

FACT SHEET

Farm Vehicle

PURPOSE

This fact sheet explains farm vehicles and their operating requirements.

PENNSYLVANIA VEHICLE CODE SECTIONS

102, 1344, 1924(a), 2105, 4307(e), 4702, 4921(b)(1)(5)

DEFINITIONS

Farm Vehicle – A truck or truck tractor determined by the Department of Transportation to be used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

USE

Exclusively upon:

1. Farm(s) owned or operated by the vehicle registrant;
2. Highways between parts of a farm;
3. Between such farms;
4. Between farm(s) and a place of business for the purpose of buying/selling agricultural commodities/supplies and the place of final delivery if transported by an employee of the vehicle registrant or by an auctioneer and delivery is made by the same vehicle of the registrant who transported the commodities to the place of business or, for inspecting, repairing or servicing the farm vehicle.

SIZE LIMITATIONS

Generally, no wider than 8 feet 6 inches.

INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

Registered 17,000 pounds and under - annual.

Registered over 17,000 pounds - semi-annual.

PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

None

REGISTRATION

Fees: For a current listing of motor vehicle fees, refer to Form [MV-70S](#), "Bureau of Motor Vehicles Schedule of Fees," found on our website at www.dmv.pa.gov.

You may be eligible to renew your motor vehicle for either a one-year or two-year registration period. Both registration periods and the required fees are provided on the registration renewal. **NOTE:** If the fee listed in the "2-yr. fee" block on your registration renewal form, is "N/A," your vehicle type is not eligible to renew for a two-year period.

NOTE: Farm vehicle registration plates may be personalized for an additional fee. To check personalized registration plate availability, visit PennDOT's Driver and Vehicle Services website, www.dmv.pa.gov, and select Plate Availability from the list of services under the Online Services heading.

Forms: MV-1 or MV-4ST / MV-77

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