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2010 UCR FEE PAYMENT DEADLINE IS NEXT MONTH

Despite long delays by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) to come to a final decision on the Unified Carrier Registration (UCR) fee structure for 2010, enforcement of the program and the fee payment deadline is still set for July 15TH. The UCR fees are based on the number of vehicles operated by a motor carrier. The fees are: 0-2 vehicles, \$76; 3-5 vehicles, \$227; 6-20 vehicles, \$452; 21-100 vehicles, \$1,576; 101-1,000 vehicles, \$7,511; 1001 vehicles and above, \$73,346. The validation for payment of these fees expires on December 31, 2010, at which time the fees to renew registration for 2011 will be due.

MORE NEWS FROM FMCSA AND CSA 2010

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) has announced that the replacement of its Motor Carrier Safety Status Measurement System (SafeStat) by an improved Carrier Safety Measurement System (CSMS) will be implemented by November 30, 2010. The CSMS is being developed and tested as part of the Comprehensive Safety Analysis (CSA) 2010 program. FMCSA anticipates that the new CSMS will be better able to identify high-risk and other motor carriers for on-site compliance reviews, make the allocation of compliance and enforcement resources more efficient and effective and provide the motor carrier industry and other safety stakeholders with more comprehensive, informative and regularly updated safety performance data. Comments are being solicited and must be made by September 30, 2010 by [GOING HERE](#) and following the instructions for submitting comments.

GASOLINE PRICES RISE SLIGHTLY

After falling for three straight weeks, the latest figures from the United States Energy Information Administration (EIA) show gasoline prices rising last week. The price for regular gasoline rose .042¢ to an average of \$2.743 per gallon across the United States. This rise puts the cost of a gallon of gasoline at .052¢ higher than at this time last year. Regionally, the West Coast states are the highest in the nation at \$3.034 per gallon, with all other regions remaining below the \$3.00 cost per gallon. The Rocky Mountain states are the next highest at \$2.771 per gallon and California's cost is highest in the nation at \$3.100 per gallon. On-highway diesel fuel rose .033¢ to a national average of \$2.961.