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**000. LEGAL AUTHORITY.**

This rule is adopted under the authority of Sections 49-201, 49-202(2), 49-205 and 49-507, Idaho Code. (12-26-90)

**001. TITLE AND SCOPE.**

This rule clarifies which individuals, agents or agencies are authorized to complete Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) inspections and under what conditions. (12-26-90)

**002. -- 099. (RESERVED).**

**100. GENERAL.**

01. Peace Officers and Special Agencies Inspections. As part of their regular assigned duties, any city, county, or state peace officer, or specified agent of the Department, may complete an affidavit of VIN inspection. (12-26-90)

02. Vehicle Dealer Inspections. Idaho vehicle dealers may complete VIN inspections as part of their normal sales activities on vehicles held in their individual inventories. (12-26-90)

03. Financial Institution Inspections. An employee of any bank that is authorized to do business in Idaho or an employee of any other financial institution registered with the Department of Finance, may complete VIN inspections as a part of normal business activity. (12-26-90)

04. Special Agent Inspections. Other special designated agents of the Department may complete VIN inspections, as stipulated in a formal agreement between the Department and the special agent, i.e. vehicle rental companies allocating portions of their fleets to Idaho. (12-26-90)

05. VIN Inspections Required. A VIN inspection shall be required whenever a certificate of title has not previously been issued for the vehicle in this state or whenever the Department is dissatisfied with the authenticity of the vehicle identification number. (12-26-90)

**101. -- 999. (RESERVED).**