

I am currently seeking a second career in driving trucks. I have been examined by a truck driving school and was told that I could not pass the DOT exam due to a corneal scar in my left eye. My vision in that eye is 20/200 and my right eye is 20/20. I am 52 years old and have been driving various automobiles for over 30 years. I have never been in a car accident and was in the military for over 9 years having been trained to drive 5 and 10 ton vehicles and taught to fly helicopters. I have spoken to my doctor about this situation and he has agreed that I am able to drive and encouraged me to continue to do so. I already possess a CDL Class A permit & I would like to request an exemption so that I could complete CDL school.