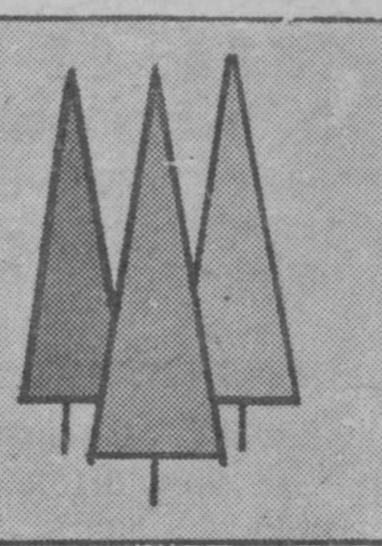


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## LINE-UPS PREDICTED AS LICENCE SALES LAG

With slightly less than one month to go before the February 28 deadline, over 2.4-million automobile owners have failed to purchase their 1977 licence renewal stickers, Minister of Transportation and Communications James Snow revealed.

Snow said, "If motorists do not soon make the effort to renew their passenger vehicle registration, the line-ups at issuing offices could be unbearable by the middle of February".

The red stickers have been on sale since December 1, and a Ministry spokesman stated there will be no extension of the deadline set for the end of February.

The stickers are available at 300 licence issuing offices throughout the province. The annual fees for automobiles will remain at \$40 for eight cylinders; \$32 for six cylinders; and \$23 for four cylinders or less.

To complete the renewal, motorists should take along their motor vehicle registration permit, completed proof of insurance form and the appropriate fee. Insurance forms are available at licence issuing offices and many Ontario liquor stores.