

## **Hazardous Materials Endorsement (Optional)**

All students at **CCS Truck Driving School, Inc.** will be trained for the Hazardous Materials Endorsement knowledge test. Students will have the option to add the Hazardous Materials Endorsement (HME) to their Commercial Driver License (CDL). Students will not be required to undergo a TSA Security Threat Assessment or be required to add the Hazardous Materials Endorsement to their Commercial Driver License.

### **For Students wanting to obtain their Hazardous Materials Endorsement**

The Tennessee procedure for acquiring the Hazardous Materials Endorsement (HME) while attending **CCS Truck Driving School, Inc.** is as follows:

Once students have obtained their Class A CDL Learner Permit, **CCS Truck Driving School, Inc.** will assist Tennessee students wanting the Hazardous Materials Endorsement with the Enrollment at the website [www.hazprints.com](http://www.hazprints.com) where they will register for fingerprinting and the background check.

After the student is registered for fingerprinting, an appointment will be made with **The UPS Store at 3101 Browns Mill Road, Suite 6 Johnson City, Tennessee** to have their fingerprints collected. Students will be required to provide two forms of identification prior to being fingerprinted. Students must furnish their own transportation to and from the UPS Store to have the fingerprinting completed.

**NOTE:** The fingerprint capture location (**UPS STORE**) only collects and forwards the fingerprints. They do not have specific information about the program, nor will they receive status reports after the submission is made.

Based on the data provided on the HAZPRINT application, the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) will perform a threat assessment for each student driver applicant. The results of this assessment will be provided directly to the Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security. The applicant will also receive a letter from TSA with the results of the assessment.

Once the student has been cleared by TSA for issuance of the Hazardous Materials Endorsement, they will be allowed to take the knowledge Test at a State of Tennessee Driver Service Center. The knowledge test must be passed before the actual issuance of the Hazardous Materials Endorsement.