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On September 1, 2020, Governor Ducey issued Executive Order 2020-53, *Driver License Renewals for Arizonans 65 and Older*, which provides for a driver license expiration deferral for a period of one year for Class D and Class M licenses that expire during the period of March 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020, as shown on the original driver license. See <https://azgovernor.gov/executive-orders>

Industry Importance

Accordingly, this impacts A.R.S. § 4-241.K(1) and (3), as it applies to accepted Arizona “unexpired” written instruments tied to Subsection A of the same statute. This means any Class D or Class M license issued by ADOT that expired under the dates listed in Executive Order 2020-53 are now considered “unexpired” and would therefore be lawful identification for the purchase of spirituous liquor for a period of one year after their original expiration date.

Exclusions

The expiree deferral of Executive Order 2020-53 does not extend to:

- Other Arizona driver licenses that are other than a Class D or Class M license,
- Out of state or out of country driver licenses, or
- To any other type of acceptable form of identification allowable under A.R.S. § 4-241, regardless of whether the identification is issued by this state, another state, the federal government, or any other foreign government.

All Published Department Guidance Documents are Available on its Website [Here](#) and the [DLIC COVID-19 Info Section](#).

Sincerely,

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