CHANGE OF IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION
ON IDAHO LICENSE OR IDENTIFICATION RECORDS

Legal Authorization
Idaho Code Sections 49-306, 49-1607, and 49-2443

Purpose
This policy defines change of identification requirements for licenses and/or identifications issued by the Idaho Transportation Department’s Division of Motor Vehicles.

Every application for an Idaho driver’s license, dealer salesman’s license, or identification card shall provide the true and full name, date of birth, and sex (gender) of the applicant, as evidenced by the applicant’s certified copy of a birth certificate or other satisfactory evidence. The sex (gender) of an individual refers to the person’s physical state of being as noted on the birth certificate. The information on the birth certificate shall be considered as primary identification, and will be recorded by the department unless other satisfactory evidence is presented. Birth certificate information may be superseded only by the following:

Name designation: A marriage certificate, divorce decree, or other court document evidencing a legal change of name. A marriage certificate shall only be used to change the last name.

Sex (Gender) designation: A court order, or an original affidavit of a licensed medical doctor signifying that the individual has undergone a change of gender. If a person possesses both a Department-issued identification card and a driver’s license, the sex (gender) designation shall be the same on both.

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