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Notice to Nevada Financial Institutions and Lenders regarding Vehicle Titles

The Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles has accumulated a significant backlog in processing vehicle titles. As of August 4, the Department is approximately 34 days behind. The Department is taking steps to address this backlog by continuously recruiting, streamlining business processes, looking for temporary employees, and asking current DMV employees who have prior experience in titles to work overtime. The Department is also exploring longer-term solutions to help us catch up and prevent a recurrence of this issue.

To the extent your companies are able, the DMV asks for your help in working with Nevada independent and franchised automobile dealers to provide them with some leeway in obtaining titles from the DMV. This will help the dealers not to feel pressured to request "expedited" titles from the Department, which exacerbates the title backlog situation. It will also help the dealers from having to unwind sales, causing cash flow issues for them and unhappy customers.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Julie Butler". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Julie Butler
Director