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Performance and Registration Information Systems Management

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What is PRISM?

TWO MAJOR PROCESSES

- 1. Commercial Vehicle Registration
 - (IRP International Registration Plan)
 - 2. Motor Carrier Law Enforcement
- Cooperative Federal/State public safety program sponsored by FMCSA

Links carrier safety fitness to State vehicle registration



Commercial Vehicle Registration

- The commercial vehicle registration process provides the framework for PRISM
- Establishes link between the Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety and associated vehicles registered commercially
 - Plate Number (or VIN) can always be traced back to the responsible carrier for safety
 - Brings safety down to the vehicle level



Commercial Vehicle Registration

State Imposed Sanctions

- Deny vehicle registration when a Federal OOS order has been issued or USDOT Number is Inactive
- Ultimate Sanction: State registration suspension/revocation concurrent with the Federal order to cease interstate operations



Law Enforcement's Role

FMCSA issues Federal Out-of-Service orders to unsafe motor carriers IRP denies and suspends State Registrations to Federal OOS carriers **PRISM** provides vehicles targeted for inspection due to safety reasons

Law Enforcement's role

is to identify vehicles operating while under a Federal Out-of-Service Order or targeted for inspection and <u>take appropriate action!</u>



PRISM Law Enforcement Training Topics

- Identify Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety
- Identify Federal Out-of-Service Vehicles
- Out-of-Service Actions at Roadside



What is a Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety?

What is a Registrant?

- The entity that pays for the vehicle registration plate
- The <u>Registrant</u> may own or lease the vehicle and is responsible for obtaining the registration

What is a Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety?

- The Motor Carrier that is responsible for the safe operation of the vehicle
- The USDOT Number that should be displayed on the sides of the truck.
- May or may not be the Registrant



Identify the Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety

- The best methods to identify MCRS:
 - USDOT Number displayed on side of truck
 - Must be Active Interstate Carrier USDOT Number
 - Shipping Papers
 - Lease Agreement
 - Interview Driver to Identify Employer/Carrier
 - Cab Cards (If registered in a PRISM State)



Short Term Leasing

- Inspectors will encounter vehicles whose MCRS changes frequently due to the carrier contracting with brokers/shippers to move freight.
- These lease agreements, some for as short as days or weeks should include MCRS information and the USDOT Number of the MCRS should be displayed on the vehicle.



Short Term Leasing

- The MCRS changes every time a new lease is issued and the cab card issued at the time of registration should indicate that the MCRS is expected to change.
- Inspectors should be careful to identify the correct MCRS so that the crash or inspection is credited to the proper USDOT Number.



PRISM State Barcode Map

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Data as of March 2015

States Barcoding Cab Cards: (36 States + D.C.) AL, AZ, CA, CT, D.C., DE, FL, GA, IA, ID, IN, KS, KY, LA, MA, ME, MN, MO, MS, MT, NC, NE, NH, NJ, NM, NY, OH, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VA, VT, WA, WV



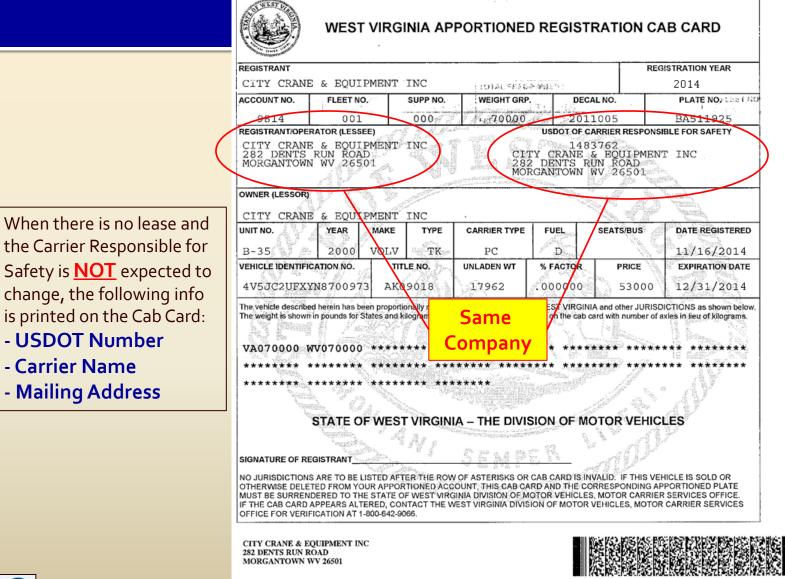
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Sample Cab Cards

- The information on the Cab Card was the best available at the time of registration and could have changed
- The following slides will show cab card examples for these three scenarios
 - Registrant and MCRS <u>are the same</u>
 - Registrant and MCRS <u>are different Not expected to change</u>
 - Registrant and MCRS <u>are different Expected to change</u>



Registrant and MCRS are Same





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Registrant and MCRS are Different



When there is a lease, but the Carrier Responsible for Safety is <u>NOT</u> expected to change, the following info is printed on the Cab Card:

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- USDOT Number
- Carrier Name
- Mailing Address

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MCRS is Expected to Change

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Questions for Review

- What is Law Enforcement's Role in the PRISM Program? 1.
- What is a Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety? 2.
- What is a Registrant? 3.
- What are the methods used to properly identify the 4. Motor Carrier Responsible for Safety



Identifying Federal Out-of-Service Carriers

Ouestion: What is the key requirement for Law Enforcement in PRISM States?

Answer: Identify carriers operating while under a Federal Out-of-Service Order.

...check <u>EVERY</u> vehicle, <u>EVERY</u> time for Federal Out-of-Service!



FMCSA Out-of-Service Reasons

FMCSA OOS Reasons	
* Imminent Hazard	
* Unsatisfactory/Unfit Motor Carrier	
Failure to Pay Fines due to Safety Violation	
New Entrant Revoked - Expedited Actions	
New Entrant Revoked - Failure of Safety Audit	
New Entrant Revoked - Refusal of Safety Audit/No Contact	

* These Out-of-Service orders also apply to <u>INTRASTATE</u> commerce



Interstate and Intrastate OOS

U.S. Department of Transportation

Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

Southern Service Center

June 17, 2011

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ORDER TO CEASE ALL TRANSPORTATION IN INTERSTATE AND INTRASTATE COMMERCE AND REVOCATION OF REGISTRATION <u>EFFECTIVE Monday, June 27, 2011 at 12:01 am</u> <u>USDOT# 1856412</u>

This Order to Cease All Transportation in Interstate and Intrastate Commerce (Order) and Revocation of Registration is issued pursuant to 49 USC §§ 13905(f)(1)(B) and 31144, and 49 CFR § 385.13.

This **Order** is the result of a compliance review of AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC's operations completed on May 12, 2011. The review disclosed serious violations of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations and/or the Hazardous Materials Regulations.

AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC, USDOT# 1856412, was issued a proposed "unsatisfactory" safety rating on May 12, 2011. AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC was notified to take certain actions within 45 days from the date of that proposed rating to improve its safety rating to "conditional" or "satisfactory". AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC was further advised that it would be ordered to cease any and all operation of any commercial motor vehicle(s) in interstate and intrastate commerce and its registration would be revoked unless its safety rating was improved to "conditional" or "satisfactory".

AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC has failed to take the necessary steps required to improve its safety rating to "conditional" or "satisfactory" within the required timeframe.

THEREFORE, *IT IS ORDERED* THAT AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC SHALL CEASE ALL OPERATION OF ANY COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE(S) IN INTERSTATE AND INTRASTATE COMMERCE ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE AND TIME OF THIS ORDER, AND THE REGISTRATION OF AGAPE TRANSPORTATION LLC SHALL BE REVOKED UNLESS AND UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE FEDERAL MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY ADMINISTRATION



FMCSA Tools to Identify OOS

Tools Available	Access	Data Timeliness
Query Central	Online via FMCSA Portal	Real-Time
Nlets	State ACQ/AVQ Queries	Up to 24 hrs.
ISS	Download from InfoSys	Monthly
CVIEW	State CVISN System	Up to 24 hrs.
SAFER	Online Public Website	Real-Time*

*The SAFER website does provide real-time OOS information for <u>Active</u> USDOT Numbers only. If the USDOT Number is <u>in</u>active and OOS, the SAFER website will not display the OOS alert message, it will just display INACTIVE.





- Query Central is available via the FMCSA Portal and gives real-time Out-of-Service Carrier status directly from MCMIS
- Supports inquiries by:
 - USDOT Number
 - Carrier Name
 - VIN Number
 - State/Plate
 - CVSA Decal Number



Query Central – Carrier Data



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Motor Carrier Identification & Safety Data

Please Note: You can now access L&I detail by clicking on the MC/MX number(s).

Legal Name:	D&E EQUIPMENT SERVICES LLC	USDOT#:	1262024
DBA Name:		MC/MX#:	
-	1247 QUAIL RUN RD POWHATAN, VA 23139	Phone#:	(804)598-5373
Country of Domicile:		Fax#:	(804)598-1668
Mailing	PO BOX 1021	Status of USDOT #:	INACTIVE
Address:	POWHATAN, VA 23139	Entity:	CARRIER
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Query Central – OOS CFR List

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Query Central – Vehicle Data

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Query Central – State Suspension due to Federal OOS

Query Central

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PRISM Information for: D&E EQUIPMENT SERVICES LLC

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MCSIP Step:	64 Federal OOS: New Entrant-Failure of Safety Audit
Tax ID#:	EIN: XXXXXXXX
MCS-150 Date:	02/06/2015

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Note: If the vehicle registration has been suspended by the State, and the 950 IRP Status Code is applied to the record, the Status column will display the following alert message: **STATE SUSPENSION DUE TO FEDERAL OOS**



Query Central – Vehicle Registration Status

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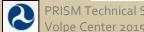
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Query Central –

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Is Operating Authority Required?

- Interstate for-hire carriers of regulated property & passengers require operating authority (An ACTIVE MC number)
- Operating Authority <u>Not</u> Required for:
 - Intrastate Transportation
 - Private Property Transportation
 - Transportation of Exempt Commodities



Exempt vs. Non-Exempt Commodities

- Generally, raw, unprocessed commodities are exempt from operating authority.
 - See Admin Rule 119 "Composite Commodity List"
 - Exemptions in Part 372 of the FMCSR's
 - Transportation in "Commercial Zones" (See Part 372 Subpart B and also Appendix F)
 - U.S. Mail, Air Freight, Newspapers, Woodchips, and Garbage (NOT including scrap/recyclables) also exempt



Checking Query Central for Authority

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ALERT: This carrier does not have operating authority. For further information, contact the FMCSA Information Line at 1-800-832-5660.

Motor Carrier Identification & Safety Data

No MC#

Please Note: You can now access L&I detail by clicking on the MC/MX number(s).

Legal Name:	JAZLINK INC	USDOT#	2595107
DBA Name:		MC/MX#	
Physical 17405 CHEMIN SAINTE MARIE Address: KIRKLAND, PQ H9J 2L3		Phone#	(514)699-1647
Country of Domicile:		Fax#	(450)435-1201
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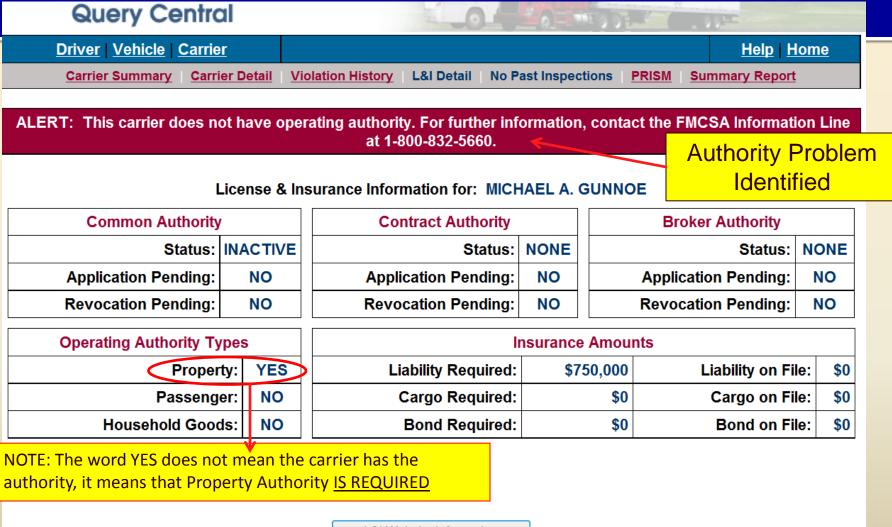
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Checking Query Central for Authority Issues



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L&I Website Information

Select L&I Link to Verify

Operating Authority – CVSA OOS Criteria

CVSA North American OOS Criteria Manual Part IV – Administrative

- OPERATING AUTHORITY Operating a motor vehicle without the required operating authority or beyond the scope of the motor carriers' operating authority.
 - Authority Required 392.9a(a)(1)
 - Beyond Scope 392.9a(a)(2)
- Declare vehicle out-of-service until proper operating authority is obtained.



Query Central – Download Data into ASPEN

Data can be imported from QC into ASPEN
In the ASPEN Configuration screen, under the "External" tab, check the QC import boxes

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Query Central – Download Data into ASPEN

Motor Carrier Identification & Safety Data			
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Student Hands-On Review of Query Central

(Testing data to be provided by PRISM Technical Support)

- 1) Enter a USDOT Number that is under a Federal Out-of-Service Order and review the Carrier Summary Screen. Use the "Click here" link to access the CFR 49 section numbers. Identify which section number would be used in this case.
- 2) Click on the "PRISM" link from the Carrier Summary Screen to access the vehicle information associated with that carrier (Carrier PRISM Summary Screen).
- Enter a VIN that is "Targeted" by PRISM and review info provided in the PRISM Vehicle Summary Page. From this page, navigate back to the Carrier Summary Screen
- 4) Enter vehicles with different registration status and review the "Status" column. (Suspended, Active, Inactive)
- 5) Enter any USDOT Number into the Carrier Search field. Once the data is returned, practice downloading the data from Query Central to ASPEN (see PRISM LE Manual pages 18-23 for step-by-step screenshots)



Nlets

Nlets hosts the PRISM Target File

 Includes carriers and vehicles under a Federal Out-of-Service order or targeted for inspection by FMCSA for safety reasons

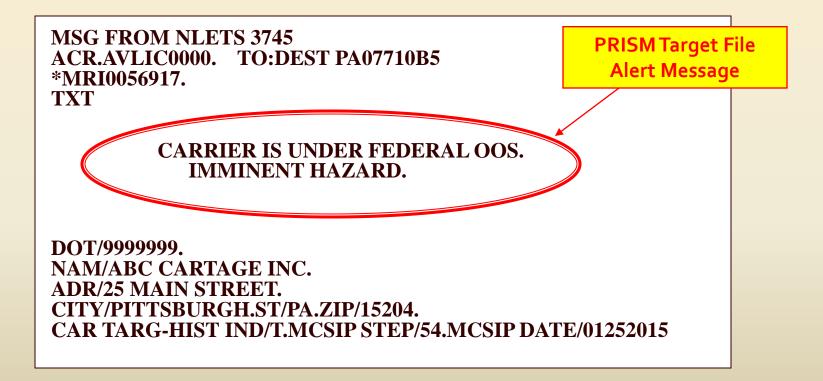
PRISM Specific Queries:

- ACQ (Carrier Queries) USDOT Number
- AVQ (Vehicle Queries) VIN or State/Plate



Nlets – Carrier Data

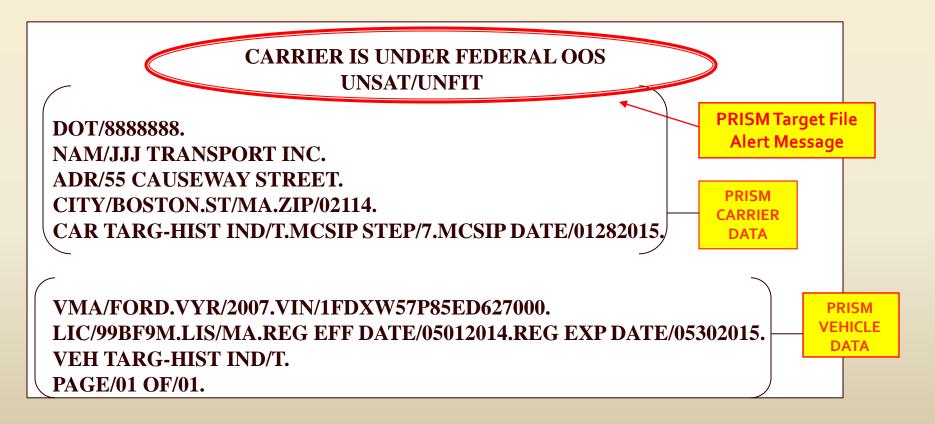
Nlets Carrier (ACQ) Response Sample - OOS





Nlets – Vehicle Data

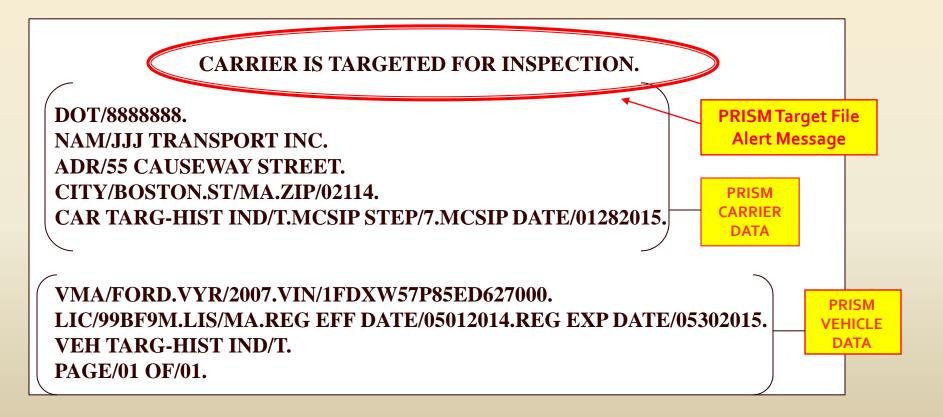
Nlets Vehicle (AVQ) Response Sample - OOS





Nlets – Vehicle Data

Nlets Vehicle (AVQ) Response Sample - Targeted





Student Hands-On Review of NLETS

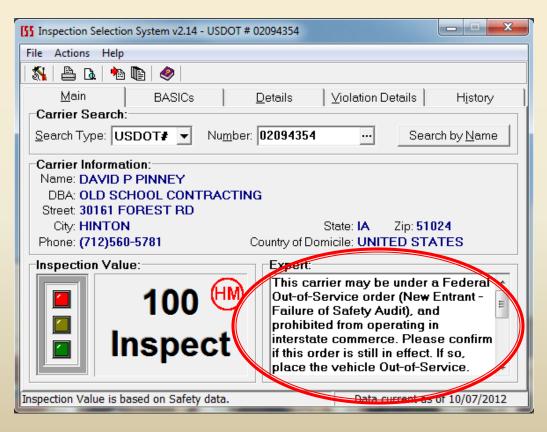
(Testing data to be provided by PRISM Technical Support)

- 1) Enter a USDOT Number that is under a Federal Out-of-Service Order and perform a PRISM-NLETS Carrier Query (ACQ)
- Enter a USDOT Number that is NOT under a Federal OOS, but is targeted for inspection by PRISM, and perform a PRISM-NLETS Carrier Query (ACQ)
- Enter a License Plate/State of a vehicle associated with a motor carrier that is currently under a Federal OOS and perform a PRISM-NLETS Vehicle Query (AVQ).
- 4) Enter a License Plate/State of a vehicle associated with a motor carrier that is targeted for inspection by PRISM and perform a PRISM-NLETS Vehicle Query (AVQ).



ISS – Inspection Selection System

 ISS updated monthly. Confirm the OOS Status with a more recent data source or call FMCSA Office





Questions for Review

- 5. What is the best tool to identify FMCSA Out-of-Service Carriers in real time?
- 6. If you have Nlets access, but no Internet connection, can you still check the Targeted status of a vehicle?
- 7. Why are vehicles targeted for inspection by FMCSA?



What actions should be taken at the roadside after identifying a Federal OOS Vehicle?



OOS Actions at Roadside

- If an OOS Vehicle is identified take appropriate action by conducting a MCSAP Inspection and place the vehicle Outof-Service
- Follow State law and your department's regulations in regards to placing the vehicle Out-of-Service
- FMCSA has provided guidance to the members of CVSA regarding the enforcement of OOS Orders.
 - The Guidelines can be downloaded from the PRISM website



OOS Actions at Roadside

What if the OOS order cannot be verified?

- Document the stop by obtaining photocopies of the following info:
 - Drivers log book and CDL License
 - Shipping Papers / Lease Agreement
 - Origin and destination of trip
 - Interview Driver to Identify Employer/Carrier
 - IRP Registration cab card
- Forward information to local FMCSA office
 - After-the-fact action can be taken by FMCSA, penalties and sanctions can be applied.



Questions for Review

- 8. What is the appropriate action to take if you determine that a vehicle is being operated in Interstate Commerce while under a Federal Out-of-Service Order?
- 9. What is the appropriate action to take if you cannot verify if the Out-of-Service Order is still currently in effect?
- 10. Why check the safety status of every vehicle you inspect every time?



You Can Make a Difference in Safety

 Be vigilant and take every opportunity to identify Out-of-Service vehicles and <u>take appropriate enforcement action</u>

 The safety of all users of the highways is affected when FMCSA Out-of-Service carriers and vehicles continue to operate in Interstate commerce

