

February 20, 2019

Public Declaration of the Director of Vehicles, State of Kansas


That I, David Harper, Kansas Director of Vehicles, make a public declaration to authorize Division of Vehicles staff to issue temporary vehicle registrations for a specific class of Kansas car buyers. This authority is derived from K.S.A. 2017 Supp. 8-127. This specific class of Kansas consumers shall be limited to Kansas residents that purchased a vehicle from Quality Used Cars, LLC (owner Angelo Jefferson), located at 2759 South Broadway, Wichita, KS 67216, between the dates of July 1, 2018, and December 5, 2018.

On or around November 29, 2018, Quality Used Cars, LLC vehicle dealer license was revoked by this Office based on dealer's failure to timely deliver certificate of titles to its customers, and failure to timely remit collected sales tax to the Kansas Department of Revenue. The Order revoking the dealer license has become final, and the dealer is no longer in operation. The dealer conducted a series of vehicle sale transactions with retail purchasers leading up to its revocation, wherein dealer transferred physical possession of the vehicle to the retail customer, but the dealer failed to assign and deliver the certificate of title to the retail customers. Dealer is no longer assisting the State or its retail customers with assignment and delivery of purchased certificates of title. The retail customers will have to initiate civil actions to quiet title in the vehicles they have purchased, so that the Division may issue a certificate of title.

Because a quiet title process may be time consuming, I am issuing this declaration to authorize a one time, 60-day grant of temporary registration to drive in the State, for affected retail customers of Quality Auto. Division of Vehicle staff are ordered to issue a 60-day permit tag to such affected drivers if the following conditions are met:

- 1) The retail customer has provided the Division of Vehicles a copy of the bill of sale/retail purchase agreement with a readable vehicle identification number (VIN);
- 2) The retail customer has physical possession of the vehicle he/she purchased from Quality Used Cars, LLC;
- 3) The retail customer can provide some evidence of payment of funds for such vehicle purchase and that the amount paid matches the number in retail purchase agreement;
- 4) The vehicle purchase was made between July 1, 2018, and December 5, 2018;
- 5) The retail purchaser has appropriate vehicle liability insurance on the vehicle; and
- 6) Have a valid Kansas address – provide a Kansas driver's license with request.

Requests for this one time, 60-day temporary registration should be directed to Ted.Smith@ks.gov.



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