

Legal Services

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Q & A

My driver's licence was suspended for drinking and driving but I blew under the legal limit of .08. Why?

Drivers who blow in the "warn" range of .05 to .08 will receive an immediate driver's licence suspension at the roadside.

- 3 days for a first occurrence.
- 7 days for a second occurrence and you must undergo a remedial alcohol education program.
- 30 days for a third or subsequent occurrence in a five-year period and you must undergo a remedial alcohol treatment program and have an ignition interlock condition placed on your licence for 6 months. If you choose not to install an ignition interlock device, you must not drive until the condition is removed from your licence.

An administrative monetary penalty is also imposed on drivers suspended for registering in the "warn" range.



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