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Overview of a Commercial Driver’s License

Fee Schedule

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Do you need a commercial driver’s license? This brochure will help you determine if you need a commercial driver’s license and if so, what kind?
There are three types of Commercial Driver’s Licenses:

- Class A
- Class B
- Class C

**Types of CDL**

**CLASS A**
Combination vehicles with a gross combination weight rating (GCWR) of 26,001 pound or more if the GVWR of the vehicle being towed is greater than 10,000 pounds. A driver with a Class A license may, with the proper endorsements, operate vehicles requiring a Class B, C, or D license. GVWR is assigned by the manufacturer.

**CLASS B**
Single vehicles with a GVWR of 26,001 or more pounds, or any such vehicle towing a vehicle of 10,000 pounds GVWR or less. A driver with a Class B license, may, with the proper endorsements, operate vehicles requiring a Class C or D license.

**CLASS C**
Vehicles not meeting the definitions of Class A or B, but are either designed to carry 16 or more people (including the driver) or carry an amount of hazardous materials requiring placards. A driver with a Class C license may also operate vehicles requiring a Class D license.

Drivers of passenger cars need a Class D driver’s license.

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- **Does the vehicle or combination of vehicles have a Gross Combined Weight Rating (GCWR) of 26,001 or more pounds?**
  - Yes: **Is the vehicle a combination vehicle towing a unit over 10,000 pounds (GVWR)?**
    - Yes: **CLASS A**
    - No: **Is the single vehicle have a GVWR of 26,001 or more pounds?**
      - Yes: **CLASS B**
      - No: **Is the vehicle designed to carry 16 or more people (including the driver)?**
        - Yes: **CLASS C**
        - No: **You DO NOT need a CDL**

**Endorsement Types:**

- Double/Triple Trailer (T)
- Hazardous Materials (H)
- Passenger (P)
- School Bus (S)
- Tanker (N)

**Exempt Vehicles:**
Drivers of the following vehicle types may be exempt from obtaining a Commercial Driver’s License:

- Recreation Vehicles for personal use
- Military Vehicles
- Emergency Vehicles
- Farm Vehicles

**Questions about Exempt Vehicles?**
Call the Idaho Transportation Department’s Division of Motor Vehicles at 208-584-4343 or email CDLHelpDesk@itd.idaho.gov.

The presence of air brakes or a tank does not always define a vehicle that needs a CDL. Call for assistance.