



South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles

Application for Certificate of Compliance for Operation of For-Hire Motor Vehicle Carriers

COC
(11/2025)

New Application - \$25

I am applying for a Certificate of Compliance for the first time. I understand that a \$25 fee is required for initial processing.

Renewal Application – No fee (\$0)

I am renewing an existing Certificate of Compliance. I understand no fee is required for this submission.

CHECK ONLY ONE

Class E-L: A carrier who operates a motor vehicle to transport commodities which are of extremely low value such as dump truck commodities. These commodities are determined by the Department and do not require cargo insurance.

Class E-LC: A carrier who operates a motor vehicle to transport property which is properly insured to carry any cargo.

Business Name: (Corporation, Partnership, Sole Proprietorship; With or Without Trade name)

If a Partnership, list names and addresses of ALL persons having an interest in the business. If a Corporation, list names and addresses of TWO principal officers:

If Incorporated, a copy of Articles of Incorporation MUST be attached.

Physical Address:

Mailing Address:

Telephone Number:

Fax Number:

If you have any questions, please call (803) 896-3870 or fax (803) 896-2698.

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Insurance limits are contained under Exhibit "A". Before operations may commence, you must contact your Insurance Company (not Agent) to file a Form E for Liability and IF required, a Form H for Cargo Insurance. **WE DO NOT ACCEPT THE ACCORD CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE.** Once you have complied with the above, you will be issued a Certificate of Compliance to operate.

Your operations may be subject to South Carolina Department of Public Safety, Safety Regulations. To determine which safety regulations may apply to your operations, you may call the State Transport Police at (803)896-5500.

Signature of Applicant

Date

EXHIBIT "A" INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR INTRASTATE TRANSPORTATION	
10,000 OR MORE POUNDS GVWR	
Non-Hazardous	\$750,000 per incident
Hazardous - Hazardous substances, as defined in 49 CFR 171.8, transported in cargo tanks, portable tanks or hopper-type vehicles with capacities in excess of 3,500 water gallons; or in bulk Division 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3 materials, Division 2.3, Hazard Zone A, or Division 6.1, Packing Group I, Hazard Zone A material; in bulk Division 2.1 or 2.2; or highway route controlled quantities of a Class 7 material, as defined in 49 CFR 173.403.	\$5,000,000 per incident
Hazardous - oil listed in 49 CFR 171.101; hazardous waste, hazardous materials and hazardous substances defined in 49 CFR 171.8 and listed in 49 CFR 172.101, but not mentioned in (2) above or (4) below.	\$1,000,000 per incident
LESS THAN 10,000 POUNDS GVWR	
Non-Hazardous	\$300,000 per incident
Hazardous - Hazardous substances, as defined in 49 CFR 171.8, transported in cargo tanks, portable tanks or hopper-type vehicles with capacities in excess of 3,500 water gallons; or in bulk Division 1.1, 1.2, and 1.3 materials, Division 2.3, Hazard Zone A, or Division 6.1, Packing Group I, Hazard Zone A material; in bulk Division 2.1 or 2.2; or highway route controlled quantities of a Class 7 material, as defined in 49 CFR 173.403.	\$5,000,000 per incident
CARGO INSURANCE LIMITS FOR CARRIERS REQUIRING E-LC COVERAGE	
For loss or damage to property carried on any one motor vehicle	\$5,000.00
Mail completed application along with a \$25.00 non-refundable filing fee to:	
<p style="text-align: center;">South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles - Motor Carrier Services Attention: Certificate of Compliance 10311 Wilson Blvd P.O. Box 1498 Blythewood, SC 29016-0027 (803) 896-3870</p>	

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