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**Date:** December 15, 2014

**From :** WILLIAM G. BRENNAN  
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**Subject:** CONSIDERATION OF THE REVISED *GUIDE TO THE NEW MOTOR VEHICLE BOARD* TO INCLUDE INFORMATION ON STATUTORY AND REGULATORY CHANGES

The enclosed *Guide to the New Motor Vehicle Board* was reviewed and revised most recently at the April 9, 2014, General Meeting. It is being updated to reflect legislative changes that are effective January 1, 2015. The table of contents and all page references were updated. Additionally, the Preface was updated to reflect changes to the Office of Administrative Law's website pertaining to access to the California Code of Regulations. The pertinent changes, as indicated below, are in italic/underline and strikeout font.

- The section "New as of 2015" has been updated to reflect Assembly Bill 988, which amends the definition of all-terrain vehicle (Veh. Code § 111) to include recreational off-highway vehicles (ROHVs) as defined in Section 500 and utility terrain vehicles (UTVs) as defined in Section 531. Dealers, manufacturers and distributors of these vehicles are now subject to DMV's licensing requirements and fall within the jurisdiction of the Board. It was also updated to reflect that the decision in *Powerhouse Motorsports Group, Inc., et al. v. Yamaha Motor Corporation, U.S.A.* (2013) 221 Cal.App.4th 867 [164 Cal.Rptr.3d 811] was final.

There were no other substantive changes.

This topic is being agendized for discussion and consideration at the February 11, 2015, General Meeting. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (916) 324-6197 or Robin at (916) 323-1536.

Enclosures

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