MVD Hearing Guide

How to Protect Your License After a DUI Arrest in Arizona

If you've been arrested for DUI, the Arizona Motor Vehicle Division (MVD) may suspend your license before your court date. This guide explains how to request a hearing and what to expect throughout the process.



You Only Have 15 Days

After your arrest, you have 15 calendar days from the date you received your Admin Per Se Affidavit (usually at the time of arrest) to request a hearing with the MVD. If you miss this deadline, your license will be automatically suspended for 90 days or longer, regardless of the outcome in court.



How to Request a Hearing

- 1. Visit the AZ MVD website at azMVDnow.gov
- 2. Log in or create an account
- 3. Navigate to "Driver License" > "Actions" > "Request Hearing"
- 4. Upload your Admin Per Se paperwork and submit your request online
- 5. You may also submit by mail or fax (see affidavit for instructions)

What to Expect at the Hearing

- 1. Hearings are held telephonically or virtually
- 2. The MVD will review whether:
- 3. The officer had reasonable grounds to stop/arrest you
- 4. Your BAC was over the legal limit or you refused testing
- 5. You or your attorney can present evidence and challenge procedure
- 6. The hearing officer may uphold or cancel the suspension



Why You Should Have a Lawyer

An experienced DUI attorney can:

- Represent you during the hearing
- Challenge breath or blood test procedures
- Cross-examine the arresting officer (if present)
- Help you retain limited driving privileges



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