

RICHARD READ TRANSPORT DECREASE RUNNING COSTS

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Richard Read Transport, based in Longhope Gloucestershire, has reduced customers' running costs by decreasing tyre wear and fuel consumption. The fully equipped commercial workshop now offers precision wheel alignment using the Haweka TA-20.

Richard Read Transport was founded in 1946, and is still managed by the Read family today. The Longhope depot mainly concentrates its efforts on its MAN/ERF distributorship that it is proud to have held for over 40 years. The vehicle repair workshop houses every piece of technology needed to offer a one-stop shop to commercial vehicle operators including a paint shop, a Ministry of Transport approved Tachograph facility and MOT test centre. The Service Department employs 18 skilled fitters carrying out a full range of HGV maintenance & repair. With a fleet of recovery vehicles capable of dealing with any type of accident/emergency to general towing Richard Read Transport is one of the leading commercial workshops in the UK.



Poor wheel alignment increases tyre drag on the road wasting rubber and increasing fuel use. By aligning the wheels and axles properly the vehicle becomes more streamlined and drives as the manufacturer intended. Many fleets have incorporated wheel alignment as part of the annual service to ensure maximum performance and savings.



Maurice Williams, Workshop Manager of Richard Read Transport, said "The TA-20 is a great system which will give us many advantages. Our commercial units for sale will be perfectly aligned and will drive off our forecourt as the manufacturer intended, our own fleet will run more efficiently and profitably, and our customers will enjoy reduced running costs as well as decreasing carbon emissions, increasing driver comfort and the vehicles safety."

Richard Read Transport is committed to supporting truck and van operators to the highest standards, maximising vehicle availability or uptime. The TA-20 is the fastest laser wheel alignment machine available ensuring your vehicles get the best service in the shortest time. Richard Read Transport offer a wide range of product and service solutions to meet the varying needs of individual vehicle users. If you would like more information about laser wheel alignment or any other of Richard Read Transport services please contact me on the details below.

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