



Alternative Traction Device (ATD) Pilot Program – Application Overview

Commercial vehicle carriers with a licensed gross vehicle weight over 11,794kg may apply for the ATD pilot program. Upon approval, these vehicles can use an ATD, specifically AutoSock®, beginning October 1, 2025 to April 30, 2026, on Highway 5 – Coquihalla.

Pilot Program Criteria

To participate, carriers must:

- be in good standing with National Safety Code
be required to carry chains per s.208 of the Motor Vehicle Act
be tractor-trailer combinations
drive Highway 5 – Coquihalla (Box Canyon chain up) minimum 3 times/week

Upon approval, drivers must:

- complete training on AutoSock®
have all 4 outer driver tires covered with AutoSock® upon use
notify travel start and end dates in BC to Commercial Vehicle Safety & Enforcement
self-report spin outs and feedback monthly
provide driver feedback at the end of the pilot

Identification and Contact Information

Legal Name of Carrier: _____

National Safety Code Number: _____

Types of vehicles: _____

Number of vehicles participating: _____

Business Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Operating Route and Frequency

Frequency of routes per week: _____

Important Information

The Province may cancel the pilot program at any time.

The Province may audit participating carriers at any time.



The applicant should not purchase AutoSock® prior to approval by the Province.

The applicant must incur all costs related to the purchase and installation of AutoSock®.

Declaration

I declare that the information contained in this application is true and correct.

Legal Name of Carrier: _____

Name of Signing Representative: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Contact Information

**Send your application by
August 29, 2025 via email to:**

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