WEST VIRGINIA CODE: §11-14B-2

§11-14B-2. Definitions.

For purposes of this article:

- (a) "Base jurisdiction" means the member jurisdiction where a motor carrier is based for vehicle registration purposes and:
- (1) Where the operational control and operational records of the licensee's motor carriers are maintained or can be made available; and
- (2) Where some travel is accrued by motor carriers within the fleet.
- (b) "Fuel use tax" means a tax imposed on or measured by the consumption of fuel in a motor carrier.
- (c) "International fuel tax agreement" means the international agreement for the collection and distribution of fuel use taxes paid by motor carriers, developed under the auspices of the national Governors' association: Provided, That this term includes amendments to the international fuel tax agreement.
- (d) "International registration plan" means the interstate agreement for the apportionment of vehicle registration fees paid by motor carriers developed by the American association of motor vehicle administrators.
- (e) "Licensee" means a person who holds an uncanceled license issued by a base jurisdiction in accordance with the international fuel tax agreement.
- (f) "Motor carrier":
- (1) As used with respect to the international registration plan, has the meaning the term "apportionable vehicle" has under that plan; and
- (2) As used with respect to the international fuel tax agreement, has the meaning the term "qualified motor vehicle" has under that agreement.
- (g) "Motor fuel" means motor fuel as defined in article fourteen-c of this chapter.
- (h) "Motor fuel use taxes imposed by this state" means the aggregate amount of taxes, expressed in cents per gallon, imposed by this state, under articles fourteen-a and fifteen-a of this chapter, on motor fuel consumed in this state by a motor carrier.
- (i) "State" means any of the forty-eight contiguous states and the District of Columbia, and any other jurisdiction which imposes a motor fuel use tax and is a member of the

 $international \ fuel \ tax \ agreement.$

