

Equipment / gear buy-back / toolkit return trap

Force **written return vs keep** language for kits/gear before enroll. Pairs clawback note + deposit receipt. Invents no dollar amounts. Independent — not FMCSA. **Not lending advice.**

- **Order:** this trap → clawback note → deposit receipt.
- “Kit included” is not the same as you keep it if you quit.

Kit / gear writing

- ☐ Kit / gear / equipment named on quote: _____
- ☐ Written language: ☐ Keep ☐ Return ☐ Buy-back ☐ Unclear
- ☐ Return / buy-back trigger copied from writing (quit / fail / time):

- ☐ Any dollar figures from the written quote only? ☐ Yes · line _____ ☐
None listed — invent nothing
- ☐ Hold signature until return vs keep is on paper you keep? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- ☐ Pair [clawback note](#) if company-paid training applies

Refuse if...

- Verbal “yours to keep” vanishes from the contract.
- They rush a signature before you can keep return/buy-back language.

Decision: ☐ Proceed ☐ Hold money ☐ Walk · Notes: _____