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## DECLARATION OF REGIONAL EMERGENCY 49 CFR 390.23

I am therefore declaring that a regional emergency exists in the Eastern Region in the highway transportation of certain petroleum products. Motor carriers and drivers transporting gasoline, diesel fuel, and jet fuel to address transportation needs arising from the hurricane disaster (such as fuel supply shortages) are exempt from 49 CFR Parts 390-399 from 1:00 p.m. EDT, August 31, 2005 until 1:00 p.m. EDT, September 14, 2005. No other petroleum products are covered by the exemption.

Nothing contained in this declaration shall be construed as an exemption from the controlled substances and alcohol use and testing requirements (49 CFR Part 382), the commercial driver's license requirements (49 CFR Part 383), the financial responsibility requirements (49 CFR Part 387), applicable size and weight requirements, or any other portion of the regulations not specifically identified.

Motor carriers or drivers currently subject to an out-of-service order are not eligible for the exemption until the order expires or they have met the conditions for its rescission.

Drivers for motor carriers that operate under this declaration of emergency must have a copy of it in their possession.

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Field Administrator Eastern Service Center



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I am therefore declaring that a regional emergency exists in the Southern Region in the highway transportation of certain petroleum products. Motor carriers and drivers transporting gasoline, diesel fuel, and jet fuel to address transportation needs arising from the hurricane disaster (such a fuel supply shortages) are exempt from 49 CFR Parts 390-399, from 1:00 p.m. EDT [noon Central, 11:00 a.m. Mountain, etc.], August 31, 2005 [or some other time/date] until 1:00 p.m. EDT, September 14, 2005. No other petroleum products are covered by the exemption.

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Signed Jerry L. Coope Field Administrator

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I am therefore declaring that a regional emergency exists in the Midwest Region (Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Ohio and Wisconsin) in the highway transportation of certain petroleum products. Motor carriers and drivers transporting gasoline, diesel fuel, and jet fuel to address transportation needs arising from the hurricane disaster (such as fuel supply shortages) are exempt from 49 CFR Parts 390-399 from 1:00 p.m. EDT, August 31, 2005 until 1:00 p.m. EDT, September 14, 2005. No other petroleum products are covered by the exemption.

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Signed Doug Sawin

Field Administrator Midwest Service Center



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I am therefore declaring that a regional emergency exists in the Western Region in the highway transportation of certain petroleum products. Motor carriers and drivers transporting gasoline, diesel fuel, and jet fuel to address transportation needs arising from the hurricane disaster (such as fuel supply shortages) are exempt from 49 CFR Parts 390-399 from 11:00 a.m. MDT August 31, 2005 until 11:00 a.m. MDT, September 14, 2005. No other petroleum products are covered by the exemption.

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