

ANNUAL DOT INSPECTION REPORT

Compliant with 49 CFR §396.17 & Appendix A

Vehicle Information

- Carrier / Company: _____
- Unit Number: _____
- VIN: _____
- License Plate / State: _____
- Odometer: _____
- Date of Inspection: _____

Inspection Results

(All items required by Appendix A to Part 396)

Brake System

- Service brakes
- Parking brake
- Brake hoses / tubing
- Brake linings / pads
- Brake drums / rotors
- Brake adjustments

Steering

- Steering wheel free play
- Steering column
- Steering gear box
- Power steering

- Linkages / tie rods

Suspension

- Springs / airbags
- U-bolts
- Torque arms / radius rods
- Axle alignment

Frame & Chassis

- Frame integrity
- Crossmembers
- Fifth wheel / pintle hook
- Mounting brackets

Tires & Wheels

- Tire condition
- Tread depth
- Rims / wheels
- Lug nuts

- Hubs / seals

Lighting & Electrical

- Headlights
- Tail / brake lights
- Turn signals
- Clearance / marker lights
- Reflectors
- Wiring

Fuel System

- Tank securement
- Fuel lines
- Leaks

Exhaust System

Inspection Outcome

- **PASS** — Vehicle meets all requirements
- **FAIL** — Defects noted below

Defects Found / Repairs Required

Repairs Completed By

- **Shop / Technician:** _____
- **Date Completed:** _____

Inspector Certification

I certify that this vehicle has been inspected in accordance with 49 CFR §396.17 and Appendix A and that I meet the qualifications of 49 CFR §396.19.

- **Inspector Name:** _____
- **Inspector Signature:** _____

- Leaks
- Mounting
- Clearance from fuel system

Coupling Devices

- Kingpin
- Fifth wheel
- Safety chains
- Trailer electrical

Body & Safety Equipment

- Mirrors
- Windshield / wipers
- Horn
- Emergency equipment
- Seat belts