# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

# **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER INFORMATION**

# What is a Voluntary Surrender?

A voluntary surrender allows a limousine operator to voluntarily cancel their permit to avoid suspension or cancellation by MnDOT of their limousine service permit.

### When do providers need a Voluntary Surrender?

Limousine operators may need to temporarily suspend their business operation for a period of time due to circumstances such as extended travel, inability to maintain insurance coverage or other operational issues. In such cases they would notify MnDOT by submitting a Voluntary Surrender. This would relieve the limousine operator of their statutory obligations.

### How long does it last?

It is in effect up to one year. After one year, operator must reapply and pay application fee.

#### Can a limo operator provide services while a Voluntary Surrender is in effect?

No. A provider must have a current limousine service permit on file to be able to provide limousine services.

## Will the vehicle(s) need to be inspected when the provider reapplies for a certificate of compliance?

Inspection dates are determined by the date on the limousine identification decal.

#### Where do I get a Voluntary Surrender form?

Online (www.mndot.gov/cvo/limo) or from the Office of Freight and Commercial Vehicle Operations.

#### Where do I send the Voluntary Surrender form?

Mail:

Minnesota Department of Transportation Freight and Commercial Vehicle Operations 395 John Ireland Blvd., Mail Stop 420 Saint Paul, MN 55155.

Fax: 651-366-3718

For more information visit www.mndot.gov/cvo/limo or call 651-366-3700

December 2018