

# The Road Ahead: 2025 Trucking and Fleet Insights Report

How growing costs and inefficiencies drive the search for tech solutions

Independent owner-operators are buried in paperwork. Inefficient processes struggle to keep up with new and changing regulations.

Without an advanced solution, drivers are stuck playing catch-up to compliance demands instead of doing what they do best – driving.



A recent survey of 300 US-based fleet managers & owner-operators revealed:

## **Manual Processes Stall Efficiency**



73% of respondents

use a completely or somewhat manual process for managing tolls

### **High Cost Of Compliance**



35% of independent owner-operators

have considered ceasing operations due to the cost of compliance

96% of respondents

have had to cut costs elsewhere to cover compliance expenses

# **Growing Administrative Burden**



22% of independent owner-operators

spend more than 10 hours each month on compliance-related tasks

That's at least **ONE FULL DAY** of driving lost each month.

# **Compliance Doubts & Consequences**



90% of respondents

have some level of concern over nuclear verdicts

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