

NOTICE

STG Transportation Solutions, LLC is seeking licensed motor carriers to enter into Motor Carrier Services Agreements. Starting as early as May 15, 2023, licensed motor carriers that contract with us can bid on loads brokered by STG Transportation Solutions based on the licensed motor carrier's preferences of load type, length of haul, origin and destination, as well as negotiated rates.

STG Transportation Solutions understands your business recently operated under a written agreement with one of our affiliates. **We invite your business to consider contracting with STG Transportation Solutions if your business can show that it meets each of the following requirements:**

- A business organized and operating in good standing as a legal business entity (e.g., corporation or LLC)
- Active motor carrier authority with the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration ("FMCSA")
- A California Highway Patrol CA Number
- Has not had a rating of Unsatisfactory or Conditional at any time during the previous 2 years if your business has or had FMCSA motor carrier authority
- Maintains the following insurance coverages:
 - General Liability, Public Liability & Property Damage coverage of at least \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence
 - Cargo Legal Liability coverage of at least \$100,000.00 per occurrence
 - Trailer Interchange/Bailee coverage of at least \$25,000.00 per occurrence
- Registered its tractor(s) under the Uniform Carrier Registration (UCR) system
- Affixed proper placards to (or proper markings otherwise placed on) its tractor(s) reflecting active motor carrier authority
- Obtained proper permits, license plates and registration cab cards
- Independently retains drivers who are qualified to operate a commercial motor vehicle under the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations

Preferred:

- Has entered into the Uniform Intermodal Interchange and Facilities Access Agreement (UIIA)

If your business does not meet the requirements listed above at this time, be aware that it may take 30 days or more to obtain the necessary insurance and FMCSA authority, as well as meet the other requirements necessary contract with STG Transportation Solutions. Overdrive magazine provides information on obtaining FMCSA authority, along with contact information for some third-party advisors and trucking associations that may be able to provide assistance (Link: [Get your own authority: How to tackle the basics of filing, insurance, more or](https://www.overdriveonline.com/business/article/14897171/how-to-get-your-own-authority-basics-of-filing-insurance-more-or) <https://www.overdriveonline.com/business/article/14897171/how-to-get-your-own-authority-basics-of-filing-insurance-more>).

For your convenience only, information regarding some third-party companies that, in addition to the advisors identified in the Overdrive article, provide guidance on the steps that must be taken to operate as a business entity and/or obtain FMCSA motor carrier authority is set forth in the attached document. That information is followed by the contact information for some commercial insurance brokers that commonly work with smaller transportation companies. Again, all of this information is solely provided for your convenient reference as a courtesy and is not intended to be taken as business or legal advice, or to suggest that STG Transportation Solutions endorses any of the third-party companies listed below, nor is using the services of any of these companies a requirement for entering into a contract with STG Transportation Solutions. STG has no financial or ownership interest in any of the listed companies, and will not receive any payment or referral fee should you choose to use them. Further the characterization below of these companies' available services, and the fees associated them, is based on STG's available information, and you should confirm this information before engaging them. Any business interested in contracting with STG Transportation Solutions is encouraged to seek legal and/or business counsel in connection with the same.

STG Transportation Solutions recognizes that licensed motor carriers have many contracting opportunities. Entering into a contract with STG Transportation Solutions does not prevent you from entering into any similar agreements with competitors of STG Transportation Solutions.

If you have any questions or would like to further discuss your business's eligibility to contract with STG Transportation Solutions, please contact us by phone at (888) 249-6428 or email at STSMotorCarriers@stgusa.com.