

CHAPTER 195. TOW TRUCK IDENTIFICATION SIGNS

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Authority

The provisions of this Chapter 195 issued under the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S. §§ 4573 and 6103(a), unless otherwise noted.

Source

The provisions of this Chapter 195 adopted July 31, 1981, effective August 1, 1981, 11 Pa.B. 2686, unless otherwise noted.

§ 195.1. Purpose; authority.

(a) *Purpose.* The purpose of this chapter is to establish standards for the identifying signs required to be placed on both sides of commercial wreckers by 75 Pa.C.S. § 4573 (relating to identification of certain vehicles).

(b) *Authority.* This chapter is authorized under 75 Pa.C.S. § 6103(a) (relating to promulgation of rules and regulations by department).

§ 195.2. Definitions.

The following words and terms, when used in this chapter, have the following meanings, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

Wrecker—A motor vehicle designed or constructed and used for the towing of abandoned or disabled vehicles.

§ 195.3. Sign standards.

(a) *General rule.* A wrecker used commercially to tow motor vehicles shall have the name of the business or person operating the wrecker designated on each side of the wrecker in a prominent location in letters not less than 3 inches high. The name may be printed on the wrecker or may be contained on signs affixed to the wrecker.

(b) *Exception.* The signs on a wrecker having otherwise acceptable signs on August 1, 1981 may have letters less than 3 inches, but at least 2 inches high.

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