

scene by a tow truck or other motor vehicle.

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*Employee* means any individual, other than an employer, who is employed by an employer and who in the course of his or her employment directly affects commercial motor vehicle safety. Such term includes a driver of a commercial motor vehicle (including an independent contractor while in the course of operating a commercial motor vehicle), a mechanic, and a freight handler. Such term does not include an employee of the United States, any State, any political subdivision of a State, or any agency established under a compact between States and approved by the Congress of the United States who is acting within the course of such employment.

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*Principal place of business* means a single location designated by the motor carrier, normally its headquarters, where records required by parts 387, 390, 391, and 395 of this subchapter will be maintained and where records required by part 382 must be made available for inspection within two business days after a request has been made by an authorized representative of the Federal Highway Administration. Provisions in this subchapter are made for maintaining certain records at

locations other than the principal place of business.

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#### § 390.7 [Amended]

17. Section 390.7(a) is amended by removing paragraph (a)(3) and redesignating paragraph (a)(4) as paragraph (a)(3).

#### § 390.15 [Amended]

18. Section 390.15(b)(1)(vi) is amended by replacing the word "vehicles" with "motor vehicles."

#### § 390.19 [Amended]

19. Section 390.19 is amended by replacing the words "motor vehicles" with "commercial motor vehicles."

#### § 390.21 [Amended]

20. In § 390.21, amend paragraphs (b)(1), (b)(2), (b)(4), (b)(5), (c)(1), (c)(3), (d), (e)(1), (e)(2) introductory text, (e)(2)(ii), (e)(2)(iv)(B)(2), (e)(2)(iv)(C), and (e)(2)(v) by replacing the words "vehicle" and "motor vehicle" with "commercial motor vehicle."

#### § 390.23 [Amended]

21. Section 390.23(a)(3)(i) is amended by replacing the word "vehicles" with "motor vehicles."

22. Section 390.23(b) is amended by replacing the words "driver or vehicle" with "driver or commercial motor vehicle."

#### § 390.27 [Amended]

23. Section 390.27 is amended by revising the section heading to read "Locations of regional offices of motor carriers."

#### § 390.33 [Amended]

24. Section 390.33 is amended by revising the section heading to read "Commercial motor vehicles used for purposes other than defined." ; and by replacing the words "motor vehicle" with "commercial motor vehicle" in seven places in the text of the section.

#### PART 391—[AMENDED]

25. The authority citation for part 391 is revised to read as follows:

**Authority:** 49 U.S.C. 504, 31133, 31136, and 31502; and 49 CFR 1.48.

**§§ 391.1, 391.11, 391.15, 391.21, 391.25, 391.31, 391.33, 391.41, 391.43, 391.49, 391.51, 391.61, 391.63, 391.65, 391.67, 391.69, 391.71, and 391.73 [Amended]**

26. In part 391, make nomenclature changes as follows:

(a) In the list below, for each section indicated in the left column, remove the word or words indicated in the middle column wherever they appear in the section, and add the words indicated in the right column:

Section	Remove	Add
391.1(a) .....	Motor vehicles .....	Commercial motor vehicles.
391.11(a) .....	Motor vehicle (in four places) .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.11(b) introductory paragraph .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.11(b)(3) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.11(b)(4) .....	Motor vehicle (in two places) .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.11(b)(5) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.11(b)(6) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.11(b)(9) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.15(c)(2)(ii) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.15(c)(2)(v) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.21(a) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.21(b)(5) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.25 .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(a) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(b) .....	Vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(c) introductory paragraph .....	Motor vehicle (in two places) .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(c)(3) .....	Vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(c)(4) .....	Vehicles .....	Commercial motor vehicles.
391.31(c)(5) .....	Vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(c)(5) .....	Vehicles .....	Motor vehicles.
391.31(c)(6) .....	Vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(c)(7) .....	Vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.31(c)(8) .....	Vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.33(a) introductory paragraph .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.33(a)(1) .....	Motor vehicles .....	Commercial motor vehicles.
391.33(a)(1) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(a) .....	Motor vehicle (in two places) .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b) introductory paragraph .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b)(2)(ii) .....	Motor vehicle (in two places) .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b)(5) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b)(6) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b)(7) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b)(8) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.
391.41(b)(9) .....	Motor vehicle .....	Commercial motor vehicle.