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DAVID GERREGANO
Commissioner

MEMORANDUM:

TO: Affected Agencies and Shippers/Carriers
FROM: David Gerregano, Commissioner, Tennessee Department of Revenue
RE: Suspension of IRP and IFTA Requirements Due to Hurricane Harvey
DATE: August 31, 2017

The Tennessee Department of Revenue recognizes that due to State of Emergency Declarations in the State of Texas and the State of Louisiana, and the potential for additional emergency declarations in other states as a result of Hurricane Harvey, it is necessary to assist and expedite all efforts of relief. In order to accommodate this need and provide assistance to the citizens of the states affected by Hurricane Harvey, the Tennessee Department of Revenue hereby grants a temporary suspension of the requirements associated with the International Registration Plan (IRP) and International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA) for any motor vehicles engaged in interstate disaster relief efforts or traveling through the State of Tennessee as part of the disaster relief.

Nothing in this letter shall be construed to allow any vehicle to operate in the State of Tennessee without valid registration and insurance from its base state, nor shall anything in this letter be construed to allow any vehicle to exceed weight limits posted for bridges and like structures, nor shall anything in this letter be construed to relieve any vehicle or the carrier, owner, or driver of any vehicle from compliance with any restrictions other than those specified in this letter, or from any statute, rule, order or other legal requirement not specifically waived herein.

The suspension of IRP and IFTA requirements shall be in effect for the period beginning Friday, September 1, 2017, through Tuesday, September 12, 2017. If anyone has questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact the Tennessee Department of Revenue, Vehicle Services Division at (615) 532-1136.

David Gerregano *by permission*
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David Gerregano, Commissioner
Tennessee Department of Revenue

c: Tennessee Department of Safety
IRP, Inc.
IFTA, Inc.