



STATE OF TENNESSEE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
TAXPAYER AND VEHICLE SERVICES DIVISION
MOTOR CARRIER SECTION
301 PLUS PARK BLVD.
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37217

**UNIFIED CARRIER REGISTRATION AGREEMENT
IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL INTERSTATE MOTOR CARRIERS AND MOTOR PRIVATE CARRIERS**

If you operate a truck or bus in interstate or international commerce the federal registration requirements of the Unified Carrier Registration Agreement (UCR) applies to your business.

The UCR Agreement requires individuals and companies that operate commercial motor vehicles in interstate or international commerce to register their business with Tennessee and pay an annual fee based on the size of their fleet. Private motor carriers of passengers are not required to register and pay fees under the UCR. The revenues generated will be used for enforcement of motor carrier safety programs.

You must register for the calendar year 2009 by December 31, 2008, in order to be in compliance with this filing requirement.

For purposes of determining fees, a "commercial motor vehicle" is defined as a self-propelled or towed vehicle used on the highways in commerce principally to transport passengers or cargo, if the vehicle:

- (a) has a GVWR or GVW of 10,001 pounds or more;
- (b) is designed to transport 11 or more passengers, including the driver; or
- (c) is used in transporting hazardous materials in a quantity requiring placarding.

THE FEE BRACKETS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Fleet Size (include trailers)	Fee Per Company
0 - 2	\$39.00
3 - 5	\$116.00
6-20	\$231.00
21-100	\$806.00
101 - 1,000	\$3,840.00
1,001 - or more	\$37,500.00

Included in this mailing is a UCR application form, instruction sheet and a blank Motor Carrier Identification Report – Form MCS-150. If your MCS-150 indicates that you are an interstate carrier, the fee is due. If your operation is strictly intrastate, complete your MCS-150, indicating the change, sign, date and return to our office. To avoid delays it is highly recommended that you register in the national UCR on-line system hosted by the Indiana Department of Revenue. Go to www.ucr.in.gov and follow the step by step instructions. Payments may be made on-line using MasterCard, Visa or e-Check.

Payments by mail may be made by certified check, money order, personal or company check made payable to the Tennessee Department of Revenue. Please place your USDOT # on the front of your payment. Mail your payment together with your completed UCR application form and your completed MCS-150 report to the address indicated above.

If you would like to learn more about UCR go to <http://www.tennessee.gov/revenue/forms/motorcarrier/unifiedcarrier.htm> or www.ucr.in.gov. or call 615-399-4266 or 1-888-826-3151.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: If you operated in 2008 and did not register in the UCR Program, you must pay both your 2008 and 2009 UCR fees to avoid possible enforcement action.