SCDMV Title VI Program Notice to the Public-Third Party Testers (English)

Your Rights Under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

The South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles hereby gives public notice that it is the policy of the agency to assure full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987, and related Nondiscrimination authorities in all programs and activities. It is our policy that no person in the United States of America shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any of our programs or activities receiving Federal financial assistance.

Third Party Testers act as an authorized representative of SCDMV to administer knowledge or skills test for driver licenses or beginner permits. They are providing a service on behalf of SCDMV. Therefore, the protections afforded by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and related authorities are applicable to drivers licensing testing services provided by Third Party Testers.

Any person who believes they have been subjected to discrimination under Title VI and related Nondiscrimination authorities has the right to file a formal complaint. The complaint must be filed in writing with South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles, Title VI Program Coordinator or Office of Inspector General, within one hundred-eighty (180) days from the date of the alleged discriminatory occurrence.

To request additional information regarding the South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles Title VI Program non-discrimination obligations or to file a Title VI Program complaint, please submit inquiries or complaints to:

South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles
Title VI Civil Rights Unit
titlevicivilrightsunit@dmv.sc.gov
Attention: Office of Inspector General/Investigative Unit and Title VI Program Coordinator

Mail request to:
South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles
OIG/Investigative Unit/Title VI Civil Rights Unit
P.O Box 1498 Wilson Blvd. Blythewood, S.C. 29016-0022
Fax Number: (803) 896-8172
Phone: (803) 896-9688 option 3

Title VI Non-Discrimination Compliance Plan information and Complaint Forms at no cost can be obtained on the SCDMV website: dmv.sc.gov/title-vi

Retaliation

Retaliation against anyone for making a complaint, acting as a witness, or participating in an investigation is illegal under federal and state anti-discrimination laws. Retaliation shall be investigated as a separate complaint, and if a violation is substantiated, corrective action will be taken and may include discipline up to and including discharge, or other appropriate remedy.