

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To: All IFTA Commissioners

From: Washington State Department of Licensing
Prorate and Fuel Tax Services

Subject: Purchases of fuel at Tribally owned service stations

Effective April 1, 2006, deliveries of motor vehicle and special fuel to the Squaxin Island Tribe and Swinomish Indian Tribal Community reservations located in Washington do not include the state motor vehicle and special fuel taxes.

Under the terms of a settlement agreement reached with each tribe, the state will be paid an amount equal to 25 percent of the state fuel tax on each gallon of motor vehicle and special fuel sold by tribally owned retail service stations located on the respective reservations. As a consequence, purchases of tax-paid fuel at these stations by IFTA carriers should only be reported at a rate of 25% of the total fuel purchased.

The names and locations of the service stations are:

Squaxin Island Tribe
Kamilche Trading Post
93 W. State Route 108
Shelton WA 98584

Swinomish Indian Tribal Community
Swinomish Norther Lights Gas Station
12939 Casino Dr
Anacortes WA 98221

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