

# *Evidence Used in* **Truck Accident Investigations**

## **Dash Cams**

Investigators are given a recording of exactly what happened before and during the accident. The evidence gathered from a dash cam is more reliable than personal accounts of a collision.

## **Driving Records**

By obtaining the driver qualification file or DQF, your attorney will be able to determine, in part, if the driver contributed to the accident or was likely to have contributed to the wreck.

## **Maintenance Records**

The information provided may indicate that equipment failure has occurred with the rig on a previous occasion, that the company failed to maintain the vehicle properly, or that the load was improperly placed in the trailer.

## **GPS and Black Boxes**

In today's world, GPS records are used as a way to keep tabs on drivers and their trucks. Your attorney may obtain these records, and those from the truck's "black box," to demonstrate that a driver was on the road too long.

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