROCESS

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1. *How do I register and pay for my vehicle license?*

To register and pay for your vehicle license, visit www.etcd.gov.bm.

2. *My vehicle has expired or is due to be relicensed by 31 May, how do I get it examined?*

Once you have insured your vehicle, you can use the eTCD system to obtain a three-month vehicle license without the need for a vehicle examination.

3. *I have my three-month vehicle license, what must I do to renew it?*

Owners of vehicles licensed for three months must schedule a vehicle examination before the end of the licensing period. After your vehicle passes the examination, you will be allowed to license it for another nine months.

4. *My vehicle was previously examined and passed, how do I get it relicensed?*

You must first obtain your insurance. Following this, your vehicle can be relicensed for 12 months using the eTCD system.

5. *Do I have a choice of either a three or twelve-month vehicle license?*

No, vehicles that were previously examined and passed must be licensed for twelve months and those that have not been examined and passed must be licensed for three months.

6. *How can I get my vehicle relicensed if I do not have access to the Internet?*

Customers without Internet access can call 292-1271 and enter either extension 2138 or 2363 weekdays between 8:00 am and noon to obtain assistance with relicensing their private vehicles. Individuals with Internet access are encouraged to continue relicensing their private vehicles online using eTCD, and reserve this call-in service for those without Internet access.

7. *Should I insure my vehicle?*

All private vehicle owners must insure their vehicles and then relicense them using eTCD. For licensing details, refer to the above points.

8. *After relicensing my vehicle, how do I get my vehicle license certificate?*

TCD is currently unable to provide hard copies of the new vehicle registrations.

9. *What happens if I get stopped by the police for failing to display my new vehicle registration?*

Compliant owners will not be ticketed for failing to display the new vehicle registration. The Bermuda Police Service is aware of the situation and can confirm if a vehicle is licensed and insured for the period that applies - three months without a vehicle examination pass, a full year if examined and passed.

10. *Can I relicense my heavy truck using eTCD?*

No, eTCD can only process private vehicles i.e. private motor cars, motorcycles, and auxiliary cycles.

11. *How do I get my driver's license renewed?*

Unfortunately, all services and transactions requiring a photo or signature must wait until TCD reopens.

12. *Can I drive if my license has expired?*

It is illegal to drive without a valid licence. However, the Bermuda Police Service is aware that motorists are unable to obtain a new driving licence at this time. As such, officers have been advised to use their discretion.

13. *When will TCD reopen?*

A date has not been decided, however, the public will be informed when a decision is made.

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