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## COMPTROLLER'S MEMORANDUM NO. 2007-16

TO:

All Department Heads

SUBJECT:

Removal of Bumper Stickers, Decals and Dealers License Plate Frames

This memorandum supercedes Comptroller's Memorandum No. 2003-12. To avoid conflicts of interest, license plate covers, bumper stickers and decals that may be interpreted as conveying messages that are sympathetic to a political point of view or candidate, or that involve advertising, are not allowed on State-owned or leased vehicles. Government vehicles should not be used to promote political or commercial interest.

In addition, license plate covers that may obscure and/or make the license plate difficult to read are also not allowed.

Please have your staff inspect all vehicles and remove any license plate covers, bumper stickers, or decals that are not allowed. Call Mr. Brian Saito, Automotive Services Administrator, at 586-0343 if you have any questions.

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