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TO: Article 19-A Motor Carriers and Certified Examiners

SUBJECT: New and Revised Forms

Three new forms have been created and two existing forms have been revised, as described below.

NEW Forms

DS-703 - Article 19-A Bus Driver's Blood Pressure Follow-up by Driver's Health Care Provider

DS-704 - Article 19-A Bus Driver's Diabetic Follow-up by Driver's Personal Physician

These two new optional forms may be used by carriers in conjunction with the *Medical Examination Report of Driver Under Article 19-A* (DS-874), or with the federal medical form if it is being used in lieu of the DS-874 to:

- document a blood pressure follow-up reading by a driver's health care provider when so requested by the carrier's 19-A medical examiner;
- document the 19-A required six-month follow-up for diabetic drivers by a driver's personal physician.

When used, these forms must be retained in the driver's 19-A file.

DS-874C - SUPPLEMENT TO: Medical Examination of Driver Report Under Article 19-A

This form is to be used if additional space for written comments/information requested on the DS-874 form is needed by the medical examiner, or the driver being examined. When used, it must be attached as a supplement to the medical examination form DS-874 and retained in the driver's 19-A file.

Please make your medical examiner aware of this new form.

REVISED Forms

DS-874 - Medical Examination Report of Driver Under Article 19-A

The revised DS-874 has been shortened to one sheet, front and back. If additional space for written comments/information is needed by the medical examiner or the driver, the new form DS-874C must be used and attached to the DS-874. A check box on the DS-874 must be marked when the DS-874C is used. Other changes include:

- two blood pressure readings must be recorded on the form;
- the license or certificate number and issuing state of the medical examiner or supervising physician (when applicable) must be recorded;
- clarification that only the Advance Practice Nurse who is not a Nurse Practitioner when conducting the 19-A examination must have the examination report co-signed by the supervising physician.

Please make your medical examiner aware of the revised DS-874 form.

CDL-15 - The Ideal Article 19-A Driver's File

Forms used and referenced now reflect the current versions.

To reduce printing and mailing costs, we are not attaching paper copies of the new and revised forms with this memo. The forms can be found online at <http://dmv.ny.gov/art19.htm>. Please begin using these new and updated forms. If you have any questions, please contact the Bus Driver Unit at (518) 473-9455.

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