

17 Point Tractor & Trailer Inspection

The following program is recommended for all tractors and trailers prior to loading. It should be implemented at both the point of loading as well as the point of unloading.

1. Bumper
2. Engine
3. Tires
4. Floor
5. Fuel Tanks
6. Cab / Storage compartments
7. Air Tanks
8. Drive Shafts
9. Fifth Wheel
10. Outside / Undercarriage
11. Floor
12. Inside / Outside Doors
13. Side Walls
14. Ceiling / Roof
15. Front Wall
16. Refrigerated Unit
17. Exhaust

Things to look for include, but are not limited to:

Fake walls / support beams

Holes

Repairs

Added compartments