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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING YOUR ASSOCIATE AUCTIONEER LICENSE

Due to a change in the Illinois Auction License Act, your associate auctioneer license is now an **auctioneer** license. According to Section 10-15 (a) of the Act the Department shall no longer issue or renew any associate auctioneer license. A new license and pocket card is enclosed which reflects your new license designation of auctioneer. You should begin to carry the new pocket card. The old license and pocket card can be destroyed.

225 ILCS 407-10-15 (a)

Section 10-15 (a). Associate Auctioneer license discontinuance.

- (a) Upon the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly, the Department shall no longer issue or renew any associate auctioneer license.*
- (b) Any person who holds a valid license as an associate auctioneer on the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 96th General Assembly shall be issued an auctioneer license without having to apply to the Department or pay any fee. Such licensee's previous record as an associate auctioneer, including any past discipline imposed on him or her, shall become part of his or her auctioneer license record. The expiration date of such licensee's auctioneer license shall be the same as the expiration date of his or her associate auctioneer license.*
- (c) Upon receipt of an auctioneer license issued by the Department pursuant to this Section, a licensee's associate auctioneer license shall no longer be valid.*

If your associate auctioneer license was real estate exempt (442), then your auctioneer license remains real estate exempt (440).

The Illinois Auction License Act and Administrative Rule can be accessed from the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation Auction webpage:

<http://www.idfpr.com/dpr/RE/auctioneers.asp>

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact our office at 217/782-3414.