| Inspection Items | Level I | Level II* | Level III | Level IV | Level V** |
|--|----------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| 1. Drivers License | ~ | ~ | ~ | | |
| Medical examiner's certificate and waiver (if applicable) | ~ | ~ | ~ | | |
| 3. Alcohol and drugs | ~ | ~ | ~ | | |
| 4. Drivers log (hours-of-service and duty status) | ~ | V | ~ | | |
| 5. Seatbelt system | ~ | V | ~ | | V |
| 6. Periodic inspection documentation | V | ✓ | ~ | | V |
| 7. Brake system | V | V | | | V |
| 8. Coupling devices | ~ | V | | | / |
| 9. Exhaust system | ~ | / | | | / |
| 10. Frame | ~ | ~ | | | ~ |
| 11. Fuel system | ~ | / | | | V |
| Brake, head, tail lamps, turn signals, and lamps on projecting loads | ~ | ~ | | | ~ |
| 13. Safe loading of cargo | ~ | V | | | V |
| 14. Steering mechanism | V | ~ | | | / |
| 15. Suspension | ' | ~ | | | / |
| 16. Tires | V | ~ | | | V |
| 17. Wheels, rims and hubs | ~ | ~ | | | V |
| 18. Van and open top trailer bodies | V | ~ | | | V |
| 19. Windshield wipers | ~ | ' | | | V |
| 20. Emergency exits (for buses) | V | ~ | | | V |
| 21. Hazardous materials requirements (as applicable) | ~ | V . | ~ | | ~ |
| 22. One time special inspection of a particular item | | | | ~ | |
| CVSA decal issued for "Pass" inspection (no violations/defects found in items 7-20) | • | | | | ~ |
| Notes: | | | | | |
| Level II inspections only include those items that can be inspected without physically getting under the vehicle Level V inspections are conducted without a driver present | | | | | |