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Prisoner of War Registration Plate

PennDOT is proud to announce the issuance of the newly designed Prisoner of War Registration plate. The prisoner of war registration plate was redesigned allowing the plate to be incorporated into PennDOT's "family of plates" color scheme.

The updated plate design reflects the "Family of Plates" color scheme of blue, white and yellow. Pennsylvania is printed at the top. The configuration starts with the letters POW, followed by 3 additional characters and is printed in blue lettering. The Prisoner of War Medal is in the center of the plate between the letters POW and the 3 additional characters. The words "Prisoner of War" are printed at the bottom of the plate. The old-style prisoner of war registration plates with the red and blue lettering on a white background are still valid and remain in use.

Vehicle owners that have the old-style prisoner of war registration plate and wish to obtain the newly designed plate may request a replacement plate featuring the updated design by completing Form MV-44, "Application for Duplicate Registration Card, Replacement of Registration Plate, Renewal Sticker or Weight Class Sticker of Transfer of Registration." In Section B, the reason blocked "other" would be checked and the explanation should indicate "new-style prisoner of war plate requested." The replacement fee of \$7.50 is required. Owners are not required to replace their old style plate with the new design.

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