

Vermont Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets  
 Division of Food Safety & Consumer Protection  
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 Montpelier, VT 05620-2901  
 (802)828-2436

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LICENSE APPLICATION FOR WEIGHING & MEASURING DEVICES

**Business Name and Mailing Address:**

**Telephone:**

**E-Mail Address:**

**Physical Location of Business: (if different than mailing)**

Vermont Law requires the licensing of commercially used weighing and measuring devices, including various meters and scales. Our records indicate that you own or operate some of the following devices. Please complete the application and return the signed form with payment for the appropriate amount. If you do not believe this license is required by your company, please return the application with a letter of explanation. Licenses are annual and expire on December 31 of each year. Please make checks payable to Vermont Agency of Agriculture and mail with this application to the address at the top of this form.

TYPE OF DEVICE	FEE PER DEVICE		NUMBER OF UNITS		SUBTOTAL
Vehicle Tank Meter	\$ 50.00	X	_____	=	_____
Truck Mounted Propane Meter	\$150.00	X	_____	=	_____
Propane Fill Station Meter	\$ 50.00	X	_____	=	_____
Bulk Plant Meter (gasoline, fuel oil, propane)	\$100.00	X	_____	=	_____
Vehicle & Heavy Duty Scales	\$150.00	X	_____	=	_____
Hopper Scales	\$ 75.00	X	_____	=	_____
<b>Total Fee: =</b>					_____

**PLEASE READ THE BACK OF FORM BEFORE SIGNING**

I hereby certify that the above information is correct, and that under the pains and penalties of perjury that I am in good standing with respect to all taxes due to the State of Vermont.

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

## EXPLANATIONS

**COMMERCIAL:** Means the exchange or buying and selling of goods, commodities, or services, for profit or fee.

**VEHICLE TANK METER:** A measuring device which is affixed to a tank mounted on a vehicle used for the measurement and delivery of petroleum products, except liquefied petroleum gas.

**TRUCK MOUNTED PROPANE METER:** A device used to measure liquefied petroleum gas.

**PROPANE FILL STATION:** Permanently installed propane storage tank and meter, used for the refilling of cylinders and/or tanks mounted on vehicles.

**BULK PLANT METER:** A device used to measure fluid or gas moving from storage tanks to tanks mounted on vehicles.

**VEHICLE SCALE:** A device adapted to weighing highway, farm, or other large industrial vehicles, except railroad freight cars, loaded or unloaded.

**HEAVY DUTY SCALE:** A weighing device with rated capacity in excess of 3,000 pounds.

**HOPPER SCALE:** A weighing device designed for weighing bulk commodities, whose load-receiving element is a tank, box or hopper mounted on a weighing element.

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### READ THIS SECTION PRIOR TO SIGNING APPLICATION FORM

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By Signing This License You Certify That You Are In Good Standing With The Requirements Below.  
If You Certify Falsely That You Are In Good Standing You May Be Subject To Prosecution.

By Law (32 V.S.A. Sec. 3113), the State may not renew a license for business or trade unless the licensee certifies, under the pains and penalties of perjury, that he or she is in good standing with the Department of Taxes. The maximum for perjury are fifteen (15) years in prison, a \$10,000 fine or both.

Good standing means:

- that no taxes are due;
- the liability is on appeal;
- the licensee is complying with a State authorized payment plan; or
- the immediate payment would cause unreasonable hardship. (If you are claiming hardship, please contact the licensing agency for further information.)

For further information, the licensee should contact the Department of Taxes at (802) 828-2518.