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Written driver tests now electronic with statewide installation of Colorado Automated Testing System

December 16, 2014 – DENVER, Colo. – The statewide deployment of the Colorado Automated Testing System was completed on December 8. This system allows customers at the Colorado Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) to take written driver knowledge tests electronically.

“Electronic testing will help us continue our work to reduce wait times and improve our customer experience,” said DMV Senior Director Mike Dixon. “The automated tests offer visual cues and have sound capabilities that improve the testing process.”

When taking a written test for a basic driver, motorcycle or commercial driver license, customers will use a touch screen computer station. The customer has the option of reading the test on screen or listening to the test through headphones (provided by the department or the customer’s own). Throughout the test, the customer will be updated on their progress, including the number of questions answered incorrectly, and will be informed immediately upon completion if they have passed or failed. Previously, all tests were taken with pencil and paper and customers had to wait for them to be manually scored by a driver license technician.

For more information regarding automated testing office locations or to make an appointment, go to www.colorado.gov/dmv.

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