

HOW TO FILE ON A BROKER BOND

1. Go to SAFER WEB at <https://safer.fmcsa.dot.gov/CompanySnapshot.aspx> and search for the broker using their name or their MC number

Users can search by DOT Number, MC/MX Number or Company Name.

USDOT Number MC/MX Number Name

Enter Value:

2. When you get to the broker's authority information, on the upper right hand side of the page, there is a link for Licensing & Insurance. Click here

Company Snapshot

USDOT Number:

Other Information for this Carrier

▼ [SMS Results](#)

▼ [Licensing & Insurance](#)

3. SAFER WEB then makes you perform a reCAPTCHA verification, so click the button and hit search

Please enter the challenge question.


USDOT Number:

Docket Number: MC

Legal Name:

DBA Name:

State: Select State/Country

I'm not a robot 

New applications will not be reflected in search results for 24 hours after filing

4. The next screen should take you to the broker's licensing and insurance information page. You can either click on the HTML or PDF button on the right hand side which ever you prefer

U.S. Department of Transportation
Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration
Licensing and Insurance Public

Carrier Search

USDOT Number	Prefix	Docket Number	Legal Name	DBA Name	City	State	View Details (Report is PDF)
	MC						<input type="button" value="HTML"/> <input type="button" value="Report"/>



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- The PDF will pull up a document where you can scroll through and find the bonding insurance agencies info. If you click on the HTML button, that will take you to a webpage with more of the broker's information including their active/inactive dates.

[Active/Pending Insurance](#) | [Rejected Insurance](#) | [Insurance History](#) | [Authority History](#) | [Pending Application](#) | [Revocation](#) |

- If the Insurance is active, click on Active/Pending Insurance. If insurance has been cancelled or pending cancellation, click on the Insurance History to pull up the Insurance Carrier (Bonding Company), and take note of the Policy #:

Insurance History							
US DOT:		ABC BROKER		Docket Number:		MC1110000	
Legal Name:							
Form	Type	Insurance Carrier	Policy/Surety	Coverage From	Coverage To	Effective Date From	Effective Date To
84	SURETY	UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE CO.	12345678	\$0	\$75,000*	09/02/2020	03/14/2021 Cancelled
84	SURETY	PHILADELPHIA INDEMNITY INSURANCE COMPANY		\$0	\$75,000*	06/17/2020	09/02/2020 Cancelled
84	SURETY	UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE CO.		\$0	\$75,000*	02/29/2020	06/17/2020 Cancelled
84	SURETY	HUDSON INSURANCE COMPANY		\$0	\$75,000*	02/25/2020	03/08/2020 Cancelled

- If you click the link for the most recent insurance company, the page that pulls up should be the current insurance company that holds the bond. These are the individuals you need to contact to have them walk you through where to send the paperwork and what their specific filing process looks like.


Insurance Carrier Details for:

Attn: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: _____
Fax: _____



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EXAMPLE EMAIL TO SEND TO BONDING COMPANY ONCE YOU HAVE THE EMAIL ADDRESS OR THE WEBPAGE YOU NEED TO SUBMIT YOUR CLAIM TO. WE RECOMMEND COPYING THE BROKER ON THE EMAIL SO THEY KNOW YOU ARE SERIOUS:

ABC BROKER

BOND FILING - [REDACTED] TRANSPORTATION - POLICY#: [REDACTED] - Load 11014



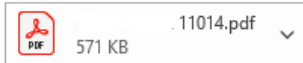
Tom Croteau

To: crumandforsternol@cfins.com

Cc: documents@r...

Reply Reply All Forward ...

Mon 3/29/2021 5:58 PM



Hello,

We need to file against the bond for the attached invoice and load. The broker's information is below. They are also copied in on this email in case they feel obligated to pay for the attached invoice. We will call tomorrow morning at 800-690-5520 to confirm the claim is filed properly.

[REDACTED]

MC#: [REDACTED]

Policy #: [REDACTED]

Carrier: [REDACTED]

Load #: 11014

Amount: \$600

Best,

Tom Croteau

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