

# INSPECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

Certification — 49 CFR §396.19

Motor carriers are responsible for ensuring that individual(s) performing an annual inspection under §396.17 are qualified as follows:

- Understands the inspection criteria set forth in Part 393 and Appendix G and can identify defective components
- Is knowledgeable of and has mastered the methods, procedures, tools and equipment used when performing an inspection
- Is capable of performing an inspection by reason of experience, training, or both, and qualifies in one of the following categories (check all that apply):

I. \_\_\_ Successfully completed a State or Federal training program or has certificate from a State or Canadian Province which qualifies the person to perform commercial vehicle safety inspections.

Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

II. \_\_\_ Have a combination of training or experience totaling at least one year as follows (check all that apply):

a. \_\_\_ Participation in a truck manufacturer-sponsored training program or similar commercial training program designed to train students in truck operation and maintenance.

Where and Date:

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b. \_\_\_ (years) experience as a mechanic or inspector in a motor carrier maintenance program.

Name and Date:

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c. \_\_\_ (years) experience as a mechanic or inspector in truck maintenance at a commercial garage, fleet leasing company, or similar facility.

Name of Facility and Dates:

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d. \_\_\_ (years) experience as a commercial vehicle inspector for a State, Provincial, or Federal Government.

Where and Dates:

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I certify the above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Employee \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Mechanic/Inspector

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

Motor Carrier/Company \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Employer/Supervisor Date

Evidence of Inspector Qualification is on file at:

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