



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING
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RE: Changes in Filing Deadline for DUI Hearing Requests

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing to alert you and your clients to a significant change to RCW 46.20.308, effective January 1, 2019. Specifically, the revised RCW 46.20.308(7) which reads:

*A person receiving notification under subsection (5)(b) of this section may, within **seven** days after the notice has been given, request in writing a formal hearing before the department.*

Please consult the language of the revised statute for additional guidance on computation of the notice timing.

We have updated our standard Request for DUI Hearing form with the revised seven day deadline. A copy of the revised form is enclosed. We are also in the process of uploading the revised form to the Department's website.

Sincerely,

Marguerite Friedlander
Administrator
Hearings and Interviews Unit

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Enclosure