

Manitoba IFTA Newsletter—3rd Quarter 2022

2023 Renewals

The 2023 licence and decal fee will remain at \$65 per carrier and \$5 per set, respectively.

Renewal forms will be mailed in mid-October. Please complete the form and return with payment to our office. If you are paying your licence and decal fees through TAXcess, please indicate that on your renewal form.

The 2023 IFTA credentials will **not** be renewed if the first, second and third quarter 2022 returns have not been filed or if there are delinquent tax return(s) and/or tax(es) owing under IFTA and/or other tax statutes administered by the Taxation Division.

Please note that if your renewal is not received in our office by December 31, 2022 or your account cannot be renewed due to outstanding items, your account will be suspended. This means that you will not be eligible for the grace period and will not be able to travel on your 2022 credentials in January and February 2023.

3rd Quarter 2022 Tax Return Due Date: Monday, October 31, 2022

To avoid penalties and interest, returns must be filed and any amount due must be paid by the above date.

Online Filing of IFTA Quarterly Tax Returns and Payments of Taxes Due

All IFTA quarterly tax returns <u>must</u> be filed and paid online using **TAXcess**, Manitoba Finance's online system. Paper returns are no longer accepted. Taxpayers who fail to file and pay using **TAXcess** when required may be subject to penalties.

IFTA quarterly tax returns for periods prior to 2021 may be filed and paid online but it is not a requirement.

Sign up on the TAXcess home page at https://taxcess.gov.mb.ca/.

FILE – When you enter the jurisdictions you travelled in, the fuel type used, total and taxable kilometres travelled and tax paid fuel purchased, the tax due or credit is calculated for you. You no longer have to enter tax rates or manually calculate fuel consumption.

PAY – You can pay any tax owing by electronic, pre-authorized payment (PAD). This allows you to file and pay IFTA through the **TAXcess** website in one continuous process.

VIEW – You can view your IFTA account online, such as your IFTA Statement of Account, IFTA licences and summary of returns filed. You can also view all Web Notices (e-mails) sent and received.

Fuel Tax Holidays

Due to rising fuel costs, some IFTA jurisdictions are allowing the purchase of eligible fuel tax exempt or pausing the collection of fuel taxes for a specified time period.

Alberta (AB) has implemented its fuel tax holiday by reducing its tax rate to zero. Newfoundland and Labrador (NL) initially implemented their fuel tax holidays as a split tax rate in 2nd quarter 2022 (now a reduction in the tax rate for 3rd and 4th quarters 2022). Connecticut (CT), Georgia (GA) and New York (NY) have suspended the collection of fuel taxes. The fuel tax holiday for each jurisdiction is listed below:

AB – April 1, 2022 to September 30, 2022

NL – June 2, 2022 to December 31, 2022

CT- April 1, 2022 to November 30, 2022 (gasoline and gasohol only)

GA – March 18, 2022 to October 12, 2022

NY – June 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022

NEW - For information on fuel tax holidays, including examples on how to record fuel purchased and kilometres traveled during fuel tax holidays, please see 'Exempt Fuel and/or Kilometres' under *Help* on the left side of the page in *TAXcess*.

For more information on the jurisdictions participating in a fuel tax holiday as well as their contact information, please view the 'Important Notices' on the IFTA, Inc. website at https://www.iftach.org/important-notices.php



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New Jersey Fuel Tax Refund

New Jersey is offering a refund option to carriers as their fuel tax rates for the 2nd quarter 2022 were incorrect on the tax rate matrix.

For more information on the refund, including the refund form to be completed with a refund claim, please view the letter from New Jersey <u>here</u> or under 'Important Notices' on the IFTA, Inc. website at <u>https://www.iftach.org/important-notices.php</u>

Our Office is Open

The Manitoba Finance offices are open for in person service.

While face coverings are no longer mandatory for all individuals attending the Manitoba Finance offices, individuals may continue to choose to wear masks based on their preference, personal risk or other reasons.

As well, please practice physical distancing, keeping a distance of at least 2 arms lengths (approximately 2 metres) from others as much as possible.

Alternatively, we are pleased to support you by phone at 204-945-5603 or 1-800-782-0318 (MB toll free) or by e-mail at <u>MBTax@gov.mb.ca</u>.

For accurate and up-to-date information on COVID-19, please visit http://www.manitoba.ca/covid19/.

Office Closures	MB Travel Only
Friday, September 30, 2022 (National Day for Truth and Reconciliation) Monday, October 10, 2022 (Thanksgiving Day) Friday, November 11, 2022 (Remembrance Day) Monday, December 26, 2022 (Boxing Day) Tuesday, December 27, 2022 (day observed for Christmas Day) Monday, January 2, 2023 (day observed for New Year's Day)	Travelling in Manitoba only? If you did not travel outside of MB, click <i>File Now</i> for the applicable filing period on the Account Summary Page and then click NO. Continue for further instructions.

IFTA Credentials Processing

Our goal is to respond to your IFTA credentials requests in a timely manner. Once the completed application form with payment (if applicable) is received and approved, we will process your request and forward to you as required by mail, fax or e-mail within the following response times:

Initial IFTA Registration – seven (7) to ten (10) business days *Renewal of IFTA Credentials* – fifteen (15) business days *Additional Decals* – one (1) business day *Temporary Decal Permit* – one (1) business day

For urgent requests, contact us at 204-945-6444. Response times may vary if **any** tax accounts are not in good standing.

Need Information → Go Online

<u>https://www.iftach.org/</u> - Complete listing of tax rates and footnotes for all IFTA jurisdictions. You can also print or view the IFTA Agreement, ballot proposals, carrier contact lists and read the IFTA News.

<u>https://www.gov.mb.ca/finance/taxation/motor.html</u> - Find here the carrier manual, newsletters, bulletins, notices and IFTA applications.

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