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**Federal Highway  
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# Memorandum

## **SP-91-007-GE**

Subject Federally Leased Commercial Motor Vehicles  
From Director, Office of Motor Carrier Field Operations  
To Regional Directors, Office of Motor Carriers Regions 1-10

Date February 6, 1991

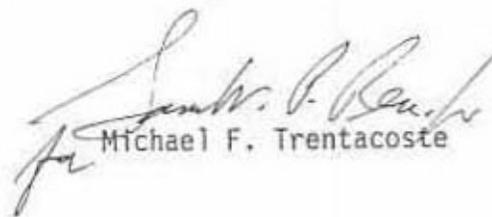
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Please advise your staff and the appropriate Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program State agencies that the Motor Carrier Safety Act of 1984 has been amended by language contained in Section 24 of the Hazardous Materials Transportation Uniform Safety Act of 1990.

Specifically, Section 210 of the Motor Carrier Safety Act of 1984 (49 U.S.C. App. 2509) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

“(g) **FEDERALLY LEASED COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES.**—Any State which receives Federal financial assistance under section 402 of the Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982 in a fiscal year may apply and enforce in such fiscal year any regulations pertaining to commercial motor vehicle safety adopted by such State with respect to commercial motor vehicles and operators leased to the United States.”

If further information is needed, please contact the State Programs Division at FTS 366-9579.

  
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