



IAM BUSINESS TYPE DESIGNATIONS

Choose up to three (3) business type designations that best describe your company's products / services / areas of expertise and insert on the membership application

GOVERNING OR CORE MEMBERS

SUPPLIERS

- CRF COMMERCIAL FORWARDER:** A company that handles domestic and/or international shipments from origin to destination, but is not a DOD approved Transportation Service Provider (TSP).
- CMA COMMERCIAL AGENT:** An agent who performs a full range of origin/destination services for commercial shipments
- FSA FULL SERVICE AGENT:** An agent who performs a full range of origin/destination services for commercial and U.S. Government (military) shipments.
- TSP MILITARY TRANSPORTATION SERVICE PROVIDER:** A company that is DOD-approved and handles ONLY U.S. military and DOD domestic and/or international shipments door-to-door from origin to destination.
- MSA MILITARY FULL SERVICE AGENT:** An agent who performs a full range of origin/destination services for U.S. Government (military) shipments and has a military-approved warehouse.
- GGA GENERAL AGENT:** A company that represents one or more carriers in such matters as identifying agents and paying agents for services rendered. Supports DOD ITGBL program.
- NTS NON-TEMPORARY STORAGE CONTRACTOR:** A firm that is a long term storage contractor for DOD and other entities
- AFF AIR FREIGHT FORWARDER:** A commercial forwarder that specializes in the movement of cargo via air carriers.
- ARL AUTOMOBILE RELOCATION:** An organization that specializes in the relocation of automobiles and other vehicles.
- ANM ANIMAL TRANSPORTATION:** A firm involved in the relocation and transportation of pets and other animals.
- ART FINE ARTS TRANSPORTATION:** A firm that specializes in the moving of fine art objects such as museum articles, paintings, antiques, and similar extraordinarily high-value articles.
- LOG LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT:** A company that specializes in supply chain management (i.e., providing of services and related information between the point of origin and the point of destination).
- NVO NON-VESSEL OPERATING COMMON CARRIER:** A firm that has an FMC license and surety bond to move commercial personal household goods and other cargo.
- OOO OCEAN CARRIER:** A steamship company that provides over-water transportation via ocean vessels.
- OMO OFFICE MOVER:** A firm involved in the handling of office relocation for commercial customers.
- PSC PORTABLE MOVING & STORAGE CONTAINER OPERATOR:** A company that provides alternative moving and storage services utilizing reusable containers.
- PTA PORT AGENT:** A firm that provides surface and/or aerial port services to include consolidating shipments, stuffing/unstuffing ocean containers, customs clearance, building/tearing down air pallets, picking up and delivering ocean containers/pallets to the surface/aerial ports. May arrange surface linehaul services for military and/or commercial cargo.
- WWD PUBLIC WAREHOUSE-DISTRIBUTION:** A company that warehouses and distributes stored commodities to customers.
- REL RELOCATION COMPANY (REL):** A company that provides a full range of services beyond those usually associated with the HHG moving process (i.e., home buying/selling, job placement assistance, temporary housing, etc).
- TMC TRUCKING COMPANY/MOTOR FREIGHT CARRIER:** A company that transports property by motor vehicle
- OTH OTHER:** _____

- AEL APPLIANCES & ELECTRONICS:** A company that sells electronic products that are suitable for international use, including major appliances, small appliances, televisions, stereo systems, digital cameras, video cameras, and more.
- TBA BILLING AND AUDIT SERVICES:** A company that performs pre-move and/or post-move audits on commercial and military invoices.
- CNS CONSULTING SERVICES:** A company that provides transportation and/or general business consulting to companies involved in the moving and relocations process.
- CED COURIER/EXPRESS DELIVERY SERVICES:** A company employed or contracted to deliver parcels and packages and providing features such as speed, security, tracking, signature, specialization and individualization of services, and committed delivery times.
- CHB CUSTOMS HOUSE BROKER:** Processes customs documentation.
- DIR DAMAGE INSPECTION-FURNITURE/APPLIANCE REPAIR SERVICE:** A firm whose primary business is to inspect, provide estimates for repair, and perform or arrange for repair of damaged articles upon request of the shipper, carrier, or claims settlement agent.
- EXS EXHIBIT SERVICES:** A firm that arranges domestic and/or international exhibit and tradeshows.
- INP INDUSTRY PARTNER:** An entity that arranges for and pays a carrier to move personal property belonging to its employees. Such entity may be a government agency, multi-national organization, corporation, individual business, etc.
- ITC INSURANCE AND TRANSIT CLAIM SERVICES:** Includes (a) full service insurance firms that provide all types of insurance to companies in the moving and storage industry, including shipment, cargo, vehicle, and building insurance, may also arrange for performance and surety bonds, damage inspections, or repair of damaged articles, and provide for claim settlement for client carriers. (b) claim settlement service firms that specialize in providing inspection, estimating cost for repair of damaged shipments, and assisting in processing a shipper's claim for loss or damage; provides clients reports on claims.
- PCM PACKAGING/ CONTAINERS/ MOVING EQUIPMENT:** Includes firms that specialize in (a) the design, manufacturing, and/or sale of cartons/packing material to companies involved in providing origin packing services (does not include local moving agents selling cartons/packing material to shippers); the design, manufacturing, and selling of shipping and/or storage containers used by the moving industry, including liftvans and/or storage pallets; the provision of other moving equipment such as blankets, straps, dollies, ramps, labeling, etc.
- PRT PERSONNEL RECRUITMENT AND TRAINING:** Finds personnel—consultants, temporary, part-time or fulltime workers—to fill specific vacancies in a company and/or provides training specific to the moving industry or on general business practices.
- PTG PRINTING & FORMS SERVICE:** A company that provides printing services for the household goods industry (i.e., bills of lading, inventories, etc.).
- REC RECORD STORAGE:** A company that provides record, media, and archival storage and management services.
- SPS SPECIALTY SERVICES:** A firm that sells and/or provides specialized origin/destination services for items that require unique handling; includes international appliances sales and service, assembly/disassembly, crating/uncrating, handyman, hoisting, staging services, etc.
- TRF TARIFF AND RATE FILING SERVICES:** A company that processes and files rates on behalf of Transportation Service Providers (carriers).
- TAS TRADE ASSOCIATION:** An organization that represents the interests of companies involved in some aspect of the moving and relocation process.
- LAW TRANSPORTATION ATTORNEY:** Attorney specializing in transportation law.
- TEK TECHNOLOGY SERVICES:** A firm that specializes in developing/selling computing, communications and tracking devices, software, services, and support to companies in the moving industry.
- OTH OTHER:** _____