

### NH Department of Safety Division of Motor Vehicles 23 Hazen Drive, Concord, NH 03305

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Director of Motor Vehicles

## **Parent or Guardian Authorization Certificate**

New Hampshire law requires a minimum of 40 hours of practice driving with a licensed adult in addition to the Certified Driver Education Program. Ten hours of the supervised driving time shall be completed during the period from ½ hour after sunset to ½ hour before sunrise. We encourage you to practice as much as possible with your child. Please note that the law states that the driver must be at least 15 years, 6 months old and the licensed driver must be at least 25 years of age.

#### **261:53 Application of Minors:**

- I. The application of any person under the age of 18 years to register a vehicle shall be signed by the father, mother, or guardian, or in the event there is no parent or guardian, then by another responsible adult. This paragraph shall not apply to a person under the age of 18 years who is emancipated by marriage or who has presented other proof of insurance coverage at the time of application.
- II. Any person who has signed the application of a minor for registration may thereafter file a written request that the registration can be cancelled and the division shall cancel the registration.
- III. Upon receipt of satisfactory evidence of the death of a person who signed the application of a minor for registration, the division may suspend such registration and, upon suspension, shall not issue a new registration until such time as a new application, duly signed and verified, is made as required by this section.
- **263:17** Special Requirements for Minors: No person under the age of 18 years shall be issued a driver's license unless the person's father, mother or guardian, or, in the event there is no parent or guardian, another responsible adult, gives written permission for the issuance of such license, insurance coverage is presented at the time of application, or the person under 18 years is emancipated by marriage.
- **263:18** <u>Cancellation of Minor's License</u>: Upon receipt of satisfactory evidence of the death of the person who signed the application of a minor for a license as required by RSA 263:17, the division may cancel such license and, upon such cancellation, shall not issue a new license until such time as a new application, duly signed and verified, is made as required by this chapter.

## **Instructions**

Parent or Guardian may select one of two options listed on the reverse side of this form. Section 1 requires signature of the parent or guardian. Section 2 shall be completed by the insurance company when a parent or guardian will not execute Section 1. Section 3 shall be completed by the applicant, if under 18 years and emancipated by marriage or emancipated by a civil union.

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# This Authorization is signed under the penalty of unsworn falsification pursuant to RSA 641:3

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Printed Name of Applicant		Date of Birth
Applicant's Address		
Must Co	omplete Either	Section 1, 2 or 3
	Section 1	
applicant, and hereby grants undersigned also certifies t practice driving as required by	s permission for the inhat the applicant has by RSA 263:19 (signed en hours of the super	the support and care of the above named issuance of a license/registration. The received a minimum of 40 hours of d under penalty of unsworn falsification wised driving time shall be completed in before sunrise.
Signature of Parent or Guardian		Date
Printed Name of Parent or Guardian	l	
Address of Parent or Guardian		
	Section 2	
The Insurance Company sign issued an insurance policy.	natory hereto certifies t	that the above named applicant has been
Name of Insurance Company	Address	;
Policy Number	Effective Date	Expiration Date
Signature of Authorized Company F	Representative	Date
	Section 3	}
The undersigned has been (attach copy of Certificate of		riage or emancipated by a civil union e of Civil Union).
Signature of Applicant		Date

(Signed under penalty of unsworn falsification pursuant to RSA 641:3)