STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES
ENFORCEMENT OFFICE
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RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR TRANSPORTER PLATES

Company name: _____

Number & Street: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Ownership: ☐ Individual ☐ Partnership ☐ Corporation

Names/Addresses of Officers of Firm:

_____ _____

_____ _____

_____ _____

Type of Business (give brief description): _____

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Transporter is defined in section §31-1-19 (j). "Transporter" means every person engaged in the business of delivering vehicles required to be registered under chapter 3 of this title from a manufacturing, assembling, and distributing plant to a point of destination or for the purpose of weighing, testing, transporting, or delivering that vehicle, or for the purpose of moving that vehicle in connection with making installations on or improvements to it.

I certify that I have read, understand, and will follow the conditions contained in the applicable laws listed above regarding the usage of a transporter plate.

I, the undersigned, declare under penalty of perjury, that all statements made on this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSTRUCTIONS FOR TRANSPORTER PLATES RENEWAL

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR TRANSPORTER PLATES RENEWAL

The following must be provided with this application:

1. Three (3) original written references from owner or managers you do business with on their letterhead, signed by the owner or manager.
2. Copy of latest sales tax certificate.
3. Signed affidavit, by owner or manager attesting your acknowledgement of the rules, regulations, and restrictions surrounding use of transporter plates.
4. Proof of Rhode Island residency of owner or manager.
5. Letter of ‘good standing’ by the RI Secretary of State’s Office.

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Transporter Plate # or #'s _____

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Section **§31-6-12 (8)** Fees for transporter. For transporter registration number plates and a transporter certificate, thirty dollars ($30.00) if the transporter operates not more than three (3) motor vehicles, trailers, or semi-trailers at any one time, and ten dollars ($10.00) plus the cost of number plates for every motor vehicle, trailer, or semi-trailer in excess of three (3) motor vehicles, trailers or semi-trailers.

Section **§31-33-13**. The division of motor vehicles shall not issue a registration under the provisions of sections **§31-3-20** through **§31-3-27**, inclusive, until the person applying for the registration shall furnish proof of financial responsibility.

I _____, fully understand the terms and conditions for use of Transporter Plate. Failure to comply with these terms and conditions could or may result in suspension or revocation of said plate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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