

1227 322.75 Driver License Reinstatement Days.-

1228 (1) Each clerk of court shall establish a Driver License
1229 Reinstatement Days program for reinstating suspended driver
1230 licenses. Participants may include, but are not limited to, the
1231 Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, the state
1232 attorney's office, the public defender's office, the circuit and
1233 county courts, the clerk of court, and any interested community
1234 organization.

1235 (2) The clerk of court, in consultation with other
1236 participants, shall select 1 or more days annually for an event
1237 at which a person may have his or her driver license reinstated.
1238 The clerk may work with the Florida Association of Court Clerks
1239 and Comptrollers to promote such program, develop
1240 communications, and coordinate the event. A person must pay the
1241 full license reinstatement fee; however, the clerk may reduce or
1242 waive other fees and costs, except those imposed by the court,
1243 to facilitate reinstatement.

1244 (3) The clerk of court is encouraged to schedule at least
1245 one event on a weekend or with hours after 5 p.m. on a weekday.

1246 (4) (a) A person is eligible for reinstatement under the
1247 program if his or her license was suspended due to:

- 1248 1. Driving without a valid driver license;
- 1249 2. Driving with a suspended driver license;
- 1250 3. Failing to make a payment on penalties in collection;
- 1251 4. Failing to appear in court for a traffic violation; or
- 1252 5. Failing to comply with any provision of chapter 318 or
1253 this chapter.

1254 (b) Notwithstanding paragraphs (5) (a)-(c), a person is
1255 eligible for reinstatement under the program if the period of
1256 suspension or revocation has elapsed, the person has completed
1257 any required course or program as described in paragraph (5) (c),

1258 and the person is otherwise eligible for reinstatement.

1259 (5) A person is not eligible for reinstatement under the
1260 program if his or her driver license is suspended or revoked due
1261 to:

1262 (a) The person's failure to fulfill a court-ordered child
1263 support obligation;

1264 (b) A violation of s. 316.193;

1265 (c) The person's failure to complete a driver training
1266 program, driver improvement course, or alcohol or substance
1267 abuse education or evaluation program required under s. 316.192,
1268 s. 316.193, s. 322.2616, s. 322.271, or s. 322.264;

1269 (d) A traffic-related felony; or

1270 (e) The person being designated as a habitual traffic
1271 offender under s. 322.264.

1272 (6) The clerk of court and the Department of Highway
1273 Safety and Motor Vehicles shall verify any information necessary
1274 for reinstatement of a driver license under the program.

1275 (7) The clerk of court must collect and report to the
1276 Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation all of the
1277 following:

1278 (a) Number of cases paid in full.

1279 (b) Number of cases put on a payment plan.

1280 (c) Number of driver license reinstatements.

1281 (d) Number of driver licenses made eligible for
1282 reinstatement.

1283 (e) Amount of fees and costs collected, reported by the
1284 entity receiving the funds. The Florida Clerks of Court
1285 Operations Corporation must report the aggregate funds received
1286 by the clerks of court, the local governmental entities, and
1287 state entities, including the General Revenue Fund.

1288 (f) The personnel, operating, security, and other

1289 | expenditures incurred by the clerk of court.

1290 | (g) The number of cases that fail to comply with a payment
1291 | plan and subsequently result in driver license suspension.

1292 | (8) The Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation
1293 | shall report the information collected in subsection (7) in its
1294 | annual report required by s. 28.35.