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### TAX RATES

The 2Q17 tax rate matrix was closed and finalized on June 2, 2017. Jurisdictions now have until **September 3** (Sunday), 2017, to verify or amend their tax rate data for the **3Q17** matrix. Currently, three new tax rates have been entered. To view current tax rate changes please visit:

<https://www.iftach.org/taxchangeq.php>

**REMINDER!!** Please keep your Contacts updated in your IFTA, Inc. profile on [www.iftach.org](http://www.iftach.org) to prevent emails being returned with a delivery failure notice. Contact data for group emails is also pulled from the Jurisdiction Communication Lists and it is imperative that all emails on the JCLs are updated to ensure that all members receive important information by email from IFTA, Inc.

It is recommended that **all** membership review their Jurisdiction Communication Lists at this time. If your revised date is more than one year, but there have been no changes, please click to update your communication list so that the revision date shows for 2017. Thank you!

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## *Upcoming IFTA Meetings*

The **Annual IFTA Business Meeting** online registration is now open on the IFTA, Inc. website. If you have any issues or concerns that would be a good Town Hall topic, or regional breakout discussion, please forward these to either your Board Liaison or IFTA, Inc.

# *Sponsorship Opportunities*

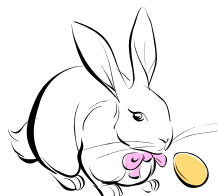
Sponsorship Opportunities are **available** for the **2017 IFTA Annual Business Meeting**. This opportunity affords your company the chance to intermix with our members and display your company's product. If you are a service provider to our member jurisdictions, or are a new company looking for a way to meet, greet, and interact with future clientele, we invite you to sponsor a Networking Event at our upcoming meeting. As always, we thank you for your continued support and look forward to your sponsorship.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Debora Meise, our Senior Director, at [dmeise@iftach.org](mailto:dmeise@iftach.org) or by calling her at 480.748.5763.

## Upcoming Compliance Reviews



JURISDICTION	TEAM MEMBERS
Arizona April 17-21, 2017	Joy Prenger (MO) Rob Praska (ND)
Wyoming May 1-5, 2017	Janice Marshall (AB) Nathen Bett (WI)
Colorado June 5-9, 2017	Michelle Childs (MB) Paula Deckert (SD)
Oregon June 26-30, 2017	Karen Smith (IA) Alaina Burford (TN)



# IFTA Clearinghouse Corner

Monique Williams - IFTA Clearinghouse Advisory Committee Member



## How's your data? New requirement on July 1, 2017

On July 1, 2017, IFTA Ballot #03-2015 goes into effect. Demographic data files uploaded to the Clearinghouse can be excluded for the following reasons:

- a) FEIN\Taxpayer ID Numbers contain letters.
- b) FEIN\Taxpayer ID Numbers don't meet the required length.
- c) Status Types are not A, C, S, R.
- d) Date Types not in the proper format of YYYY/MM/DD.

A new tool is available from the IFTA Demographics main page that make it easier than ever for jurisdictions to know if they are in compliance with the ballot. Click the **Check Jurisdiction Data for Errors** link to check them out!

**IFTA Demographics**

[Check Jurisdiction Data for Errors](#) [Carriers In Multiple Jurs and Duplicate Records](#) [Report Generator](#) [Definitions](#) [Decal Database](#) [Status Breakdown](#) [Participating and Last Update](#) [Nlets FAQ](#) [Jurisdiction Contact Numbers](#) [Web Services](#)

This tool will help you find incorrect data.

Jurisdictions with a Carrier ID Length Error  
MSIDLength    NMIDLength    WAIDLength

Check for TaxPayer ID's that don't meet the 9 Digit Minimum Length.	Search
Alabama - AL	

Jurisdictions with Letters in the Carrier ID Number  
NMIDLetters    NYIDLLetters    OHIDLLetters    SKIDLLetters    WVIDLetters

Check for TaxPayer ID's that contain a letter(s) in the first 9 digits.	Search
Alabama - AL	

Jurisdictions using an incorrect status type:  
WStatus

Check for Status Types that are not A, R, C or S.	Search
Alabama - AL	


Jurisdictions using an incorrect date format:

Check for Status and Licensing date.	Search
Alabama - AL	

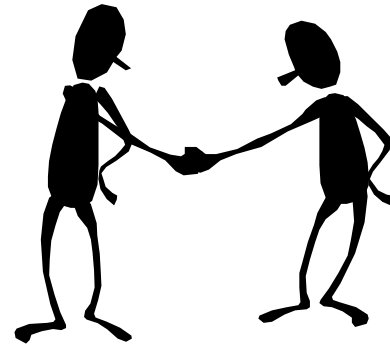
Check for Duplicate Names in a Jurisdiction. Duplicate names are not in error on the Clearinghouse. This search is just for reference.	Search
Alabama - AL	

Upon exclusion of an uploaded demographic file, your jurisdiction will be contacted by e-mail referencing the error. The Clearinghouse Advisory Committee (CAC), Program Compliance Review Committee (PCRC) and IFTA, Inc. will also be contacted regarding the error to assist with correcting the issue. If your file was rejected, the current clearinghouse demographic data will remain, but will be considered old and possibly incorrect.

Ballot #03-2015 can be viewed at [www.iftach.org](http://www.iftach.org) under the *Ballot Proposal* tab.



# ***IFTA Comings and Goings***



## **Florida**

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If your jurisdiction experiences any changes please be certain to visit the IFTA, Inc. website, login, and update your jurisdiction's communication list. If you need assistance with how to do this please contact Tom King at [tking@iftach.org](mailto:tking@iftach.org).

The following jurisdictions have updated the Jurisdiction Communication List (JCL) in some manner since *May 15, 2017*. Please visit their JCL on the secure website to ensure that you are working with the most current information for these jurisdictions:

**Florida**

**Kansas**

**Prince Edward Island**



## IFTA, INC. WEBSITE

By: Tom King, webmaster ([tking@iftach.org](mailto:tking@iftach.org))

### Awards

I created a new button that is on the IFTA, Inc. homepage called 'Awards'. This section will be where you can find either the Charles M. Mills Award of Excellence or the Richard L. Reeves IFTA Leadership Award.

### Secure Area

Under the Program Compliance area on the secure side has a new file called Review Guide Including Worksheets. This is for anyone with level 1 access and higher.

### Committee Meeting Minutes

The Meeting Minutes for the following committees have recently been updated.

Audit Committee

Agreement Procedures Committee

Clearinghouse Advisory Committee

Law Enforcement Committee

If you have any questions or issues email me at [tking@iftach.org](mailto:tking@iftach.org) or call me at the office on #5.



# EVENTS

## 2017

### **Nlets Annual Business Meeting**

June 20,- 21  
Estes Park, Colorado

### **Annual IFTA Business Meeting**

August 9 - 10  
Chandler, Arizona

### **Motor Fuels Uniformity Meeting**

September 21 – 23  
Peoria, IL

### **Motor Fuels Annual Conference**

September 24 – 27  
Peoria, IL

### **IFTA/IRP Managers' and Law Enforcement Workshop**

September 26 – 28  
Salt Lake City, UT

### **4Q IFTA, Inc. Board Meeting**

October 24 - 25  
Chandler, Arizona



## 2018

### **IFTA Attorneys' Meeting**

February 13 – 14  
Chandler, Arizona

### **IFTA/IRP Audit Workshop**

February 13 – 15  
Chandler, Arizona

### **CVSA Workshop**

April 8-12, 2018  
Portland, Oregon

### **Pacific Region Meeting**

April 29 – May 1  
Jackson, WY

### **IRP Annual Meeting**

April 30 – May 2  
New Orleans, Louisiana

### **Southern Region Meeting**

June 10 – 12  
Montgomery, Alabama

### **Midwestern Region Meeting**

July 9 – 12  
Kansas City, Kansas

### **AAMVA Annual International Conference**

August 21-23, 2018  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania