



# Request for Policy Revision

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This revision applies to Existing Policy 6-4-24

If new, recommended section \_\_\_\_\_

This revision is necessary to comply with Does not apply

Who does this revision affect? Department

This revision does not have an unbudgeted financial impact of \$0

**Brief reason for the revision:**

OPO recommendations for better grammar creating a clearer policy and more uniform enforcement approach.

**Document the changes or additions to Policy below. Please include the specific policy number. ~~Red strikethroughs~~ will be used for deletions and blue underlined for text insertions. Please email completed forms to [APDPolicy@austintexas.gov](mailto:APDPolicy@austintexas.gov).**

## 342 Traffic Enforcement

### 342.3.5 FAILURE TO MAINTAIN FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Officers must confirm drivers' current proof of insurance per state law. When drivers ~~who~~ do not have current proof of insurance on hand, officers shall make an inquiry through the Texas Sure Database to confirm if the driver has insurance on file.

(a) The inquiry shall be performed on the MDC or through Communications by running a license plate check.

(b) If the Texas Sure Database is not accessible during the stop, officers shall ~~note on the back of the citation "SURE was down"~~ issue a citation with a note on the citation "SURE was down".