

# Driver's Road Test Examination (Comprehensive)

**Driver's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Driver's License No.:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Driver's Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone No.:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Equipment Type:</b>	
<b>Examiner:</b>	<b>Unit No.:</b>

\*\*\*The road test shall be given by the motor carrier or a person designated by the carrier. However, a driver who is also a motor carrier must be given the test by another individual. The test shall be given by a person who is competent to evaluate & determine whether the person who takes the test has demonstrated that he/she is capable of operating the vehicle & associated equipment that the motor carrier intends to assign to the driver. \*\*\*

Rate the driver's performance, marking "S" for Satisfactory or "U" for Unsatisfactory. If the driver is not tested on an item, mark "NA" for Not Applicable.

### PRE-TRIP

S U NA <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Checks general condition of unit <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Checks engine compartment <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Inspects interior/exterior condition <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Inspects lights/reflectors & adjusts mirrors <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Checks brakes, emergency brakes & hoses <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Checks tires <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Checks coupling devices</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Checks &amp; understands use of emergency equipment</b>
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### IN TRAFFIC / PASSING

S U NA <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Maintains a legal speed (or safe speed for conditions) <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Maintains proper following distance <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Yields right of way when necessary <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Uses safe passing & lane change procedures <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Proper use of signals & warning devices <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Approaches intersections with caution <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Properly stops & proceeds at traffic lights <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Obeys traffic signs & warnings
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### EQUIPMENT OPERATION

S U NA <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Understanding of controls, switches & gauges <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Properly starts engine <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Maintains appropriate engine speed <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Proper shifting procedures
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### TURNING

S U NA <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Right turn procedures <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Left turn procedures
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### BACKING / PARKING

S U NA <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Makes visual checks & uses mirrors <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Controls speed <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Positions equipment in a safe manner <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Parks equipment properly at curb
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### BRAKING / SLOWING

S U NA <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Knowledge of braking system <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Brake use while stopping <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Use of transmission for slowing/stopping <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Stops a safe distance from vehicles/crosswalks <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Refrains from sudden braking/stopping <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Slowing/stopping on hills
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At a minimum, a pre-hire road test must include each of the main sections found above. Specific items to be tested within each section are determined by the carrier; however, any items in bold are required (see §391.31(c) of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations).

**REMARKS:**

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Examiner's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*If road test is successfully completed, the examiner shall complete a certificate of driver's road test.*