

of evidence to the contrary before the Commission. The Commissioner shall direct the return of any money or collateral to the person entitled thereto, at any time upon the acceptance and substitution by or on behalf of the person required to furnish the same, of other evidence of such person's ability to respond in damages, or at any time after three years from the expiration of the latest registration or license issued to such person, or at any time in the event of the death or permanent incapacity of such person to own and/or operate a motor vehicle, or upon other good cause shown therefor, provided no written notice shall have been filed with the Commissioner stating that a suit for damages, as aforesaid arising out of the ownership, maintenance, use or operation of a motor vehicle, as aforesaid, has been brought against such person, and upon the filing by such person with the Commissioner of an affidavit that he has abandoned his residence in this State or that he has made a *bona fide* sale of all motor vehicles owned by him and does not intend to own or operate any motor vehicle in this State for a period of one or more years.

See notes to sec. 164.

1931, ch. 498, sec. 187J.

174. If an owner's certificate of registration has been suspended under the provisions of this sub-title, such certificate shall not be transferred nor the motor vehicle in respect of which such certificate was issued, registered in another name, where the Commissioner has reasonable grounds to believe that such transfer or registration is proposed for the purpose or will have the effect of defeating the purpose of this sub-title. Provided, however, that such transfer of registration shall be permitted upon the furnishing of proof of financial responsibility to the Commissioner by such transferee whenever the Commissioner shall deem it necessary in furtherance of the purposes of this section. Nothing in this sub-title contained shall have the effect of preventing a transfer of the certificate of title of the motor vehicle of such owner.

1931, ch. 498, sec. 187K.

175. Nothing in this sub-title contained shall be held to apply to or affect policies of automobile insurance against liability which may now or hereafter be required by special sub-title, and such policies, if endorsed to conform to the requirements of this sub-title shall be accepted as proof of financial responsibility when required under this sub-title; nor shall anything in this sub-title contained be held to apply to or affect policies insuring solely the insured named in the policy against liability resulting from the maintenance, operation or use by other persons in the insured's employ or in his behalf of motor vehicles not owned by the insured.

1931, ch. 498, sec. 187L.

176. Any person who shall forge, or without authority, sign any evidence of ability to respond in damages as required by the Commissioner in the administration of this sub-title and any non-resident who shall operate a motor vehicle in this State from whom the privilege of operating any motor vehicle has been withdrawn as provided in Section 166 hereof, shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or imprisoned not more than thirty days or both.

See notes to sec. 164.