



# Department of Motor Vehicles

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Albany, New York

October 4, 2021

TO: All Enforcement Agencies and Magistrates

SUBJECT: International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA)

The attached notice pertains to the renewal of 2021 International Fuel Tax Agreement licenses and decals that expire on December 31, 2021.

Please share this information with appropriate staff. Thank you.

Mark J.F. Schroeder  
Commissioner

Attachment



**Department of  
Taxation and Finance**

Office of Tax Policy Analysis  
W A Harriman Campus, Albany NY 12227

Attention:

October 1, 2021

Law enforcement agencies

District attorneys

Municipal officers

State, county, town, and village justices and magistrates

### **New International Fuel Tax Agreement Credentials Required for 2022**

All 2021 International Fuel Tax Agreement (IFTA) licenses and decals will expire on December 31, 2021. New IFTA licenses and decals for 2022 will be issued soon and may be used immediately. 2022 IFTA decals will be blue with white lettering.

To provide ample opportunity for motor carriers to acquire their 2022 IFTA licenses and properly display their 2022 IFTA decals, motor carriers may continue to use the 2021 IFTA licenses and display the 2021 IFTA decals until February 28, 2022.

However, as of March 1, 2022, motor carriers must:

- have obtained their new 2022 IFTA licenses and decals;
- have removed all 2021 IFTA decals from their vehicles;
- display the 2022 IFTA decals on all qualified motor vehicles; and
- always carry a paper original, paper copy, or electronic image of the 2022 IFTA license in the qualified motor vehicle.

Law enforcement agencies and other officials must accept electronic images of IFTA licenses (in addition to paper originals or paper copies) when presented by motor carriers.

Motor carriers operating qualified motor vehicles without a current IFTA license or without valid IFTA decals are in violation of the Tax Law. Motor carriers may be issued a citation for a traffic infraction and be required to pay a fine. See Tax Law §§ 1815(a)(1)(A)(ii), 1815(a)(2), and 1815(a)(3).

Trip permits are not affected: The requirement to obtain 2022 IFTA licenses and decals does not affect New York State fuel use tax trip permits. Trip permits are valid for the period shown on the permit.

For more information on IFTA, visit our website (search: IFTA).