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Millions of pounds of cargo is transported by tens of thousands of truck drivers across the country every day.

When truck drivers who're tired and overworked get behind the wheel of a big rig, that decision can lead to serious trucking accidents that can forever change your life or the life of a loved one.

Approximately 11% of all traffic accident deaths are caused by truck accidents.

Additionally, it is far more likely for the driver of a passenger vehicle to be killed in a trucking accident than the truck driver.

DLG For Me is now assisting those impacted by truck driving accidents.

Receiving a legal case review with our team of attorneys is 100% free and comes with no obligation.

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# **About Trucking Accidents**

When a truck accident occurs, it is vital to get into contact with a qualified attorney as soon as possible.

Truck drivers and trucking companies often have millions in insurance coverage.

These insurance companies will have an army of attorneys readily available to try and deny you coverage.

Some common causes of trucking accidents can include:

### **Equipment Failure**

Large trucks are sometimes required to undergo regular safety inspections and maintenance

These trucks are driven thousands of miles each week, resulting in constant wear and tear on important parts.

In order to cut costs, many drivers and trucking companies fail to conduct the proper maintenance to keep a truck on the road safely.

Poorly maintained trucks and their equipment are common causes of accidents.

### **Driver Error**

With hundreds of miles being driven each day, truck drivers often become tired behind the wheel.

Since many drivers are compensated for each mile they drive, drivers can be motivated to complete routes as soon as possible, foregoing any safety guidelines or recommendations.

Additionally, many drivers may be under the influence or distracted while driving.

# **Cargo Loading**

The cargo placed inside of a commercial truck can have a large impact on the truck's driving dynamics.

Poorly loaded cargo that is not secured can result in accidents that can lead to significant harm to motorists on the road.

To cut transportation costs, many trucks can be overloaded, which can lead to braking issues.

In addition to the above, there are multiple other causes of trucking accidents.

To see if you qualify for a trucking accident claim, contact the team at DLG For Me today.

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