

APPLICATION INFORMATION/INSTRUCTIONS

1. A Self-Certification Form (DL-11CD) must be completed and submitted along with this form.
2. In accordance with the Motor Carrier Safety Improvement Act of 1999, you must provide the names and driver's license numbers (if known) of all States where you have previously been licensed to drive any type of motor vehicle during the previous 10 years. If there is not enough room, attach additional information on white paper. Include your current Pennsylvania driver's license number and your full name. PennDOT will review the driver histories from States listed and may assess sanctions, if required.
3. RENEWAL FEE:
 - **PLEASE NOTE:** If your license expires within 6 months, you must renew your license prior to applying for a CDL learner's permit.
 - **If you already have a CDL with a hazardous materials endorsement**, please call 800-932-4600 or 717-412-5300 prior to renewing. Federal regulations in support of the USA PATRIOT Act may affect your renewal. If recertification testing and/or Federal clearance is not complete, you could be decertified.
4. ORGAN DONATION AWARENESS TRUST FUND (ODTF): You have the opportunity to contribute \$1.00 to the Fund. The additional \$1.00 must be added and included in your payment. You must also check the block provided to ensure proper handling of your contribution. The ODTF provides for the development and implementation of donor awareness programs and funds shall be appropriated subject to the approval of the Governor.
5. INCREASE FEE:
 - A CDL costs \$10.00 more per year than a non-commercial license. Pay the appropriate increase fee if you are currently licensed as a non-commercial driver. If you already have a PA CDL, you do not have to pay an increase fee.
 - To calculate the number of months to use for your increase fee, look at your current license. Count the current month up to and including the month your license expires. EXAMPLE: If the current month is May, and your license expires in July, you would use 3 months for your required increase fee. If your license expires in:

0-6 Months.....	Don't pay an increase fee. Your annual fee is contained in the renewal fee.
7-12 Months.....	\$10.00 is due
13-24 Months.....	\$20.00 is due
	25-36 Months..... \$30.00 is due
	37-48 Months..... \$40.00 is due
6. HAZMAT FEE:
 - The fee is required for the original issuance or renewal of a CDL with an "H" or "X" endorsement. Include this fee if:
 - You have applied for a Hazardous Materials permit, regardless of your existing class of license, or
 - You are already a CDL driver with an "H" or "X" endorsement on your license and you are renewing with this form. (You must have passed your HAZMAT recertification prior to renewing your CDL or you will be decertified.)
 - Federal regulations issued in support of the USA PATRIOT Act affect drivers wishing to obtain or retain a hazardous materials endorsement. At the time you pass your Hazardous Materials Knowledge Test, you will additionally need to provide proof of US citizenship or appropriate immigration status, complete form DL-288, pay additional fees, submit fingerprints and undergo successful completion of a Federal criminal history background check. For more information, please visit our Web site at www.dmv.state.pa.us.
7. PHOTO FEE:
 - Except as noted below, all applications require a photo fee. When you pass your permit test(s), you will receive a new license reflecting your new status.
 - You do not need to pay a photo fee if you have previously been issued a CDL permit for the exact same categories you are applying for on this application. EXAMPLE: You previously received a CDL permit for Class B and a P Endorsement, but did not successfully pass testing. On this application, you again apply only for a Class B and a P Endorsement. In this example, no photo fee would be due.
8. Application must be forwarded with check made payable to PennDOT to: Bureau of Driver Licensing, P.O. Box 68272, Harrisburg, PA 17106-8272

NEED TO CHANGE OR CORRECT ANY INFORMATION?

Please do not use this form to make any change or correction to your information. If you currently hold a PA non-commercial license, attach form DL-901 to make your corrections. If you currently hold a PA CDL, use form DL-80CD and include the appropriate fees. Form DL-80CD will require notarization. These forms are available on our Web site at www.dmv.state.pa.us.

COMMERCIAL LICENSE INFORMATION

- CLASS A -** A permit to operate any combination of vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, provided the gross vehicle weight rating of the vehicle(s) being towed is in excess of 10,000 pounds. (HOLDERS OF CLASS A LICENSE MAY, WITH APPROPRIATE ENDORSEMENTS, OPERATE VEHICLES WITHIN COMMERCIAL CLASSES B & C.)
- CLASS B -** A permit to operate any single vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, or any such vehicle towing a vehicle not in excess of 10,000 pounds. (HOLDERS OF A CLASS B LICENSE MAY, WITH APPROPRIATE ENDORSEMENTS, OPERATE ALL VEHICLES WITHIN COMMERCIAL CLASS C.)
- CLASS C -** A permit to operate any single or combination vehicle that does not meet the definition of Class A or Class B and requires the H or P endorsement. Holding this class license does not authorize operation of vehicles requiring motorcycle classification.

ENDORSEMENTS - The following authorizations are required when operating vehicles of the type listed.

S - SCHOOL BUS (When adding an "S" endorsement, you must attach a School Bus Physical Exam Form DL-704)

***H** - TRANSPORTING HAZARDOUS MATERIALS **P** - PASSENGER VEHICLE CARRYING PASSENGERS **T** - DOUBLE AND TRIPLE TRAILERS

P - PASSENGER (C restriction removal not needed) ***X** - HAZARDOUS MATERIALS AND TANKER VEHICLE (H & N) **N** - TANK VEHICLES

***In accordance with Federal and State Hazardous Materials Regulations, operators of vehicles which require the "H" or "X" endorsement must be 21 years of age or older. Upon issuance of a commercial learner's permit, you will be subject to commercial driver penalties for any violations committed.**

RESTRICTIONS - The following restrictions prohibit you from operating certain type vehicles:

- L** - NOT EQUIPPED WITH AIR BRAKES (If you are going to drive a commercial vehicle with air brakes you must obtain a permit and pass the Air Brake Tests to avoid having an L Restriction on your Commercial License.)
- B** - May not drive a Class A bus
- C** - May not drive a Class A or B bus (The C restriction must be removed to operate to a Class B bus)

PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3709 OF THE VEHICLE CODE

Section 3709 provides for a fine of up to \$300 for dropping, throwing or depositing, upon any highway, or upon any other public or private property without the consent of the owner thereof or into or on the waters of this Commonwealth, from a vehicle, any waste paper, sweepings, ashes, household waste, glass, metal, refuse or rubbish or any dangerous or detrimental substance, or permitting any of the preceding without immediately removing such items or causing their removal.

For any violation of Section 3709, I may be subject to a fine of up to \$300 upon conviction, including any violation resulting from the conduct of any other persons present within any vehicle of which I am the driver.