



Driving While License Suspended or Revoked:

1. Question: I've been charged with driving while license suspended or revoked. What kind of penalty does this charge carry?

Answer: Most people don't know that the consequences of a conviction of Driving While License Suspended or Revoked in Pennsylvania can be severe. Many individuals charged with this offense do not realize that it is a summary offense in Pennsylvania punishable by up to six months in jail depending upon the individual's prior record and reason for the suspension. Additionally, a conviction of Driving While License Suspended may cause your license to be revoked for at least an additional year, and in some cases for individuals with multiple convictions, it may result in mandatory jail time and fines over a \$1000.00.

If your license is suspended for failing to pay a ticket, you need to talk with an attorney right away. In most cases, it may be possible to enter a not guilty plea and request a hearing on the outstanding ticket, so the suspension may be removed. Then, at the hearing for Driving Under Suspension we can show that you took the necessary steps to fix the problem. This is one area where an attorney can be very successful in negotiating a lesser charge with the officer. Remember each new conviction for driving under suspension will result in an additional year of suspension. Accordingly, it is imperative that you take care of this type of charge right away.

If your license has been suspended under 75 Pa.C.S.A. 1543(b), driving under suspension DUI related, the penalties are even more severe. The penalties for a conviction under this statute for a first-time offender are a fine of not less than \$500.00 and a period of imprisonment of not less than 60 days. If you had alcohol in your system at the time you were driving under suspension the fine is \$1000.00 and the period of imprisonment is not less than 90 days. For a second offense the fine is \$2500 with imprisonment of not less than six months!

2. Question: How can attorney Jenkins help me "get out of" the charge of Driving While License Suspended?

Answer: Speaking to an experienced attorney from the Law Offices of Jason A. Jenkins about your case can help you minimize, and often eliminate, the adverse effects of Driving While License Revoked. Our goal is to benefit you in the following ways:

1. A negotiated reduction of your present offense to minimize or eliminate the consequences of your driving record and insurance rates.
2. Outstanding service and results at reasonable fees, with payment plans available.

3. Question: If I'm charged with Driving While License Revoked what is the bottom line? What do I need to do?

Answer: Hire an attorney to represent you. You will have an experienced professional working hard to get you the most favorable result. An attorney from the Law Offices of Jason A. Jenkins can possibly obtain a dismissal or a reduced penalty for you. No one in today's business world can afford to lose his or her license. No one should ever run the risk of driving while their license is revoked because they decided to ignore a traffic citation. We have extensive experience in handling traffic cases. Our office is located at 1908 Allen Street, Allentown, Pennsylvania, 18104. Our phone number is (610) 432-7040.