



National Nuclear Security Administration Nevada Field Office



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NNSA/NFO Real ID Act of 2005 Implementation Revised

The REAL ID Act, passed by Congress in 2005, enacted the 9/11 Commission's recommendation that the Federal Government "set standards for the issuance of sources of identification, such as driver's licenses." The purposes covered by the Act are: accessing Federal facilities, entering nuclear power plants, and, no sooner than 2016, boarding federally regulated commercial aircraft.

The following revised guidance is being provided regarding the Nevada Field Office (NFO) implementation of the REAL ID Act of 2005. These requirements are effective immediately and apply to Nevada Enterprise (NvE) personnel and individuals requiring access to any NFO facilities under the direct control of the federal office and its contractors.

The REAL ID Act became effective nationwide on May 11, 2008. The state of Nevada (NV) began issuing REAL ID compliant credentials after November 12, 2014. The NV REAL ID compliant credentials are identified with a gold circle containing a star in the upper right corner of the card (see Attachment 1, Figure 1). The NV non-compliant credentials state, "Not for Federal Official Use" (see Attachment 1, Figure 2). The states and territories listed in the attachment (Figure 3) do not comply with the REAL ID requirements. Figure 3 of the attachment will be updated as states and territories achieve or lose REAL ID compliance certification.

In order to gain access to NFO facilities, individuals must present a valid form of identification (ID) listed in Option A of this memorandum. If the individual presents a driver's license or ID card from a non-compliant state, then he or she must also present a secondary form of ID listed in Option B. If the visitor is unable to meet one of these requirements, access may be granted under escort.

The NFO Badge Office will continue to accept NV issued driver's licenses and IDs (issued prior to November 12, 2014 that do not have the REAL ID identifier, a gold circle containing a star in upper right corner) until a final date is established mandating REAL ID identifiers on all state or U.S. Territory issued credentials. In addition, the NFO Badge Office will accept non-compliant NV driver's licenses and ID cards (issued after November 12, 2014) that state "Not for Federal Official Use," from NvE personnel who have an active security badge in the NFO badging system until July 31, 2015. This consideration is limited to members of the NvE community; it allows several months for these individuals to acquire the required documents to meet the NV DMV requirements for REAL ID credentials and obtain a compliant NV driver's license or ID card.

Individuals unable to provide a valid form of ID listed in Option A or a combination of a non-compliant REAL ID and acceptable ID listed in Option B may be granted NFO access under escort. The individual will be issued an "Escort Required" badge and must have their escort

present at the time of badge issue. The escort will be issued an “Escort” badge and will be required to display it at all times and can only remove it upon termination of the visit or when relinquishing escort duties to a qualified escort. Escorts must be either a permanently badged, NFO individual or possess a DOE issued HSPD-12 badge and knowledgeable of the NFO Escort Policy. Exceptions to the NFO access requirements must be submitted, with appropriate justification, to the NFO Assistant Manager for Safety and Security for approval.

The NFO Badge Offices will compile statistics of the number of visitors who present non-REAL ID compliant, state-issued driver’s licenses or ID cards, listing the number of visitors by state. Facilities outside the Las Vegas area will also compile the same statistics and provide them to the NFO Badge Office supervisor no later than the third calendar day of the following month.

Following are links that provide information on the NFO Visitor Access Process, REAL ID Act of 2005, and NV DMV REAL ID requirements.

NFO Facility Visitor Access Process

<https://nvhome.nv.doe.gov/amss/Shared%20Documents/NFO%20Visitor%20Access%20Process.pdf>

Department of Homeland Security REAL ID Brief

<http://www.dhs.gov/real-id-enforcement-brief>

Nevada Department of Motor Vehicle REAL ID

<http://www.dmvnv.com/realid.htm>

The following table outlines the acceptable forms of identification documents, for U.S. citizens, as proof of identity to access NNSA facilities where identification is required to be presented, as well as an alternate procedure. Any one of the three options are acceptable.

OPTION A	The following are acceptable forms of personal identification:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REAL ID compliant State-issued driver's license or identification card issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles (or equivalent) or one of the following: • U.S. passport • U.S. passport card • U.S. Customs and Border Protection trusted traveler card (Global Entry, NEXUS, SENTRI, FAST) • U.S. military ID card • U.S. military dependent's ID card • Department of Homeland Security-designated Enhanced Driver's License • Native American tribal photo ID • HSPD-12 PIV card from any government agency (for identification only) • Transportation Worker Identification Credential (TWIC)
OPTION B	An individual needs to present <u>one</u> of the following documents <u>with</u> their non-REAL ID compliant state-issued driver's license or identification card.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Federal, state or local government issued credentials for first responders with photograph • Birth Certificate (original or certified copy) • U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card • Certificate of U.S. Citizenship (Form N-560 or N-561) • Certificate of Naturalization (Form N-550 or N-570) • U.S. Citizen ID Card (Form I-197) • Native American Tribal document
OPTION C	An individual <u>with</u> only their non-REAL ID compliant state-issued driver's license or identification card*.
	Must be escorted at all times while within access-controlled areas.

ATTACHMENT 1

Figure 1 - NV REAL ID Driver's License



Figure 2 - NV REAL ID Non-Compliant Driver's License



U.S. STATES WITH DRIVER'S LICENSES THAT ARE NOT REAL ID ACT COMPLIANT

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Figure 3

Currently the following seven states and one territory are not REAL ID compliant:

- American Samoa
- Arizona
- Louisiana
- Minnesota
- New Hampshire
- New York