



## SCALE MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION

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### 2018 SMA Questions for State Directors

These questions will be asked at each of the four regional Weights and Measures Meetings during the remainder of 2018. State replies will be collated and published without attribution on the SMA website to enable participants to compare their positions on these issues with those in their region and in other regions.

1. Does your state permit an existing vehicle scale to be extended by turning it into a multi-platform system by adding an independent platform? If so, is there a limit on how many times a vehicle scale can be extended? Are there restrictions on the amount of dead space permitted between the scale and the extension?
2. How does your state deal with the inspection and installation of railroad scales? Does your State Law have jurisdiction or is the AAR the sole decision maker?
3. Considering that the cost of adult-use and medicinal cannabis can be greater than \$1000/lb, does your jurisdiction require a Class I or II scale for direct sales to the consumer? How about larger commercial sales involving a grower or processor?
4. Would your jurisdiction test and certify self-service automated kiosks that weigh (with a suitable NTEP scale), grade and purchase gold, silver and precious metal jewelry?

Question #4 please review: <http://www.goldstur.com/>