

## Georgia Motor Fuel Tax Informational Bulletin Temporary Waiver of State Dyed Fuel Penalties MFT-2024-01

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Due to the negative impacts of Tropical Storm Helene, Governor Kemp issued Executive Order 09.24.24.01 providing for state agencies to provide resources to protect life and property, and to ensure continuation, restoration and recovery of essential public services. To carry out the Governor's Executive Order, the Department of Revenue is providing a waiver of state penalties related to the use of dyed diesel in on-road vehicles in all 159 counties.

O.C.G.A. § 48-2-43 provides the State Revenue Commissioner with the authority to waive, in whole or in part, the collection of certain statutory penalties when he determines such waiver is reasonable. Commissioner O'Connell hereby temporarily waives any state penalties incurred for selling or delivering any dyed fuel oil and for consumption of dyed fuel oil that is consumed in on-road vehicles or for a highway use under O.C.G.A. § 48-9-16(e). This waiver terminates on 11:59 p.m. on October 31, 2024.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information, please contact Taxpayer Services at motorfuel@dor.ga.gov or at 1-877-423-6711 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.