

## Guide Sheet: Obtaining EPA Identification Numbers for Hazardous Waste Transporters

First, determine if you will be transporting Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) hazardous waste. Please read and follow the instructions below according to the type of waste you are planning to transport.

1. If you plan to transport RCRA hazardous waste or both RCRA and non-RCRA hazardous waste:

- a. Complete the RCRA Subtitle C Site Identification Form (EPA Form 8700-12). Refer to the “instructions and forms” for clarification and reference.
- b. If your company is not located in California, contact your state’s U.S. EPA regional office. To find your state’s regional office, please visit the [U.S. EPA website](#).
- c. Write “pending” in box 8 on your Hazardous Waste Transporter Registration Application (DTSC Form 187).
- d. Mail a copy of your completed Permanent State ID Number Application (DTSC Form 1358) along with your Hazardous Waste Transporter Registration Application (DTSC Form 187) and your MCS 90 or DTSC 8038 to:

Department of Toxic Substances Control  
Attention: Transporter Unit  
1001 I Street MS 11A  
Sacramento, CA 95814

2. If you plan to transport non-RCRA hazardous waste only:

- a. Complete the Permanent State ID Number Application (DTSC Form 1358).
- b. Write “pending” in box 8 of on your Hazardous Waste Transporter Registration Application (DTSC Form 187).
- c. Mail a copy of your completed DTSC Form 1358 along with your Hazardous Waste Transporter Registration Application (DTSC Form 187) and your MCS 90 or DTSC 8038 to:

Department of Toxic Substances Control  
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3. You may not transport hazardous waste until you have received your DTSC Hazardous Waste Transporter Registration.
4. If you have any questions regarding your Hazardous Waste Transporter Registration Application email [transporter@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:transporter@dtsc.ca.gov).