



Department of  
Taxation and Finance

## Tax Year 2016 NYS Driver License Requirement:

The New York State Tax Department, in partnership and collaboration with the IRS and other states, continually assesses and improves its fraud deterrence systems for the mutual benefit of the State and its taxpayers, including the tax professional community.

- Beginning with Tax Year 2016, the collection of the taxpayers' driver license or state-issued ID (non-driver ID) information for electronically-filed personal income tax returns is **REQUIRED for all persons (tax payer as well as spouses)**. This requirement applies to driver licenses or state-issued IDs from any state.

\*The following information must be input into your tax returns:

- license or ID number;
- issuing state;
- issue date;
- expiration date; and
- document number (NYS-issued licenses and IDs only).