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**Subject:** Change to interpretation of 22 VAC 40-131-180.J.1.c

**Importance:** High

This email has been sent to licensed child-placing agencies by bcc, and is to inform licensed child-placing agencies of a change in the interpretation box for standard 22 VAC 40-131-180.J.1.c. The Standards for Licensed Child-Placing Agencies with Interpretation Guidelines, effective 5/1/2012, will not be re-published at this time. Please inform all staff responsible for home studies of this change. If you have questions, please contact your Licensing Specialist or myself.

**Current language of interpretation box:**

“A Virginia driving record must be obtained. If the applicant has resided in another state in the past two years, it is recommended that the out of state driving record be obtained in addition to a Virginia driving record.”

**Revised interpretation language:**

“A Virginia driving record must be obtained if the individual holds a Virginia driver’s license. If the individual holds an out-of-state driver’s license, the out-of-state driving record must be obtained.”

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