

# South Carolina Technician of the Quarter Nomination Form



## ***Basis for Nomination***

The SC Technician of the Quarter program recognizes the contributions of outstanding technicians of the heavy duty fleet maintenance industry. The contest evaluates the technician's knowledge of his or her trade and ability to utilize that knowledge on basic mechanical problems. A technician is expected to be efficient, savvy, and productive. Consistent professional conduct over the span of a career is not an expectation, it is the rule in today's truck transportation system. Also, active involvement in civic affairs, family, and other activities which contribute to the person as a whole warrant consideration.

The SCTA Technician of the Quarter and Technician of the Year program was established to single out those outstanding drivers who deserve that special recognition.

## ***Qualification Criteria***

- All outstanding South Carolina-based technicians who are employed by SCTA member companies are eligible.
- Nomination may be made by any party, but must be approved by employer or employer representative.
- Exceptional or heroic actions must be documented by letters or statements of recognition, news clippings, etc.

### **SUBMIT COMPLETED NOMINATION FORMS TO:**

**Fax 803-254-7148, [taryn@sctrucking.org](mailto:taryn@sctrucking.org), or PO Box 50166, Columbia, SC 29250-0166.**

## ***Technician Personal Information***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Employed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status: M    D    S

Spouse Name: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Children: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Grandchildren: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Military History:    Y    N    Branch/Years/Etc.: \_\_\_\_\_

## ***Nomination***

Please complete each question in 100 words or less. Feel free to use additional paper.

Has the technician had an on-the-job injury during the previous twelve months?     Yes     No

1. In your own words, why are you nominating this person for SCTA Technician of the Quarter?

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Describe actions which deserve special recognition, or those upon which nominations are based. Include all documentation. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

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2. In what ways has this technician contributed to the betterment of his/her coworkers?

3. List innovative methods, new procedures, new tooling, modified tooling or time saving ideas that this technician has suggested or put in place:

4. List any qualifications or certifications that the technician has obtained:

5. List the characteristics that enhance the professionalism of this technician:

6. In what ways has this technician contributed to the profession?

**For Nominator to Complete**

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominations are valid for six months

**Include the Following with this Nomination Form:**

- Electronically submit a head and shoulders photo to taryn@sctrucking.org
- Any and all supporting documentation

Recipients will be notified by letter to their home addresses with a copy sent to their supervisor.

Those awarded Technician of the Quarter are presented certificates at the Annual Fall Management Conference. They are also recognized and presented with plaques and tool box plates at the Spring Safety Awards Banquet for the South Carolina Trucking Association (takes place in the Spring after the completion of the year). At the Safety Awards Banquet, the Technician of the Year is announced. We encourage companies of Technicians of the Quarter to allow technicians to participate in both events. Registration for the technician and one spouse/guest is covered. All travel and hotels are left to the company/technician.

If your driver is selected as a Technician of the Quarter, we strongly encourage you to submit additional letters of recommendation and supplements to be included with their packets so that the Technician of the Year Selection Committee has more substance to review.

Please contact Taryn Shekitka at taryn@sctrucking.org or 803-799-4306 with questions.