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(b) Medium duty passenger vehicles; and
(c) Truck tractors, except vocational tractors, with a GVWR above 26,000 pounds.

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§ 523.9 Truck tractors.

Truck tractors for the purpose of this part are considered as any truck tractor as defined in 49 CFR part 371 having a GVWR above 26,000 pounds.

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