Medical Qualification FAQ – Waivers – Q1

**Description: DO CANADIAN DRIVERS WITH LIMB IMPAIRMENTS REQUIRE WAIVER TO OPERATE IN US**

**FAQ1: Will Canadian drivers with limb impairments be required to obtain a waiver from FMCSA to drive in the United States?**

**A1:**  No, the National Safety Code (NSC) Medical Standards for Drivers and the FMCSR have been deemed equivalent with respect to limb impairments contained in 49 CFR 391.49. To obtain a Canadian provincial/territorial license, such drivers must be fitted with a prosthetic device as appropriate, and must have demonstrated their ability to operate the vehicle.