Signs on Vehicles

Once a carrier has calculated the weight of their vehicle, they must place signs on it.





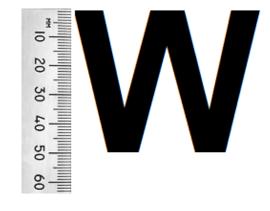
According to Schedule 1, Section 9 of the <u>Commercial Vehicle Safety Regulation (AR121/2009)</u>, commercial vehicles that are weighing or registered for more than 4,500 kilograms must have the following information displayed on the left and right sides of the vehicle:

- The name or registered logo of the vehicle's owner;
- The vehicle's TARE weight;
- The licensed maximum gross weight of the vehicle (GVW).

The TARE weight of a vehicle means the weight of the vehicle when it is empty or not carrying cargo. The GVW of a vehicle means the licensed maximum weight of the vehicle as per the vehicle's certificate of registration.

The letters and numbers listed on the side of a vehicle must be <u>at least</u> 50 millimeters in height. They must also be a different color from their background so that the information is clearly visible. All information listed on the vehicle must be accurate.

A commercial vehicle must not be operated on a highway unless the owner of the registered vehicle has correctly decaled the sides of it.



Some exemptions do apply. Refer to the Commercial Vehicle Safety Regulation (AR121/2009) for details.