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**COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES****EMERGENCY RULE CONCERNING
1 CCR 204-14, License Plate Retirement****STATEMENT OF EMERGENCY JUSTIFICATION AND ADOPTION**

Pursuant to the State Administrative Procedure Act, Title 24, Article 4, C.R.S., as amended, I, Roxanne Huber, Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Revenue, am adopting this emergency rule on behalf of the Division of Motor Vehicles. I find the immediate adoption of this rule is imperatively necessary to comply with state or federal law or federal regulation.

Statutory Authority:

This emergency regulation is promulgated under the authority of 42-1-102 (24), 42-1-102 (41.5), 42-1-204, 42-3-207(1) (b) (II), 42-3-212(7), 42-3-214(7), 42-3-215(7), 42-3-216(7), 42-3-221(6), 42-3-222(6), 42-3-223(6), 42-3-224(2)(b) and 42-3-225(2)(b) C.R.S.

Purpose:

The purpose of this regulation is to establish a process to be followed to retire license plate types due to the statutory threshold of issued plates not being met, adverse audit findings or any other statutorily supported eligibility for plate retirement as determined by the department. The department received a request from the Senate and House Transportation Committee to allow individuals to retain retired/eliminated plates. This emergency filing will bring the rule into compliance with the statutorily required elimination dates so that the legislator does not have to extend them.

This emergency rule is adopted and shall be effective on this 8th day of May, 2008.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Roxanne Huber", is written over a horizontal line.

Roxanne Huber
Executive Director
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