

NOTICE OF PROPOSED GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

Insurance Requirements for Motor Carriers

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 227.112, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation is hereby seeking comment on Insurance Requirements for Motor Carriers, ch. 194, 344, 348 and Trans 176 and 250-275, a proposed guidance document.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION

Comments may be submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation for 21 days by:

1. Department's website:

<https://appengine.egov.com/apps/wi/dot/guidance-docs?guidDocId=DMV393>

2. Mailing written comments to:

Division of Motor Vehicles
Wisconsin Department of Transportation
4822 Madison Yards Way
PO Box 7336
Madison, WI 53707-7336

WEBSITE LOCATION OF FINAL GUIDANCE DOCUMENT

The final version of this guidance document will be posted at wisconsin.gov to allow for ongoing comment.

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Intrastate and interstate for-hire motor carriers of property and passengers, any carrier of passengers by motor bus, and persons engaged in leasing motor vehicles without drivers must file evidence of proper [insurance coverage](#) as set forth in Sec. [194.41](#), [344.51](#), and [344.52](#), Stats. and Wis. Admin. Code [Trans 176](#).

Motor carriers that procure and utilize [oversize/overweight permits](#) must maintain proper insurance coverage in full force in effect while the vehicle and load designated in the permit is operating on the public highway as set forth in sec. [348.25\(5\)\(6\)](#), Stats. and [Wis. Admin. Code Trans 250](#) through 275.

An insurance company can file motor carrier insurance electronically. The Carrier and Trucking System (CaTS) provides a faster and more efficient way to do business with the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT). There is no cost to sign up or for using this service.

To use CaTS, you must:

- represent or be employed by an insurance underwriter.
- register to receive a [Wisconsin user ID](#) and password. The user ID and password allow you to conduct secure business with the State of Wisconsin over the Internet.
- complete access agreement [MV2424](#), Wisconsin Motor Carrier Registration Access Agreement, and submit to irp-ifta@dot.wi.gov or fax to (608) 266-6689.

To learn more about CaTS online insurance [filing and how to obtain access](#) or for more information about insurance requirements for motor carriers contact:

- Email Motor Carrier Insurance (irp-ifta@dot.wi.gov)
- Call: (608) 266-9900
- Write to the address below:
Wisconsin Department of Transportation
Motor Carrier Services
P.O. Box 7955
Madison, WI 53707-7955

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[Wisconsin Statute Chapter 194](#)

[Wisconsin Statute Chapter 344](#)

[Wisconsin Statute Chapter 348](#)

Motor carrier registration

International registration plan (IRP) or International fuel tax agreement (IFTA)

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