

May 31, 2024

Mr. Carmen Martorana, Executive Director/CEO
International Fuel Tax Association, Inc.
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Sent via email

**RE: Maryland International Fuel Tax Association, Inc. (IFTA)
Requirements Waiver Extension**

Dear Executive Director/CEO Martorana,

I write to inform you that I am extending the temporary waiver of certain IFTA requirements in Maryland by 35 days to further mitigate the economic impact of the Francis Scott Key Bridge collapse. The waiver, which was initially authorized through May 31, 2024, at 11:59 pm, will remain in effect until July 5, 2024, at 11:59 pm. Maryland will continue to waive IFTA licensing and decal requirements for motor carriers hauling freight to or from a seaport.

As a reminder, the Office also granted a waiver of penalties for IFTA licensees who experienced difficulty filing their quarterly IFTA Tax Returns by the April 30, 2024, due date. IFTA licensees that are affected by this waiver must file their first quarter returns no later than June 30, 2024, in order to be granted this relief.

Thank you for your support of our state and our motor carriers during this extremely challenging time. I strongly encourage our neighboring jurisdictions to also extend their waive IFTA licensing requirements temporarily for motor carriers hauling freight to or from a seaport.

My best,



Brooke E. Lierman

cc: Van Howeth, Acting Director, Field Enforcement Bureau

