

Eligibility Requirements

To register for the Excellence Program, a driver must meet the following requirements:

1 Travel at least 10,000 km per year in Québec or elsewhere in Canada at the wheel of a heavy vehicle registered in Québec

2 During the period corresponding to the driving experience required for the applicable level of excellence

The driver must not, while at the wheel of a heavy vehicle:

- have committed an offence (observed during a roadside intervention or a facility audit);
- have received a “driver” out-of-service order;
- have been responsible for an accident.

The driver must not, while at the wheel of any type of vehicle:

- have accumulated more than 3 demerit points on his or her driving record;
- have failed a physical coordination test (PCT) administered by a peace officer;¹
- have been found guilty of a criminal offence related to driving or his or her employment duties (other than an offence related to driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs);
- have been charged with a criminal offence related to driving or his or her employment duties (other than an offence related to driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs) for which a verdict has not yet been returned.

3 During the last ten years

The driver must not, while at the wheel of any type of vehicle:

- have committed an offence or have had his or her driver’s licence suspended for reasons related to driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs;²
- have been found guilty of a criminal offence related to driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs;
- have refused to obey an order given by a peace officer (PCT; breath, blood or other sample);
- have been charged with a criminal offence related to driving while impaired by alcohol or drugs for which a verdict has not yet been returned.

4 If applying for the “Platinum” level of excellence

For each 24-month period of the past ten years, the applicant driver must have completed at least 16 hours of training pertaining to driving a heavy vehicle or the duties of professional drivers.

Send this form

By mail: Service du suivi du privilège de circuler
Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec
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Québec (Québec) G1K 8J6

By fax: 418 643-1896

¹ Twenty-four-hour driver’s licence suspension (section 202.1.4 of the *Highway Safety Code*).

² Does not pertain to section 202.1.4 of the *Highway Safety Code*.

Protection of Personal Information

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Applicant

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| Last name | | First name | Driver's licence number |
| Address (street, municipality) | | | Postal code |
| Telephone (home) | Telephone (cell phone) | Email | |

Current Employer

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| Name | | RIN |
| Address (street, municipality) | | Postal code |
| Telephone (office) | Telephone (cell phone) | Email |

Level of Excellence Applied For

Years of experience prior to January 1, 2006, the date on which the Act respecting owners, operators and drivers of heavy vehicles came into force, will not be considered.

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| Check | <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver | <input type="checkbox"/> Gold | <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum |
| Minimum experience required | 6 months (reserved for new drivers) | 2 years | 5 years | 10 years (training required) |

Work Experience as a Heavy Vehicle Driver (since January 1, 2006)

| From (Year-Month-Day) | To (Year-Month-Day) | Employer | RIN |
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Training (fill out if applying for the "Platinum" level of excellence)*

| From (Year-Month-Day) | To (Year-Month-Day) | Number of hours | Title or subject of the training | Name of instructor (training organization, training service, or HVOO) | Certificate No. or RIN** |
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* For each training session completed, enclose with this application a copy of any of the following documents: training certificate, invoice for registration fees or any other document attesting to the training.

** Number of the accreditation certificate issued by the Commission des partenaires du marché du travail or Register Identification Number (RIN) from the Commission des transports if the training was dispensed by a heavy vehicle owner or operator (HVOO).

For the sections concerning work experience and training, continue the table on an extra sheet if the space provided on this page is insufficient.

Declaration, Signature and Consent

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I have read and understood the eligibility requirements mentioned above and I accept that the SAAQ make any necessary verifications. I certify that all information provided in this form is, to the best of my knowledge, true, accurate and complete. I understand that any false information may result in the rejection of this application. Moreover, I authorize the SAAQ to include my name on the List of Drivers Whose Behaviour is Recognized as Exemplary and to make it public on its Web site or by any other means that it deems useful. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I travel at least 10,000 km per year in Québec or elsewhere in Canada at the wheel of a heavy vehicle registered in Québec. | |
| Applicant's signature | Date (Year-Month-Day) |