

**Illinois Secretary of State  
Commercial & Farm Truck Division  
Room 300 Howlett Bldg.  
Springfield, IL 62756  
217-785-1810**

Gross Weight of Vehicle and Load	Initial Required by Law Including Commercial Distribution Fee	Maximum Mileage Permitted Under Guaranteed Tax	Rate Excess Mileage	Class
12,000 lbs. or less	\$ 95	5,000	\$ .026	MD
12,001 lbs. – 16,000 lbs.	149	6,000	.034	MF
16,001 lbs. – 20,000 lbs.	218	6,000	.046	MG
20,001 lbs. – 24,000 lbs.	281	6,000	.063	MH
24,001 lbs. – 28,000 lbs.	372	7,000	.063	MJ
28,001 lbs. – 32,000 lbs.	452	7,000	.083	MK
32,001 lbs. – 36,000 lbs.	567	7,000	.099	ML
36,001 lbs. – 40,000 lbs.	715	7,000	.128	MN
40,001 lbs. – 45,000 lbs.	807	7,000	.139	MP
45,001 lbs. – 54,999 lbs.	987	7,000	.156	MR
55,000 lbs. – 59,500 lbs.	1,064	7,000	.178	MS
59,501 lbs. – 64,000 lbs.	1,138	7,000	.195	MT
64,001 lbs. – 73,280 lbs.	1,353	7,000	.225	MV
73,281 lbs. – 77,000 lbs.	1,531	7,000	.258	MX
77,001 lbs. – 80,000 lbs.	1,630	7,000	.275	MZ
<b>Trailer</b>				
14,000 lbs. or less	\$ 98	5,000	\$ .031	MET
14,001 lbs. – 20,000 lbs.	166	6,000	.036	MFT
20,001 lbs. – 36,000 lbs.	629	7,000	.103	MLT
36,001 lbs. – 40,000 lbs.	870	7,000	.150	MMT

All vehicles registered for 55,000 lbs. or more require a paid HVUT Form 2290, Schedule I tax receipt.

**I have read and understand the above instructions for MILEAGE WEIGHT TAX reporting. It is my responsibility to ensure that I am in compliance with all requirements for Mileage Weight Tax registration. I understand that the Registration or Certificate of Title of the vehicles so received may be suspended or revoked for non-compliance.**

Printed name of business or registrant

Registrant signature

Date

Phone Number

**IMPORTANT**  
**INSTRUCTIONS FOR MILEAGE WEIGHT TAX REPORTING**

Illinois law offers reduced fees for vehicles operating a very limited number of miles in Illinois. This is classified as **Mileage Weight Tax** registration. With the reduced fee, this registration carries some **restrictions**, including:

1. Mileage Weight Tax registrations (new, renewal, transfers) are only processed through the Commercial & Farm Truck Division in Springfield.
2. Mileage Weight Tax reporting forms are provided to applicants for the required annual reporting of miles. These reports **must be completed and returned** to the Commercial & Farm Truck Division by **July 10** or the license plates will be **revoked**.
  - Insert the ending odometer reading as of **June 30** in the space provided.
  - If the truck has been sold or taken out of service and you have transferred the plates to another vehicle, you must report the ending odometer reading on the form along with the beginning odometer reading of the new vehicle. If the plates have not been transferred to another vehicle, you must insert the ending odometer reading and return it. **License plates and registration I.D. card may be returned** to the Commercial Farm & Truck Division.
  - If the reporting form is lost or misplaced, or if the information is incomplete or inaccurate, contact the Secretary of State's office immediately at 217-785-1810 or 217-785-1816.
3. 625 ILC 5/3-704(9) provides for the **suspension** of the vehicle's registration or Certificate of Title when the Secretary of State determines that the owner of a vehicle registered under the Mileage Weight Tax option fails to maintain the records specified by law, or fails to file the reports required by law, or that such vehicle is not equipped with an operable and operating speedometer or odometer.

Mileage Weight Tax registrations are **subject to suspension or revocation for failure to report mileage within the required 10 days, as well as for operating vehicles with broken or disconnected odometers/hub-o-meters, and/or not paying excess mileage fees** within the required time after demand for same. Penalties and interest also may be assessed. The Secretary of State is not responsible for lost or misdirected mail. **All trucks must have working odometers**. All trailers operating with Mileage Weight Tax plates must have working hub-o-meters on which to record miles traveled.

4. **An original surety bond** in the amount of **\$500 per vehicle** must accompany the application to acquire and renew Mileage Weight Tax plates. The name on the bond must be identical to the name on the application for license plates. Bonding companies must attach a **Power of Attorney** form and an acknowledgment of surety to each bond.
5. All miles generated by a Mileage Weight Tax-registered vehicle must be reported. All records must be kept for three years. **A daily record must be kept of all miles generated by each vehicle**, as well as recording and submitting the beginning and ending odometer readings for each fiscal year. Owners also must **maintain records of fuel consumed by each** motor vehicle and **fuel purchases** thereafter. All required records are subject to audit.
6. Whenever the mileage traveled exceeds the maximum miles permitted for Mileage Weight Tax plates, excess fees are due.

**EXAMPLE: Excess Miles x Rate = Amount Due (516 x .2750 = \$141.90)**

7. Mileage Weight Tax plates cannot be transferred to a vehicle already registered with Mileage Weight Tax plates. Mileage Weight Tax registration cannot be reclassified to a Flat Weight Tax or Farm registration. The law provides that the election is binding for the entire fiscal registration year.
8. Mileage Weight Tax plates are local plates valid only in the State of Illinois.
9. Mileage Weight Tax plates require full-year fees regardless of the date application is made, and by statute no reduction of fees is allowed.
10. Any person who willfully makes a false return under the Mileage Weight Tax option is guilty of perjury and faces penalties as provided by law.