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TO : Brokers, Importers, ABI Filers and Other Interested Parties

FROM : Port Director,  
Port Huron, Michigan

SUBJECT : FAST Driver Enrollment

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

The deadline mandating FAST cards for drivers carrying BRASS loads has been extended until May 1, 2005. This is the second postponement of this requirement. Please note that Customs and Border Protection WILL NOT extend this deadline again. Effective May 2, 2005, BRASS shipments in which the Driver does NOT have a valid FAST card WILL BE RETURNED TO CANADA.

Carriers are strongly urged to ensure that their drivers, who have received their conditional approval letters, make an appointment at the nearest CBP FAST Enrollment Center for an interview and to get their FAST cards. In the near future, CBP will be contacting carriers directly, identifying those drivers in their employ, who have received their letter but have not made an appointment or come in for an interview. It is expected that the carriers will ensure that these drivers make every effort to visit an Enrollment Center immediately.

Drivers, if you have received your conditional approval letter, it is incumbent upon you to immediately contact the nearest CBP FAST Enrollment Center and make an appointment for an interview and pick up your FAST card.

Carriers and/or drivers interested in enrolling in the FAST program should visit the CBP website at [www.cbp.gov](http://www.cbp.gov) for an application and instructions on how to apply.

For your convenience, below are listed the FAST Enrollment Center phone numbers for the state of Michigan and hours of operation:

- *Detroit FAST Enrollment Center.* 519-967-4052 Hrs: Mon-Fri 8 am to 8 pm; Sat 10 am to 6 pm
- *Port Huron FAST Enrollment Center.* 810-985-9541, ext. 261 Hrs: Mon-Fri 8 am to 8 pm and Sat 8 am to 4 pm

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