

MVA Meeting Summary  
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**Agency:** MDOT-MVA

**Date of Meeting:** July 28, 2009

Following is a summary of issues discussed at the MDOT-MVA Stat on July 23 2009. Analysis is provided by StateStat and the Governor’s Delivery Unit (GDU).

**General Discussion**

- **Real ID.** Due to Federal Real ID requirements the Department revised its processes to account for new documentation requirements when issuing drivers licenses. The Department was able to complete these changes in 45 days.
- So far, the Department has issued over 126,000 licenses since the change was implemented.
- **Ignition Interlock Program (IIP).** The StateStat panel regularly reviews the status of the Ignition Interlock Program. Participants in the program are given devices which check blood alcohol levels via breath test; if the test is over the legal limit, the device prevents the car from starting.
- The following chart shows the number of participants whose restrictions were removed, either for successful completion of the program or for too many violations. Those with too many violations who are in the program through court order are returned to the court for failing to meet the terms of sentencing.

