# <u>Hours of Service & Qualcomm – Special Rules To Benefit Drivers</u> HOS Guide For New Drivers & EXISTING DRIVERS

(HOS Orientation Guide QC-PC-YM R2 2019 06-11)

# • Never Log Off Except in 2 situations

- Situation 1: when arrive at Repair shop, log off your QC; when you get the truck back, Log back in
  - The Safety & Compliance dept will re-assign repair shop driving time to the repair shop
    Driving to as from Papelin shop is "ON PUTY PRIVING" (non POT)
  - Driving to or from Repair shop is "ON DUTY DRIVING" (per DOT)
- Situation 2: when Summit Express Safety dept, dispatch, or IT dept ask you to log off and then log back in when trouble shooting QC problems
- Logging off your QC and driving while logged off is a DOT Violation
- <u>14 Hour On Duty clock:</u> The 14 hour clocks starts when you go "On Duty"
  - This clock never stops during the day until 14 hours are completed
  - The 14 hour time includes all 30 minute break times and other Off Duty unless you complete 10 hour break
  - It resets to 14 hours only after you complete 10 consecutive hours of off duty

### • <u>11 Hour Clock – Should only be used in 3 situations</u>

- 1-Entering Public roads or highways
- o 2-Driving on Public roads or highways
- 3-Existing Public roads or highways
- o ALL OTHER DRIVING SHOULD BE YARD MOVE OR Personal Conveyance-see RULES BELOW
- Yard Move Does NOT Reduce the 11 Hour Clock This is "On Duty" Status and NOT "On Duty Drive Time"
  - This is available until FMSCA re-defines Yard Duty
  - **BENEFIT**: Does NOT reduce your 11 hour clock
  - MPH: **Do NOT Exceed 19 MPH**; there is no mile limitation
  - WHERE CAN YOU USE THIS?
    - Shipper OR Receiver
    - Truck Stop OR Truck Stop Fuel island OR Summit Express yards
  - HOW TO:
    - Pull into location: put in park and change duty status
- Personal Conveyance ("PC") "Off Duty" Driving that does not break your 30 min/ 10 hour/ or 34 hour break time
  - **BENEFIT:** saves your break time clock (does not stop the break time clock)
  - Cannot drive towards your target location (driving towards target is a DOT violation)
  - Limited to 60 minutes per day 12:00:01AM to 11:59:59pm (23:59:59)
  - $\circ$  ~ You must return to the place you start the Personal Conveyance to be in compliance (one exception)
    - Exception: If you are bobtailing home, you do not need to return to location you started PC
  - WHEN & WHERE CAN YOU USE THIS? When you are Off Duty & almost any where
    - Truck Stop is acceptable BUT NOT AT THE FUEL ISLAND (fueling is "On Duty" Status See Yard Move)
      DW TO:
  - HOW TO:
    - Pull into location: put in park and change duty status

#### • <u>30 Minute Break Time is Allowed at SHIPPER or RECIEVER in DOCK with conditions:</u>

- **REQUIREMENT:** This is allowed ONLY IF you are not working or supervising the load or unload
- **BENEFIT:** Change status to "Off duty" remarks "Break"; *sit in passenger seat*

# • DOT CLOCK on QC – its listed at top of the QC

- o The DOT clock shows the amount of time you have left before you MUST take a break.
- o The DOT Clock is based on which ever of the following requirements come first:
  - 8 Hour maximum "On Duty" time followed by 30 min break
  - 11 hour maximum daily driving time followed by 10 hour break
  - 14 Hour daily "On Duty" clock followed by at least a 10 hour break
  - 70 Hour & 8 day "On Duty" clock followed by a 34 hour break to reset the 70 hour clock
- QUALCOMM Remarks:
  - Remarks Duty Status Change: Enter into Qualcomm remarks for all duty status changes
  - Especially: Events outside of Driver's control
  - Pre Trip & Post Trip Required Every Day