

STATE OF TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ANDREW JACKSON STATE OFFICE BUILDING NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37242

BILL LEE GOVERNOR DAVID GERREGANO COMMISSIONER

To: Affected Agencies and Shipper/Carriers

From: David Gerregano, Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Revenue

Date: September 30, 2024

Re: Suspension of IRP and IFTA Requirements Due to Hurricane Helene

The Tennessee Department of Revenue recognizes that due to a State of Emergency Declaration in the State of Florida and the potential for additional emergency declarations in other states as the result of Hurricane Helene, it is necessary to assist and expedite all efforts of relief.

In order to accommodate this need and provide assistance to the citizens of the states affected by Hurricane Helene, the Tennessee Department of Revenue hereby grants a temporary suspension of requirements associated with the International Registration Plan (IRP) and International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA) for any motor vehicles engaged in interstate disaster relief efforts or traveling through the State of Tennessee as part of the disaster relief.

Nothing in this letter shall be construed to allow any vehicle to operate in the State of Tennessee without a valid registration and insurance from its base state, nor shall anything in this letter be construed to allow any vehicle to exceed weight limits posted for bridges and like structures, nor shall anything in this letter be construed to relieve any vehicle or the carrier, owner, or driver of any vehicle from compliance with any restrictions other than those specified in this letter, or from any statute, rule, order or other legal requirement not specifically waived herein.

The suspension of IRP and IFTA requirements shall be in effect for the period beginning Monday, September 30, 2024, through Wednesday, October 30, 2024. If anyone has questions regarding this letter, please feel free to contact the Tennessee Department of Revenue, Vehicle Services Division at (615) 532-1136.

David Gerregano, Commissioner Tennessee Department or Revenue

Cc: Tennessee Department of Safety

IRP, Inc. IFTA, Inc.