perform its intended function, except for the addition of readily attachable components or minor finishing operations.

- (3) "First-stage manufacturer" means:
- (i) Any person who manufactures an incomplete vehicle:
- (ii) Any person who distributes an incomplete vehicle of that manufacturer; and
- (iii) Any dealer who has a franchise for the particular make of the incomplete vehicle of that manufacturer.
  - (4) "Incomplete vehicle" means an assemblage that:
- (i) Consists of at least a frame and chassis structure, power train, steering system, and braking system, to the extent that those systems are to be a part of the completed vehicle; and
- (ii) Requires additional manufacturing operations, other than the addition of readily attachable components or minor finishing operations, to become a completed vehicle.
- (5) "Minor finishing operations" includes painting, upholstering, or other cosmetic modifications.
- (6) "Readily attachable components" includes any mirror, extra light, or tire and rim assembly.
  - (7) "Second-stage manufacturer" means:
- (i) A person who performs manufacturing operations on an incomplete vehicle so that it becomes a completed vehicle; and
- (ii) Any person who distributes a completed
  vehicle of that manufacturer.
- (8) "Two-stage vehicle" means a motor vehicle that requires manufacturing operations performed by two separate manufacturers to produce a completed vehicle capable of performing its intended function.
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(a) When registered with the Administration, every single unit truck with two or more axles is a Class E (truck) vehicle.