

## Carrier and Shipper Review Starting Point.

While working and searching for a carrier to fit your traffic lane you will want to proceed with due-diligence. A carrier is always very important and the foundation of your business. Please make reference to each of these websites as you should use them each time when working with a carrier.

- The only information you need is: MC#, or DOT #, and legal registered business name.
- Check their insurance status by company snapshot. Call the company for verification and history.
- Check to make sure their authority is active.
- Make sure they want to grow their business within logistics.

## Carrier Inspection Review Sites

Always Check FMCSA For authority Status

- FMCSA Website <http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/>
- Search Carrier Company status by a quick Snapshot <http://safer.fmcsa.dot.gov/CompanySnapshot.aspx>
- View Company Analysis and Information Report On File <http://ai.fmcsa.dot.gov/default.aspx>

## Searching Shippers

Shipper search and information is very important when building traffic lanes. Below are websites for you to easily be able to always navigate and search for potential shippers within your industry.

The shippers you are looking for can be found at any chamber of commerce by making a phone call .

- A chamber of commerce is : [Definition here](#)

A **chamber of commerce** (or board of trade) is a form of business network, for example, a **local** organization of businesses whose goal is to further the interests of businesses. Business owners in towns and cities form these **local** societies to advocate on behalf of the business community.

## SIC Code Outlines

Please keep this file in your workbook Manual Binder to reference these valuable websites as a means of searching industries.

- Visit OSHA Occupational Safety Health Administration  
<https://www.osha.gov/pls/imis/sicsearch.html>
- Search Webster's Online SIC Site  
<http://www.webstersonline.com/>

Note:

On Webster's online site, make sure you click SIC tab each time you enter a SIC code for search.

What is NAICS ?

The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) is the standard used by Federal statistical agencies in classifying business establishments for the purpose of collecting, analyzing, and publishing statistical data related to the U.S. business economy.