Motor Vehicle Administration
6601 Ritchie Highway, N.E.
Glen Burnie, Maryland 21062

Instructions for Interchangeable Registration Plates for Special Mobile Equipment

- Special Mobile Equipment (SME) includes vehicles that:
  - are not primarily used for highway transportation of people or property;
  - are operated or moved on the highway only as incident to their non highway use;
  - self propelled equipment may not be designed to carry more than 2 people;
  - have only minimal hauling capacity;
  - carry only the equipment or property necessary to operate the SME.
- SME does not include farm equipment or tractors. Log splitters do not require a tag.
- You cannot be issued more plates than you have qualifying equipment.
- The SME plate may only be used on equipment that has been approved. You do not need a tag for each piece of equipment.
- SME does not require a State Police inspection, but if you have a unique piece of equipment we may ask them for additional review and input.
- SME plates cannot be issued on a waiting basis.

All CS and LCS forms listed on this sheet should be included in this licensing package. Please call (410) 787-2950 or email to BusinessLicensing@mdot.state.md.us if any of the forms are missing. For more information on state and local requirements, visit the Business License Information System website! www.blis.state.md.us. COMAR, Rules and Regulation are available at www.dsd.state.md.us. Maryland Law is available online at www.lawlib.state.md.us.

- **Application (CS-65)** — Complete application. Answer all questions and submit with all other required documents.
- **Pictures** — Eligibility is checked for each piece of equipment. Frequently, we will need to see your equipment. This can be done by providing photographs—front and rear, brochures, or a web site address.
- **Invoice** — Or other verification of ownership or control of the equipment may be requested.
- **Adding/Changing Equipment** — To add or change equipment, complete the application telling us about the new equipment and submit with a list of items to be deleted. Pictures and/or invoices may be requested.
- **Mail** your completed application packet to:

MVA, BL&CS, Rm 146
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Incomplete applications or applications without required documents will not be accepted.

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CS-065 (10-06)

Application for Registration of "Special Mobile Equipment"

A. Check Appropriate Block(s)

☐ Original Application ☐ Additional Equipment ☐ Change of Address ☐ Change of Officers

B. Company Name and Address

Company Name (Include Trade Name)

Street Address | City | County | State | Zip Code

Business Phone | email address | FEIN

C. List of an Owner, Partner or Officer of Corporation or local contact person who is authorized to sign for the company below:

Name | Position | Home Phone

Street Address | City | State | Zip Code

Describe Type of Business Operated: _____

How many special mobile equipment registration plates are being requested? _____

D. Certification

I/We certify, under penalty of perjury, that the statements made herein are true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge, information and belief, that I/we have read and understand those portions of the Maryland Vehicle Law related to Special Mobile Equipment, and that if approved, these registration plates will not be displayed on any vehicle not listed on this application and not approved as Special Mobile Equipment. Further, I/we certify these units are not used primarily for highway transportation of people or property, and they are operated or moved on a highway only as an incident to their non-highway use.

Applicant's Signature(s) - Corporation (one legal officer must sign) | Title | Date

Printed Name

For more information, please contact Licensing & Consumer Services - (410) 787-2950

MVA Use Only: Expiration _____ ☐ Approved ☐ Rejected By: _____ Date _____

For more information, please call: **1-800-638-8347** (touch tone calls only), **1-800-950-1MVA (1682)** (to speak with a customer service representative), From Out-of-State: **1-301-729-4550**, TTY for the hearing impaired: **1-800-492-4575**. Visit our website at: **www.marylandmva.com**

Company Name _____

E. Special Mobile Equipment Description: If applying for more than four (4) units, use an attachment.

	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4
1. Year				
2. Make of equipment				
3. Serial Number				
4. Does the unit have a hauling capacity? (check one)	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No
5. Can the unit be used for transporting people? (check one) If yes, How much?	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No
6. Is the unit self-propelled (check one)	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No
7. Estimated yearly highway mileage:				
8. Describe the equipment's non-highway use:				
9. Describe how and when the equipment is used on the highway:				

Maryland State Police Use Only

	Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4
Maryland State Police Certification Was the unit inspected by MSP? (check one)	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No
Is the unit approved for Special Mobile Equipment registration? (check one)	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No	❑ Yes ❑ No

The equipment described in this application was inspected by _____

I.D. _____ on (date) _____

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