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March 31, 2008

John Hill, FMCSA Administrator
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U.S. Department of Transportation
1200 NJ Ave, SE
Department of FMCSA-MC-A, Room W60-308
Washington DC 20590

RE: Amended Unified Carrier Registration State Plan

Dear Mr. Hill:

Acting as the Deputy Secretary of the Louisiana Department of Public Safety, I hereby file this amended Unified Carrier Registration (UCR) State Plan certifying that the Louisiana Department of Public Safety (DPS) has or will have the legal authority, resources, and qualified personnel necessary to administer the UCR Agreement in accordance with the rules and regulations promulgated by the UCR Board of Directors, and an amount at least equal to the revenue derived by the State from the UCR Agreement shall be used for motor carrier safety programs, enforcement, or the administration of the UCR plan and UCR Agreement in Louisiana.

Louisiana Department of Public Safety

By: 
Col. Mike Edmonson
Deputy Secretary

Date: 3/31/08

cc: ✓ Avelino Gutierrez, Chair, UCR Board
William Quade, Associate Administrator

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RE: Substitution of Designated Agency to Administer UCR in Louisiana

Dear Mr. Hill:

The State of Louisiana, pursuant to 49 U.S.C.A. § 14504a(e)(2),¹ hereby changes the agency designated to administer and enforce the Unified Carrier Registration (UCR) Agreement from the Louisiana Public Service Commission (LPSC) to the Department of Public Safety (DPS). Enclosed is the State of Louisiana's amended Unified Carrier Registration (UCR) plan, through which the State of Louisiana has identified the DPS as the State agency responsible for administering the UCR Agreement in Louisiana.

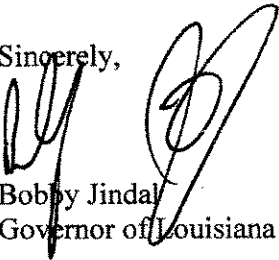
The amended State Plan confirms that the DPS has or will have the legal authority, resources, and qualified personnel necessary to administer the UCR Agreement in accordance with the rules and regulations promulgated by the UCRA Board of Directors, and that an amount at least equal to the revenue derived by the State from the UCR Agreement will be used for motor carrier safety programs, enforcement, or the administration of the UCR plan and UCR Agreement.

¹ Section 14504a(e)(2) provides that a "State that submits a plan under this subsection may change the agency designated in the plan by filing an amended plan with the Secretary and the chairperson of the board of directors."

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Please substitute the DPS for the LPSC as the responsible UCR agency for Louisiana. I appreciate your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions, please contact my office or Col. Mike Edmonson, Deputy Secretary of the DPS.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Bobby Jindal', written over a printed name and title.

Bobby Jindal
Governor of Louisiana

Enclosures

cc: Avelino Gutierrez, Chair, UCR Board
William Quade, Associate Administrator