



# COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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To: All motor carriers licensed under the International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA) in Virginia  
Re: First quarter 2020 IFTA tax returns and payments

On March 12, 2020, Governor Ralph S. Northam signed Executive Order Number Fifty-One (EO-51), which declared a state of emergency in the Commonwealth of Virginia due to novel coronavirus (COVID-19). Among other things, EO-51 authorized the heads of executive branch agencies, where appropriate and with the concurrence of their cabinet secretaries, to waive any state requirement or regulation in order to assist with preparedness, relief, and recovery efforts during this state of emergency. EO-51 remains in full force and effect until June 10, 2020, unless amended or rescinded by further executive order.

In accordance with EO-51, and consistent with the provisions of §§ 58.1-2700.3 and 58.1-2709 of the *Code of Virginia*, **the Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles will waive late filing penalties and interest for motor carriers who submit their first quarter 2020 IFTA tax returns and payments by June 1, 2020.** In addition, we will not suspend or revoke a carrier's IFTA license on account of a delinquent first quarter return or payment, provided the return and full payment are submitted by June 1, 2020.

Questions regarding any of the information provided above may be directed to Patrick Harrison, Assistant Commissioner for Motor Carrier Services, at 804-249-5115 or [patrick.harrison@dmv.virginia.gov](mailto:patrick.harrison@dmv.virginia.gov).