

West Virginia Department of Transportation

# Division of Motor Vehicles

## Application for Military Skills Test Waiver • VALID 90 DAYS FROM DISCHARGE

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The Commercial Driver License (CDL) skills test waiver form may be used by service members who are currently licensed and who are, or were, employed within the last 90 days in a military position requiring the operation of a military motor vehicle equivalent to a Commercial Motor Vehicle (CMV). This waiver allows a qualified service member to apply for a CDL without skills testing. CDL knowledge (written) test(s) cannot be waived. The transfer of School Bus(s) and/or Passenger (P) endorsements under this Waiver Program are prohibited.

### PART 1 • THIS SIDE IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT/SERVICE MEMBER

NAME (Last, First, Middle)		STATE/DRIVER LICENSE NUMBER (required)		APPLICATION DATE
RESIDENCE ADDRESS (Street)	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY
MAILING ADDRESS (if different)	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY

**During the 2 year period immediately preceding this date:**

- Yes  No Have ever you had more than one license (except for a military license)? \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Has your license been suspended, revoked, cancelled or disqualified in this or any state? \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you been convicted of any violations described below in any type of motor vehicle?**

- Yes  No Being under the influence of alcohol as prescribed by state law \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Being under the influence of a controlled substance \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Having an alcohol concentration of 0.04 or greater while operating a CMV \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Refusing to take an alcohol test as required by a State jurisdiction under its implied consent laws or regulations as defined in 49 CFR 383.72 \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Leaving the scene of an accident \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Using the vehicle to commit a felony (other than manufacturing, distributing or dispensing a controlled substance) \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Driving a CMV while your CDL is revoked, suspended, cancelled; or you are disqualified from operating a CMV \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Causing a fatality through the negligent operation of a CMV (including motor vehicle manslaughter, homicide by motor vehicle, or negligent homicide) \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Using the vehicle in the commission of a felony involving manufacturing, distributing, or dispensing a controlled substance \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you had more than one conviction for any of the violations described below in any type of motor vehicle?**

- Yes  No Speeding in excess of 15 mph or more above the posted speed limit \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Driving recklessly, as defined by State or local law or regulation (including offenses of driving a motor vehicle in willful or wanton disregard for the safety of persons or property) \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Making improper or erratic lane changes \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Following the vehicle ahead too closely \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Violating State or local law relating to motor vehicle traffic control (other than a parking violation) arising in connection with a fatal accident \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Driving a CMV without obtaining a CDL \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Driving a CMV without a CDL in the driver's possession \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Driving a CMV without the proper class of CDL and/or endorsements for a specific vehicle group being operated or for the passengers or type of cargo being transported \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Violating a State or local law or ordinance on motor vehicle traffic control prohibiting texting while driving \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Violating a State or local law or ordinance on motor vehicle traffic control restricting or prohibiting the use of a hand held mobile telephone while driving \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you had any conviction for a violation of military, state or local law relating to motor vehicle traffic control (other than parking violation) arising in connection with any traffic accident and have no record of an accident in which you were at fault?**

### C) Applicant's Certification

- Yes  No Have you been regularly employed or were you regularly employed within the last 90 days in a military position requiring the operation of a military motor vehicle that was representative of a commercial motor vehicle (CMV)? \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Were you exempted from the CDL licensing requirements for driving a military vehicle on state roads and highways in accordance with 49 CFR §383.3 (c)? \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No Have you operated a military motor vehicle representative of the commercial motor vehicle (CMV) that you operate or expect to operate, for the last two years immediately preceding discharge from the military? \_\_\_\_\_

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.




APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE (X) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**PART 2 • THIS SIDE IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SERVICE MEMBER'S COMMANDING OFFICER**

D) Commanding Officer and Service Member Information				
COMMANDING OFFICER'S NAME (Last, First, Middle)			TELEPHONE NUMBER	
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTY
SERVICE MEMBER'S DATE OF QUALIFICATION <b>FROM:</b> <b>TO:</b>	SERVICE MEMBER'S NAME		EXPIRATION DATE OF U.S. GOV'T MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR ID CARD	

**E) Service Member's Commercial Driving Experience**

Complete the section below by circling the **HIGHEST** class of vehicles the service member has been driving.

<b>CLASS A</b>	<p><b>5th Wheel - Truck Tractor/Semitrailer &amp; Pintle Hook - Truck Trailer Combination</b></p> <p>Any combination of vehicles with a GCWR of 26,001 or more pounds, provided the GVWR of the vehicle(s) being towed is in excess of 10,000 pounds.</p>	<p><b>Examples of 5th Wheel Truck Tractor/Semitrailer</b></p>  <p><b>Example of a Pintle Hook Truck Trailer Combination</b></p> 
<b>CLASS B</b>	<p>Any single vehicle with a GVWR of 26,001 or more pounds or any such vehicle towing a vehicle not in excess of 10,000 pounds GVWR.</p>	<p><b>Examples</b></p> 

Complete the following questions:

- Yes  No Is the vehicle the service member operates equipped with a **full air brake** system?
- Yes  No Is the vehicle the service member operates equipped with an **air-over-hydraulic braking** system?
- Yes  No Does the service member drive vehicles with an **automatic type** of transmission?
- Yes  No Does the service member drive vehicles with a **manual type** of transmission?

**D) Commanding Officer's Certification**

*I certify that the service member named above and on the front side of this application is/was assigned in a job/assignment requiring the operation of a commercial motor vehicle, the service member's driving experience has been verified; and the information provided herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. I also certify that I am an officer of the U.S. Armed Forces with authority to administer oaths; and who has the general powers of notary public.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINTED NAME, TITLE, AND RANK OF COMMANDING OFFICER

**(X)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF COMMANDING OFFICER

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

*Authority of Article 136, Uniform Code of Military Justice or 10 U.S.C. 1044A*

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**APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE DMV WITH DD FORM 214 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE WAIVER.**