

Statutory Authority Membership 2016



SUPPORTING SAFE, EFFICIENT SUSTAINABLE OPERATIONS



FTA is the leading trade association in the logistics industry. Boasting a rich history of over 125 years, our aim is to represent and support our 15,000 members in achieving a safe, efficient and sustainable transport operation.

We feel that it is important to ensure that the money you spend on your FTA membership is used to improve the industry and policies and legislation within it. Please take a look at our 2016 section (page 7) of this brochure to learn more about how we will be working to support industry throughout the year.

Why join FTA?



Advice and support

You can access our extensive information base at any time to ensure you are best placed to make good business decisions, keep on top of industry and legal developments and progress your career.



Influence

Be involved in shaping policies and the industry for the future through our Freight Councils and stay better connected with industry peers through a variety of networking opportunities.



Compliance

Be confident in your compliance with our support and guidance that is tailored to your operation. Our experts can help you unravel complicated legal policies, explain how they relate to your operation and advise on putting measures in place to protect you from non-compliance.



Efficiency

Save time with all the information you need in one place. Our clear implementation advice also helps you save time on planning. Cut costs through minimising business risk, eliminating the cost of third party solicitors or consultants and benefit from discounts on FTA products and services.

Statutory Authority membership is available to public bodies other than those meeting the eligibility criteria for Local Authority membership (those with '.gov.uk' web domains). These are bodies such as NHS trusts, police authorities, fire authorities and Ministry of Defence. Bodies should be able to demonstrate eligibility by '.nhs.uk', '.fire.uk', '.police.uk' or '.mod.uk' web domains.

Additional extras

- Our Operator Licence Compliance Information Service (OLCIS) subscription has been specifically designed to provide information and support on what you need to do to stay compliant to your operator licence undertakings
- The Guide to Van Excellence is a subscription service designed for van fleet operators who are committed to raising standards across their operation

What does my membership include?

Information



Our position within the industry ensures we have a wide and trusted knowledge base. Information is available to you via a range of channels including **regional member briefings**, **compliance guides** and **briefing notes** on new or changing regulations, **member-only website content** and the highly regarded **FTA Yearbook of Road Transport Law**.

Advice



As a valued member of FTA we want to make sure that when you need advice and support it is easily available to you. That is why you will have unlimited telephone and email access to our **Member Advice Centre*** and **Member Service Centre*** and a **dedicated field-based Membership Manager** to ensure that your queries are dealt with consistently and effectively.

Public Authority Transport Network

www.fta.co.uk/networking



Designed exclusively for local authority and statutory authority members, this online forum enables the sharing of ideas, information, problems and solutions.

Influence



Our Freight Councils offer members the opportunity to get actively involved in influencing FTA's policy agenda. There are **Regional** and **National Councils** that cover issues affecting road, rail, sea and the wider supply chain and we have a key presence in the UK and Europe.

News



Up-to-the-minute industry news is available in various forms to suit you. These include **email news bulletins**, **instant traffic alerts**, **member only sections of our website** and **social media updates**. FTA also publishes **Freight & Logistics magazine**, which covers wider industry updates and also more member-focused news.

Save



We like to look after our members by ensuring they pay **up to 40 per cent less** than non-members on our range of industry-leading products and services, including Vehicle Inspection Services, Tachofta, Training, Shopfta, PCN administration scheme, Consultancy and Events.

Exclusive services



There are a range of services that are exclusive to members (below). Model Conditions of Carriage and Storage and use of our member logo are also available, along with vehicle stickers.

FTA Recovery

www.fta.co.uk/recovery

A pay-as-you-use-service – offered by the AA.

FTA Fuel Card

www.fta.co.uk/fuelcard

Cost savings through discounted fuel prices and interest free credit.

Driver Licence Checking Service

www.fta.co.uk/driverlicence

Reduce the time, costs and risks of checking your drivers' licences.

Online Supplier Directory

www.fta.co.uk/onlinesupplier

Advertise your products and services for free to other FTA members.

What else does FTA offer?

Our full range of services are available to view online at www.fta.co.uk

Vehicle Inspection Services

www.fta.co.uk/vis

Vehicle inspections and audits on all vehicles and equipment.

Tachof^{ta}

www.fta.co.uk/tacho

Tachograph and drivers' hours analysis, interpretation and support.

Training

www.fta.co.uk/training

Industry-leading nationwide public and in-company courses.

Shop^{fta}

www.shop.fta.co.uk

The trusted choice for transport supplies and consumables.

Consultancy

www.fta.co.uk/consultancy

Tailored solutions, compliance and efficiency reviews and advice.

Events

www.fta.co.uk/events

Various annual topical industry conferences and events.

Cost Information Service

www.fta.co.uk/costinformation

Tools to help reduce and benchmark transport costs.

Penalty Charge Notice (PCN) Support Service

www.fta.co.uk/pcn

Audits and administration to help reduce PCNs.

Operator Licence Compliance Information Service

www.fta.co.uk/olcis

A step-by-step guide to managing your Operator licence undertakings.

Van Excellence

www.vanexcellence.co.uk

Best practice guidance, van fleet accreditation and support.

Carbon^{fta}

www.fta.co.uk/carbon

Practical advice on reducing, reporting and recording emissions.

Statutory Authority Membership Application Form

Please tear off, complete and return the attached form. If you require any assistance please call 03717 11 22 22.



“The savings we make through taking FTA Recovery and the FTA Fuel Card services actually cover the cost of our FTA membership.”



“Access to all areas of expertise at FTA assists us with any compliance or operational issues that we encounter.”

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Return by post to **Membership Recruitment, Freight Transport Association, Hermes House, St John's Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN4 9UZ** by fax to 01892 552 360 or scan and email to member.admin@fta.co.uk

Required fields in red

Your details

Title _____ First name _____ Surname _____

Job title _____

Direct dial no _____

Mobile _____

Email _____

Authority details

Authority name _____

Trading names (if any) _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Website _____

Company registration no _____ VAT reg no (if known) _____

Company profile

No of vehicles operated

Large commercial vehicles (>3.5t) _____ Vans (<3.5t) _____ Passenger carrying vehicles _____

What is the population of the region that your authority serves? _____

FTA Recovery (please tick to register for free)

FTA Fuelcard (please tick to apply for this free-to-join discounted fuel service)[§]

Declaration

I hereby apply for membership and agree to abide by the terms of the Articles of Association of Freight Transport Association Ltd (a copy of which is available on request)

Signature _____ Date _____

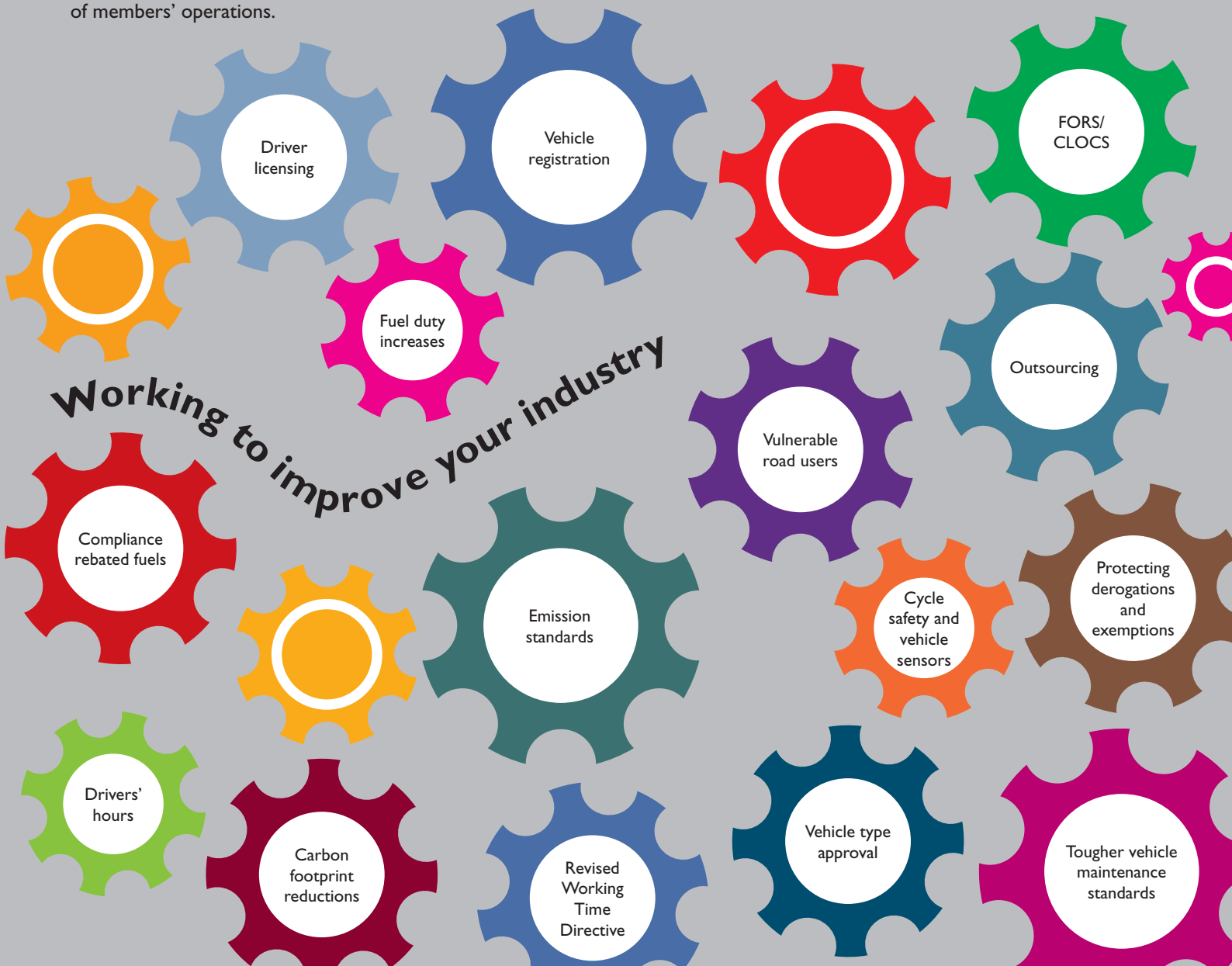
A VAT invoice will be issued to you on registration of your membership

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[§]Cards are free in the first year and then £6 per vehicle thereafter. Applications will be subject to a credit check.

Supporting our members throughout 2016

We proactively work to help minimise the impact of any new legislation, represent the best interests of our members at a regional, national and European level and make improvements to the logistics industry as a whole. Below is an example of just some of the issues that we are working on throughout 2016 that are posing a threat to, or could impact on, the efficiency, costs and complexity of members' operations.



“ FTA has made a noted impact on the efficiency and compliance of our transport operation. The advisors at the Member Advice Centre are always very helpful and we truly value their advice. The other services we have taken from FTA, such as a systems audit and tacho analysis, have all been carried out to very professional standards and have proved valuable to our operation. I would recommend membership of FTA to any company that wants to achieve efficiency and compliance in their work. ”

Julia Baxby

Acting Transport Manager, Mid Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust

WANT MORE INFORMATION ON FTA MEMBERSHIP?

Get in touch today!



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