



What is a Device Registration Permit?

Ohio Revised Code section 1327.501 requires a device registration for the following commercial devices when they are used in assigning the final value of a commercial transaction.

Vehicle Scale	Bulk Rack Meter
Livestock Scale	Vehicle Tank Meter
Railway Scale	LPG Meter

When is the Device Registration Fee due?

Device registrations are due on July 1st of each year.

How much is the Device Registration?

A device registration permit fee is \$75 per device, annually.

Where can I find an application or renewal form for a Device Registration Permit?

Please visit our web site at www.agri.ohio.gov and view forms then go to weights and measures. The form is 4300-001 or you may call 614-728-6290.

To whom do I make the check payable and where is it mailed?

“Treasurer State of Ohio”
Ohio Department of Agriculture
Division of Weights & Measures
8995 East Main St.
Reynoldsburg, OH 43068

What if my Device Registration Permit is lost, stolen or destroyed?

You may request a replacement by submitting the above form with the word “Replacement” written across the top along with a \$10 check for each permit required.

What if I no longer own the device or don't use it commercially?

Submit a letter to the address above stating you no longer own the device or it is being used for non-commercial weighing.

What is the NIST Handbook 44 definition of a commercial device?

commercial equipment. – Weights, measures, and weighing and measuring devices, instruments, elements, and systems or portion thereof, used or employed in establishing the measurement or in computing any basic charge or payment for services rendered on the basis of weight or measure. As used in this definition, measurement includes the determination of size, quantity, value, extent, area, composition (limited to meat and poultry), constituent value (for grain), or measurement of quantities, things, produce, or articles for distribution or consumption, purchased, offered, or submitted for sale, hire, or award





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