

(d) If a Class E vehicle is a single unit truck, with a chassis weight in excess of 2,500 pounds, equipped to perform the function of a tow truck and is used exclusively for towing vehicles for the purpose of repair, storage, or removal of abandoned vehicles from the public highways, it shall pay a registration fee based on a maximum gross weight of 17,000 pounds, as set forth in subsection (a) of this section, regardless of the shipping weight of the chassis and battery as certified by the manufacturer, provided such shipping weight of the chassis and battery as certified by the manufacturer is in excess of 2,500 pounds.

(e) If a Class E vehicle is a single unit truck owned by a farmer and qualified as a farm truck, as those terms are defined hereinbelow, it shall pay a registration fee based upon gross shipping weight of the chassis and battery as certified by the manufacturer, with gross weight limitations for the vehicle and load, as follows:

Chassis Weight in Pounds	Maximum Gross Weight Limit	Fee
over $\frac{3}{4}$ ton and up to 2,500	10,000	\$25.00
2,501 to 4,200	25,000	30.00
4,201 to 5,000	28,000	40.00
5,001 and over	32,000	45.00

The privilege of registering as a farm truck shall be available only to Class E motor vehicles within a chassis weight of more than $\frac{3}{4}$ ton, as enumerated hereinabove. Except as particularly provided otherwise, the provisions of law as to Class E, pneumatic tire motor vehicles in general shall apply also to Class E, pneumatic tire farm trucks. The term "farmer" as used in this subsection means any person or corporation engaged in raising, growing, and producing farm products on a farm of not less than three acres in area, and provided that the term "farmer" as used herein shall include any person or corporation engaged in the rearing and management of at least 25 hives of bees for the pollination of orchards and farm crops and for the commercial production of honey, whether or not located on a farm of not less than three acres. "Farm products" include food for consumption by humans or livestock, tobacco, shrubbery, flowers and plants, seed, livestock and livestock products, poultry and poultry products, products of the farm wood lot, and fibers. To be eligible for a farm truck license, the truck must be owned by a farmer and must be used solely in the business of the farm and farm home, in hauling farm products and the labor, the supplies, the equipment and other material necessary to the operation of the farm and the farm home. A farm truck shall not be used for hire, nor shall it be used by the owner in any business other than his farm operations as defined herein.

(f) Any farmer applying for farm truck registration shall make affidavit as to his status and as to the proposed use of the motor vehicle, in a form required by the department. Procurement of a farm truck license through misrepresentation, false pretenses, or fraud shall be a misdemeanor, and upon conviction any person guilty thereof shall be subject to a fine of \$50.00. The use of a farm truck in a manner other than as provided in this subsection shall be a misdemeanor, and upon conviction any person guilty thereof shall be subject to a fine of \$10.00. Upon the second or any subsequent