



# Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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September 05, 2008

Stuart Stapleton  
EQ Florida Inc  
7202 E 8th Ave  
Tampa, FL 33619-3380

Re: Florida Hazardous Waste Transporter Approval

Dear Stuart Stapleton:

Your Florida Hazardous Waste Transporter Approval Certificate is enclosed. The terms and conditions of approval are specified in Sections 62-730.170 and 62-730.171, Florida Administrative Code(FAC), a copy of which is enclosed for your reference. Please note the following.

1. You must demonstrate proof of liability coverage on an annual basis, even if your insurance policy is issued on a multi-year basis. If no changes in status or insurance coverage have occurred, you can meet this requirement by submitting a certificate of liability coverage form along with the two copies of the Hazardous Waste Transporter Status Form, copies of which are available upon request from the Department of Environmental Protection.
2. A copy of your insurance policy, together with any endorsements, must be maintained at your principal place of business.
3. Your insurer can not terminate your coverage until 30 days after filing written notice with DEP, by Certified mail, that your policy has expired or has been canceled.
4. Any changes to the information specified on your approval certificate will render it null and void. It is your responsibility to advise DEP of any changes in liability coverage or status.
5. A copy of Hazardous Waste Transporter Status Form, complete with the Department approval shall be carried in each vehicle transporting hazardous waste for the transportation company.

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If you intend to operate a hazardous waste transfer facility, you must submit a Transfer Facility Notification Form 30 days before you use the facility as a storage location. If you are currently operating a transfer facility, you must maintain records of incoming and outgoing hazardous waste shipments. These records must include generator names and manifest numbers, and unless otherwise approved by DEP, must be maintained at the transfer facility. You need to be aware that the 1998 Florida Legislature adopted a new bill for transfer facilities. At the present time the Department is drafting new language for 62-730.171 to meet the criteria set forth in the legislation.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 850/245-8755.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Richard Neves".

Richard Neves

Hazardous Waste Management Section

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Enclosures: Hazardous Waste Transporter Approval Certificate  
Hazardous Waste Transporter Status Form (with insurance verification)  
Sections 62-730.170 and 62-730.171, FAC



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## HAZARDOUS WASTE TRANSPORTER CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

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This is to certify that the carrier specified below has been approved as a hazardous waste transporter in Florida. The terms and conditions of this certificate require that the holder comply with all applicable portions of Chapter 62-730, Florida Administrative Code. This certificate shall be rendered null and void if any information contained within becomes obsolete. The certificate shall remain valid through the expiration date specified below.

TRANSPORTER: EQ Florida Inc

FACILITY ID NO: FLD981932494

FACILITY ADDRESS: 2002 N Orient Rd  
Tampa, FL 33619-3356

INSURANCE CARRIER: AMERICAN INTL SPECIALTY

INSURANCE POLICY#: PLS2673560

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 01, 2005

EXPIRATION DATE: August 01, 2008

APPROVED TRANSFER FACILITY: YES

APPROVAL ISSUED BY: Richard Neves DATE: September 05, 2008

Richard Neves  
Hazardous Waste Management Section  
850/245-8755

Are your services commercially available? Yes

STATE OF FLORIDA

HAZARDOUS WASTE TRANSPORTER STATUS FORM

1. Transporter Identification:

Transporter Name: EQ Florida Inc.  
Transporter EPA ID: FLD 981 932 494  
Location Address: 2002 North Orient Road  
Tampa, Florida 33619

Contact: Stuart Stapleton Telephone: 813-319-3423  
Mailing Address: 2002 East 8th Avenue  
Tampa, Florida 33619

II. Insurance Information:

Insurance Company American International Specialty Lines Insurance Co.  
Address 1375 E. 9th Street  
Cleveland, OH 44114  
Contact: Joshua Bowen Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Policy Number: PLS 2673560  
Expiration date: 8/1/2009

III. Waste Information:

EPA Waste Codes for Waste Routinely or Usually Transported:

D001 D002 D008 D035 F001 F002 F003 F005

Comments: Occasionally transport nearly all types of  
Characteristic & Listed waste to include D, F, P, U & K Codes

IV. Certification:

I certify under penalty of law that the above information is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Stuart Stapleton Regulatory Manager  
Print/Type Name Title  
[Signature] 8/29/08  
Signature Date Signed

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V. The transporter identified above is in compliance with the financial responsibility requirements for hazardous waste transporters pursuant to Chapter 62-730.170, Florida Administrative Code. The forms submitted by the transporter show compliance with the financial responsibility through 08/01/09.  
Date

**APPROVED by Sebrena L. Bolton, changes approved by the Certifier by phone 9/4/2008**

Signature of Florida Department of Environmental Protection Representative Date Signed

## **62-730.170 Standards Applicable to Transporters of Hazardous Waste.**

(1) The Department adopts by reference 40 CFR Part 263 revised as of July 1, 2006.

(2) In addition to the requirements of subsection (1) of this rule, no person shall transport a hazardous waste within the state for which either a manifest is required under 40 CFR Part 262 [as adopted in subsection 62-730.160(1), F.A.C.] or a reclamation agreement is entered between a generator and recycler pursuant to 40 CFR 263.20 [as adopted in subsection 62-730.170(1), F.A.C.] unless compliance with the following special requirements have been demonstrated.

(a) The transporter shall have and maintain financial responsibility for sudden accidental occurrences in a minimum amount of \$1,000,000 per occurrence for combined coverage of injury to persons and for damage to property and the environment from the spillage of hazardous waste while such wastes are being transported including the costs of cleaning up the spill. Such financial responsibility shall be issued by an agent or company authorized or licensed to transact business in the State of Florida. Such financial responsibility shall be maintained at all times, be exclusive of legal defense costs, and be established by any one or a combination of the following:

1. Evidence of casualty/liability insurance on an occurrence basis with or without a deductible. With the deductible the Insurer is liable for the payment of amounts within any deductible applicable to the policy, with a right of reimbursement by the insured for any such payment made by the Insurer. Each insurance policy must be evidenced by a certificate of liability insurance or amended by attachment of an endorsement.

2. Surety bonds.

(b) Evidence of coverage shall include submittal of an originally signed copy of one or more of the following forms, which are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference:

1. Hazardous Waste Transporter Certificate of Liability Insurance, Form 62-730.900(5)(a), effective date January 29, 2006.

2. Hazardous Waste Transporter Liability Endorsement, Form 62-730.900(5)(b), effective date January 29, 2006

3. Hazardous Waste Transporter Liability Surety Bond, Form 62-730.900(5)(c), effective date January 29, 2006.  
Rule 62-730.900, F.A.C., contains information on obtaining a copy of these forms.

(c) The insurance policy, including all endorsements, or the liability surety bond must be maintained at the carrier's principal place of business.

(d) Whenever requested by the Secretary (or designee) of the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, the Insurer agrees to furnish to the Department a signed duplicate original of the policy and all endorsements.

(e) The transporter shall annually submit to the Department two originally signed Transporter Status Forms, Form 62-730.900(5)(d), effective date January 5, 1995, which is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. Rule 62-730.900, F.A.C., contains information on obtaining a copy of this form. The Department shall complete the approval part of the form and return one of the originally signed forms to the transporter after verifying that the transporter is complying with the financial responsibility requirements of this section. A copy of this form complete with the Department approval shall be carried in each vehicle transporting hazardous waste for the transporter. This approval is non-transferable and non-assignable.

(f) This subsection does not apply to any person who transports hazardous waste only on the site of a hazardous waste generator or a permitted hazardous waste treatment, storage, or disposal facility.

(g) States and the federal government are exempt from the requirements of this subsection.

(3) Evidence of financial responsibility, updated for the current year, shall be verified annually by the submission of the appropriate form described in paragraph (2)(b) of this section or by the submission of a certificate of insurance. A certificate of insurance shall include a certification by the insurer that the original insurance policy and all endorsements are still in full force and effect as evidenced on the original forms submitted to the Department.

*Specific Authority 403.704, 403.721, 403.724, 403.8055 FS. Law Implemented 403.704, 403.721, 403.724 FS. History--New 11-8-81, Amended 5-31-84, 9-13-84, Formerly 17-30.17, Amended 9-19-86, 3-31-87, 5-26-87, 6-28-88, Formerly 17-30.170, Amended 1-25-89, 8-13-90, 9-10-*

## CHAPTER 62-730 HAZARDOUS WASTE

### 62-730.171 Transfer Facilities.

(1) 40 CFR 263.12 [as adopted by reference in subsection 62-730.170(1), F.A.C.] provides that transporters who store manifested hazardous waste in proper containers at a transfer facility for 10 days or less are exempt from regulation as a hazardous waste facility. If the waste is stored for more than 10 days, the facility is subject to the permitting requirements for a hazardous waste storage facility.

(2) A transfer facility used for storage of hazardous waste for more than 24 hours but 10 days or less shall comply with the following requirements all as adopted by reference in subsection 62-730.180(2), F.A.C., except where otherwise noted:

(a) The owner or operator of the transfer facility shall comply with the requirements of 40 CFR Part 265 Subparts B (general facility standards), C (preparedness and prevention), D (contingency and emergency plan), and I (management of containers), with the exception of 265.13. The aisle space requirements described in 40 CFR 265.35 and the special requirements for incompatible wastes described in 40 CFR 265.177(c) shall not apply at transfer facilities to containers stored in trucks loaded in accordance with DOT regulations described in 40 CFR 263.10 [as adopted by reference in subsection 62-730.170(1), F.A.C.]. The 40 CFR Part 265 requirements referenced above shall apply to transfer facilities notwithstanding 40 CFR 265.1(c)(12). The owner or operator of the transfer facility shall submit the contingency and emergency plan to the Department with their first Transfer Facility Notification Form, Form 62-730.900(6), effective date January 5, 1995, which is hereby adopted and incorporated by reference. Rule 62-730.900, F.A.C., contains information on obtaining a copy of this form.

(b) The owner or operator of the transfer facility shall have a written closure plan to show that the facility will be closed in a manner which satisfies the requirements of the closure performance, notification, and decontamination standards of 40 CFR 265.111, 265.112, 265.114 and 265.115. The owner or operator of the transfer facility shall submit the closure plan to the Department with their first Transfer Facility Notification Form. Within 60 days of completion of closure, the owner or operator of the transfer facility, shall submit to the Department a certification that the facility has been closed in accordance with the specifications in the closure plan. The certification shall be signed by the owner or operator of the transfer facility, by the owner of the real property where the transfer facility is located, and by an independent registered, professional engineer.

(c) Records required in this section shall be maintained in permanent form and shall be available for inspection by the Department. The records shall be kept at the facility unless the Department gives written approval to do otherwise.

(d) Hazardous waste stored in containers or vehicles at transfer facilities shall be stored on a manmade surface which is capable of preventing spills or releases to the ground.

(e) The owner or operator of a transfer facility shall maintain a written record of when all hazardous waste enters and leaves the facility. This record shall include the generator's name, the generator's EPA/DEP identification number, and the manifest number. For conditionally exempt small quantity generators without an EPA/DEP identification number, the record shall include the name and address of the generator. This recordkeeping requirement applies to all hazardous wastes including hazardous waste generated by CESQGs.

(3) The owner or operator of a transfer facility which stores manifested shipments of hazardous waste for more than 24 hours but 10 days or less shall notify the Department on the Transfer Facility Notification Form. The owner or operator of a new facility shall submit a notification form at least 30 days before the storage of hazardous waste is to begin. The transfer facility shall annually update the information on the Transfer Facility Notification Form and send it to the Department with the transporter's evidence of financial responsibility as required under subsection 62-730.170(3), F.A.C.

(4) The owner or operator of a transfer facility shall obtain an EPA/DEP identification number for each transfer facility location. Any owner or operator who has not obtained an EPA/DEP identification number for each transfer facility location may obtain one by applying to the Department using Form 62-730.900(1)(b), 8700-12FL – Florida Notification of Regulated Waste Activity.

*Specific Authority 403.0877, 403.704, 403.721 FS. Law Implemented 403.0877, 403.704, 403.721 FS. History—New 3-2-86, Amended 6-28-88,*

*Formerly 17-30.171, Amended 8-13-90, 9-10-91, 10-14-92, Formerly 17-730.171, Amended 1-5-95, 1-29-06.*