

Fuel-Trip Permit FAQ

Who needs to purchase a Fuel Permit?

Any out of state motor carrier that intends to travel through South Carolina and is not a member of IFTA and intends to purchase fuel while in South Carolina.

Who needs to purchase a Trip Permit?

Any out of state motor carrier that intends to travel through South Carolina and is not a member of IRP.

How do I apply to get a Fuel or Trip Permit?

An applicant must visit www.scdmvonline.com and select the trucking portal. They will then select the icon for Fuel Trip Permits. The registrant will be taken to the registration page. The applicant will fill out the MC 26 and ensure they select the checkbox for Fuel or Trip Permit.

What happens after registering?

Your information will be reviewed at the SCDMV headquarters and a new account will be created for you. An email with information such as username and password to the permit purchasing and payment site will be provided. After logging into this site, you may select the permits you desire and make payment online. The fee for a permit is \$15 each.

When will I receive my Fuel or Trip Permit?

Once payment is made, your Fuel Trip Permit will be emailed in PDF form to the email you provided on the MC 26 form. You should print the Permit and keep in the vehicle during your travel period.

What is the period of time the Fuel or Trip Permits valid for?

Fuel Permits are valid for 10 days and the Trip Permits are valid for 3 days.

What if I need more Fuel or Trip Permits in the future?

Keep the customer number, username, and password for your account. You can use that information to log in at a future date and purchase more permits.