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**\*\*\*IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO ALL MOTOR VEHICLE AUCTION OWNER'S \*\*\***

Pursuant to the completion of the periodic rule review of Chapter 3 of the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) in accordance with sections 106.03 and 106.031 of the Revised Code, amendments to OAC 4501:1-3-33, Place of business required for motor vehicle auction owner, are effective February 27, 2015. The amendments include the following:

- The auction area shall be open during the posted business hours. The business hours shall be legible and posted in a conspicuous place near the entrance of the business and the auction shall notify the registrar in writing of any change in the posted business hours.
- The business telephone number shall be legible and posted in a conspicuous place in public view, and the auction shall notify the Registrar in writing of any change in the business telephone number.
- The auction facilities may be used to conduct a public auction of repossessed motor vehicles and a motor vehicle dealer auction simultaneously. All inventories shall be maintained and separated at all times.
- Any person in attendance for a public auction of repossessed motor vehicles shall be separately identified and prohibited from participating in a motor vehicle dealer auction.

Visit [www.OhioAutoDealers.com](http://www.OhioAutoDealers.com) and select Ohio Motor Vehicle Laws and Rules to view all statutes that affect your dealership or you may call the Dealer Licensing Section at 614-752-7636.

**Mission Statement**

*"to save lives, reduce injuries and economic loss, to administer Ohio's motor vehicle laws and to preserve the safety and well being of all citizens with the most cost-effective and service-oriented methods available."*