

Ask Dave



Q. *Another truck struck my side view mirror and knocked it off when I was getting fuel. I was only a couple miles away from our scrap yard so I headed back that way to get it repaired. Was that the right thing to do?*

A. No. The DOT rules require that you have side view mirrors and even though you were only going a short distance it doesn't matter. You should have had the mirror replaced before heading back onto any public road. Had you been stopped, you surely would have been cited and fined.

Got a question for Dave? email: dave@isri.org