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OF THE
STATE OF COLORADO**

**PART 6
RULES REGULATING TRANSPORTATION BY MOTOR VEHICLE**

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BASIS, PURPOSE, AND STATUTORY AUTHORITY

The basis for and purpose of these rules is to describe the manner of regulation over persons providing transportation services by motor vehicle in or through the State of Colorado. These rules address a wide variety of subject areas including, but not limited to, safety, civil penalties, the issuance, extension, transfer, and revocation of operating authority, insurance and registration requirements, tariff and time schedule requirements, the identification, condition, and leasing of motor vehicles, record keeping, and service standards. These rules cover an array of