

IMPORTANT NOTICE

FINGERPRINT VENDOR LICENSURE

Beginning February 3, 2013 all fingerprint vendors must possess fingerprint vendor licensure for those entities that have their livescan machines currently registered with the Illinois State Police.

The Department adopted administrative rules, effective February 3, 2012, concerning the licensure of the fingerprint vendor profession. Section 10-5 (d) of the Illinois Private Detective, Private Alarm, Private Security, Fingerprint Vendor and Locksmith Act (Act) states, in part, that beginning 12 months after the adoption of the rules providing for licensure of fingerprint vendors persons performing fingerprint vendor services will need to have successfully completed a fingerprint vendor training course through the Department of State Police and be licensed as a fingerprint vendor through DFPR.

February 3, 2013 will mark twelve months since the rules have been adopted. As such, a fingerprint vendor license will be required in order perform the activities of this profession as set forth in Section 31 of the Act. Activity without proper licensure, will be considered unlicensed activity.

If you have any questions regarding licensure for this profession you may contact the Division's Technical Assistant Unit at 217-782-8556. You may review the Act & Rules and download the applications at www.idfpr.com.