7410.4540 KNOWLEDGE TEST ADMINISTRATION.

Subpart 1. **Uniform practices.** The commissioner shall practice the same testing procedures at all examination sites.

Subp. 2. **Application identification required.** All applicants must present identification before taking a knowledge test as required in part 7410.4300.

Subp. 3. Classroom completion required for minor.

A. Before taking a knowledge test, all previously unlicensed applicants under the age of 18 must provide proof to the commissioner of having completed the classroom phase of a department-approved driver's education program.

- B. Proof of having completed the classroom course is satisfied by presenting a fully completed, department-authorized certificate of enrollment, with the signature of an authorized official of a department-approved or -licensed driver's education program, or presenting proof of completion in an electronic format specified by the commissioner.
- C. If the applicant completed driver's education in another state, an official letter or written or electronically transmitted form attesting to completion of training comparable to Minnesota's requirements and verified by a public, private, or commercial school authority is acceptable proof of completion.
- D. If an applicant under the age of 18 already has a permit from another state, the knowledge test may be taken to convert the permit to a Minnesota permit and proof of completion of both the required classroom and behind-the-wheel training must be presented to the commissioner before the road test may be taken.
- E. After passing the knowledge test, applicants who are required or desire to obtain an instruction permit shall apply as required by Minnesota Statutes, section 171.06.

Statutory Authority: MS s 14.06; 171.04; 171.13; 171.165; 299A.01

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