



IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL INTERSTATE MOTOR CARRIERS AND MOTOR PRIVATE CARRIERS

New Mexico Public Regulation Commission **U**NIFIED **C**ARRIER **R**EGISTRATION **A**GREEMENT

If you operate a truck or bus in interstate or international commerce, the registration requirements of the Unified Carrier Registration Agreement (“UCR”) apply to your business.

The UCR requires individuals and companies that operate commercial motor vehicles in interstate or international commerce to register their business with a UCR State in the United States and pay an annual fee based on the size of their fleet. Motor private carriers of passengers only are not required to register and pay fees under the UCR. The revenues generated will be used for enforcement of motor carrier safety programs. **You are receiving this Notice from the State of New Mexico because New Mexico has offered to notify all Mexican carriers who operate in interstate or international commerce of this legal requirement under United States federal law. New Mexico is a state under UCR rules that you are allowed to choose as your base state, therefore, when you register for UCR for 2011, please select New Mexico as your base state.**

You must register for the calendar year 2011 by February 1, 2011 in order to be in compliance.

For purposes of determining fees, a “commercial motor vehicle” is defined as a self-propelled vehicle used on the highways in commerce principally to transport passengers or cargo, if the vehicle:

- (a) has a GVWR or GVW of 10,001 pounds or more;
- (b) is designed to transport 11 or more passengers, including the driver; or
- (c) is used in transporting hazardous materials in a quantity requiring placarding.

Included in this mailing is an FAQ on the reverse side of this notice, a UCR application form and instruction sheet. To avoid delays it is highly recommended that you register in the national UCR on-line system hosted by the Indiana Department of Revenue. Go to www.ucr.in.gov and follow the step by step instructions. Payments may be made on-line using MasterCard, Visa or e-Check.

You may also register by mail. Payments by mail must be made by check or money order made payable to the “**New Mexico PRC**”. Please place your USDOT # on the front of your check. Mail your payment together with your completed UCR application form to:

**New Mexico Public Regulation Commission
Transportation Division/UCR Program
P.O. Box 1269
Santa Fe, NM USA 87504-1269**

If you would like to learn more about UCR go to www.ucr.in.gov or call 1-(505) 827-4519.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: If you operated in 2009 or in 2010 and did not register in the UCR, you must pay both your 2009 and 2010 UCR fees to avoid possible enforcement action.