

GUIDE TO REPLACE LOST SPANISH DRIVING LICENCE members experience

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Should you lose your Spanish driving licence this is what you do.

- 1. Go to the Comisaria de Policia in your area and make a denuncia stating when and where you lost your Permiso (Licence) you WON'T get a duplicate without a denuncia.
- 2. Make an appointment online at Trafico and print a copy of it from the link provided below.

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3. Download the form and relevant information folio from the link below.

https://sede.dgt.gob.es/es/tramites-y-multas/permiso-deconduccion/duplicados/

You DO NOT need photos for duplicate licence.
Fill in the form in black ink and take it with you along with,

- 4. Original passport and photocopy of info page
- 5. Original NIE paper and photocopy
- 6. Original residencia and photocopy
- 7. Credit or Debit card in your name (if you don't have a card in your name and someone else pays for it with their card for you they will have to have their ID with them also).

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You DO NOT need cert. of empadronamiento

Go to Trafico (Malaga) and look to the left as you go through the doors, wait in the line until the person behind the glass asks people to come to the counter with cita previas.

She will give you a slip of paper with a desk number where you go as soon as the number is displayed on the electronic board.

Give the person the slip of paper with the number on it and smile (this throws them off balance completely) hand over the completed form, the denuncia/ passport, NIE/ Residencia and all relevant copies for the person to check. Payment will be taken from the card (19+ euros).

In return you will get

- 1. A Receipt of your payment.
- 2. A4 temporary permiso which lasts 3 months.
- 3. The assurance that (if you don't have any problems receiving mail through the post) you duplicate will appear within a month via correos
- 4. All your originals including the denuncia. (Make sure you get all your original paperwork back).

Come out and celebrate with a stiff drink due to the fact that you have taken all the correct paperwork and beaten them at their own game. I've done all this today, what happens next is anyone's guess.

The system of cita previa is fairly new and the appointment is always a week or so in the future, if you carry the original denuncia and the downloaded paper showing the cita previa with you in the car, you are covered to drive.

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