

Minnesota Commercial Truck and Passenger Regulations Fact Sheet

Uniform Hazardous Materials Transportation Registration Program

The Uniform Hazardous Materials (HM) Transportation Program

This program registers and permits interstate and intrastate carriers and shippers of hazardous materials and hazardous waste that **operate in or through one of the participating states**.

Applicability

Under Minnesota Statutes, Section 221.0355, the following persons are required to register their HM and hazardous waste transportation operations with Mn/DOT:

- A **carrier** who transports:
 - Materials that require vehicle placarding;
 - Hazardous substances or marine pollutants in bulk;
 - Hazardous waste that requires an EPA or MPCA hazardous waste manifest; or
 - Having its principal place of business in Minnesota or who designates Minnesota as their *base state* for purposes of this program.
- A **public entity** (federal or state agency or political subdivision) who transports materials that require vehicle placarding;
- A **rail or water carrier** who is also required to file registration with the United States Department of Transportation; and
- A **shipper** who maintains a facility in Minnesota and who is required to register with the US DOT and/or Minnesota's Department of Public Safety's Division of Emergency Management must also register their operations with Mn/DOT. **New definition of shipper:** "Shipper" means a person who offers a designated hazardous material *to another person* for shipment or who causes a designated hazardous material to be transported or shipped *by another person*.

Registration Requirements

If you need a new or renewal application packet, please call our office. You will need to indicate if you are an intrastate or interstate carrier. Carriers that operate within Minnesota have a much simplified application form to complete than previously. The table on the back page shows the registration requirements for different types of operations.

This Fact Sheet is intended as a resource. It is not intended to explain all the requirements of Minnesota or Federal law. The actual Statutes and Regulations are recommended as a resource, and can be purchased at the Minnesota Bookstore (phone number 651/297-3000 or 1-800-657-3757). For additional assistance contact the US DOT at 651/291-6150 or Mn/DOT's Office of Freight and Commercial Vehicle Operations.



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Uniform HazMat Registration Requirements Table

		Intrastate Application Form	Part I	Part II	Part III	Part IV	Flat Fee, \$15 Per Vehicle	Apportioned Per-Vehicle Fee	Plus \$50 Application Fee	\$250 Fee, Plus PHMSA Registration	No Fee	Proof of Insurance
Interstate	HazMat		X	X		X		X	X			X
	HazWaste		X	X	X	X		X	X			X
Intrastate	HazMat	X					X					X
	HazWaste		X	X	X	X		X	X			X
Shippers (All)										X		
Public Entity		x									X	
Rail & Water Carriers										X		

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