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### **UPDATE: MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS ACT, 2002 REGULATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE**

We recently advised you that the Motor Vehicle Dealers Act, 2002 (MVDA 2002) will become law on **April 1, 2009**. The Ministry of Small Business and Consumer Services has now officially released the Regulations under the new Act. Regulations contain far more detail concerning the application of the Act.

#### **The MVDA 2002 Regulations can be viewed online at:**

[http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/html/source/regs/english/2008/elaws\\_src\\_regs\\_r08333\\_e.htm](http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/html/source/regs/english/2008/elaws_src_regs_r08333_e.htm)

The current Motor Vehicle Dealers Act, as well as the new MVDA 2002, governs the business practices of Ontario's motor vehicle dealers and salespeople. OMVIC will have the same role when MVDA 2002 goes into effect.

#### **What happens next?**

Leading up to the April 1, 2009 implementation date OMVIC will be issuing information about the new Act and your obligations as a dealer. We will keep you posted with regular updates.

Watch for upcoming issues of *The Dealer Standard*, bulletins sent via broadcast email and fax, as well as OMVIC's web site ([www.omvic.on.ca](http://www.omvic.on.ca)) for ongoing updates and announcements. A number of materials will be provided to assist you in understanding the impact of MVDA 2002.

#### **It will be important for you to know what these changes are and how they will affect you.**

We once again remind you of the importance of providing OMVIC with your email address and keeping that information current. If you have not already done so, please advise us of your email address by sending it to [omvic@omvic.on.ca](mailto:omvic@omvic.on.ca).

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