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TLC, DMV EXTEND FOR-HIRE VEHICLE REGISTRATION PERIODS
The New York City Taxi and Limousine Commission (TLC) announces that the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) has joined the TLC in extending the registrations of all for-hire vehicles whose registrations expire on February 28, 2002. DMV registrations have been extended through midnight, Friday, March 8, 2002. New York City TLC diamond sticker expiration dates have been extended to 12:01 a.m. on March 18, 2002. These extensions have no effect on the vehicle’s insurance coverage, and registrants must maintain current and active insurance at all times.

These considerations are in addition to the TLC’s newly-implemented mandatory licensing policies (see Industry Notices #02-04 and #02-06 for details) requiring that all for-hire vehicle transactions be handled by appointment through the TLC-licensed base with which the vehicle owner is affiliated or plans to affiliate.

The TLC is pleased to have undertaken the aforementioned initiatives to assist and support its regulated industries during the period in which the majority of for-hire vehicle transactions take place due to their common February 28 DMV registration expiration date.