Saskatchewan’s One-part Driver’s Licence

Highlights

Transition period
- During the transition to the new licence, the licence renewal term will vary between one to five years based on the expiry date of the customer’s current photo identification card.
- If the licence holder intends to pay the full term ($100) up front the renewal fee will be pro-rated based on the length of that term.
- All subsequent renewals will be for a five-year term.

Security features:

Look
Laser engraving – The personal information (including photograph, wave, signature and bar codes) is burned directly into the core of the card. Any attempt to alter the data will visibly damage the licence.

High quality photo with background – There is a fine linework pattern behind the photo. It should be obvious if the photo has been substituted as this would result in a hard edge around the picture.

Signature – The cardholder’s signature is laser-engraved into the core of the card and partially overlaps the photo.

Clear window – The card has an oval-shaped clear window containing a secondary photo image that can be viewed from the front and back of the card. When viewed from the back of the card, there is a reverse photo of the cardholder and the wave feature text applied on the front of the card is partially visible.

Wave feature – A wavy line that can be felt runs at the bottom of the window and partially into the window area. The wave is variable size text containing the cardholder’s date of birth and name.

Touch
Tactile data fields – A laser engraved feature creates the effect of raised printing on the card. On the front of the card the date of birth, date of expiry, customer number and wave are raised and have a tactile feel.

Clear laser – A unique clear laser feature that is difficult to see, but easy to feel. On the front of the card, it is etched on the left side of the photograph and contains the customer number, date of birth and gender. A clear laser feature is also etched in the middle portion on the back of the card. This text represents the cardholder’s date of birth.

Listen
Polycarbonate card – The new card is made of a highly durable material that makes a distinct sound when dropped on a hard surface.

Current two-part driver’s licence

New one-part driver’s licence