

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~[omitted material]~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §§1-7, 9-14 and 16, NRS 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625 and 484.7633; §8, NRS 484.737, 484.739, 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625 and 484.7633; §15, NRS 484.737, 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625 and 484.7633.

A REGULATION relating to vehicles; establishing deadlines to apply for a permit for the movement of an oversized or overweight vehicle; providing that a single-trip permit may authorize such a vehicle to make a round trip; increasing the maximum combined length authorized for the movement of certain vehicles; revising provisions concerning permits for the movement of self-propelled cranes; revising provisions concerning the movement of certain implements of husbandry and farm equipment; prohibiting the removal of certain highway signs without the approval of the district engineer; requiring coordination with local utilities for the movement of certain vehicles with a load that exceeds 19 feet in height; limiting the access granted by a permit to the highways set forth on the permit and certain adjacent highways; imposing certain requirements on an oversized or overweight vehicle that becomes disabled or unreasonably interferes with the normal flow of traffic; revising the maximum dimensions of vehicles authorized to travel during hours of darkness or on a holiday or weekend; requiring certain vehicles to display warning flags under certain circumstances; revising provisions concerning permits for the emergency movement of certain vehicles; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. Chapter 484 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto the provisions set forth as sections 2 and 3 of this regulation.

Sec. 2. *“Holiday” means:*

- 1. New Year’s Day, January 1, from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.;*
- 2. Memorial Day, last Monday in May, from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.;*
- 3. Independence Day, July 4, from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.;*

4. *Labor Day, first Monday of September, from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.;*
5. *Nevada Day, last Friday of October, from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.;*
6. *The Saturday immediately following the last Friday of October from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.:*
 - (a) *Within the boundaries of Carson City;*
 - (b) *On U.S. Highway No. 395 between Reno and Minden; and*
 - (c) *On U.S. Highway No. 50 between Carson City and Fallon;*
7. *The fourth Wednesday of November from 12 noon until 12 midnight;*
8. *The Sunday immediately following the fourth Wednesday of November from 12 noon until 12 midnight;*
9. *Christmas Eve, December 24, from 12 noon until 12 midnight;*
10. *Christmas Day, December 25, from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m.;*
11. *New Year's Eve, December 31, from 12 noon until 12 midnight; and*
12. *If the observance of a holiday set forth in subsections 1 to 11, inclusive, Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday, Washington's birthday or Veterans' Day, November 11, results in a 3-day weekend:*
 - (a) *The day immediately preceding the first day of the 3-day weekend from 12 noon until 12 midnight; and*
 - (b) *The last day of the 3-day weekend from 12 noon until 12 midnight.*

Sec. 3. *“Hours of daylight” means one-half hour before sunrise until one-half hour after sunset.*

Sec. 4. NAC 484.460 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.460 As used in NAC 484.460 to 484.580, inclusive, *and sections 2 and 3 this regulation*, unless the context otherwise requires, the words and terms defined in NAC 484.462 to 484.493, inclusive, *and sections 2 and 3 of this regulation* have the meanings ascribed to them in those sections.

Sec. 5. NAC 484.505 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.505 1. The provisions of NAC 484.460 to 484.580, inclusive, *and sections 2 and 3 this regulation* do not apply to a vehicle over 70 feet in length which has a reducible load and which is governed by NAC 484.300 to 484.440, inclusive.

2. The provisions of NAC 484.460 to 484.580, inclusive, *and sections 2 and 3 this regulation* do not apply to passenger buses.

Sec. 6. NAC 484.510 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.510 1. Annual multiple-trip permits, multiple trip-limited time permits, *special permits* and single-trip permits are available:

(a) From the Department of Transportation, Room 103, 1263 South Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada 89712, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

(b) Through facsimile services at various authorized stations within the State. The Department will transmit permits through facsimile services to various authorized stations ~~[with]~~ *within* the State Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., and the permits will be available from the authorized stations during their regular business hours, which may vary.

2. Single-trip permits are also available from the Department by telephone at (775) 888-7410.

3. Certain permits may also be available from the Department at the Internet address ~~http://www.nevadadot.com,~~ <http://www.nevadadot.com>, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Sec. 7. NAC 484.515 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.515 1. An application for an annual multiple-trip permit, *a special permit* or a multiple trip-limited time permit must be ~~submitted~~ :

(a) *Submitted to* the Department on a form prescribed by the Department that is signed by the applicant or his authorized agent ~~;~~

~~2. All applications for annual multiple-trip permits or multiple trip-limited time permits must be in~~ ;

(b) *In* writing, although a facsimile application will constitute a writing ~~;~~ ~~and accompanied~~ ;

(c) *Except as otherwise provided in NRS 484.737, submitted not later than 30 days before the first day of travel for which the permit is required; and*

(d) *Accompanied* by the appropriate fee, *if any*, unless credit has been established.

~~3.~~ 2. An application for a single-trip permit ~~may~~ :

(a) *May* be made to the Department in writing or orally by telephone ~~;~~ *and*

(b) *Must be submitted not later than 4:15 p.m. on the last business day before the first day of travel for which the permit is required.*

↳ Payment for the single-trip permit must be made at the time the applicant receives the permit.

Sec. 8. NAC 484.525 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.525 1. A single-trip permit for the movement of an oversized or overweight vehicle ~~is~~ :

(a) *Is* valid for a period of 5 days as set forth on the permit ~~;~~ *and*

(b) May authorize the vehicle to make a round trip and to travel by a different route, laden or unladen, on each leg of the round trip.

2. An annual multiple-trip permit is valid for 12 consecutive months after the date of issue ~~[-~~ *This] as set forth on the permit. The* permit may be issued for:

(a) ~~[Construction type equipment and special mobile equipment that do not otherwise conform to statutory requirements or for multiple trips when an]~~ *Any* oversized or overweight vehicle ~~[travels on highways maintained by the Department]~~, *other than special mobile equipment*, if the maximum:

- (1) Width is not more than 14 feet;
- (2) Length does not exceed 110 feet;
- (3) Height does not exceed 15 feet;
- (4) Overhang does not exceed 25 feet; and
- (5) Gross weight and axle loading will not exceed that established by evaluation of the application based upon axle configuration and overall length; ~~[or]~~

(b) The movement of manufactured homes, mobile homes or any other similar types of structures ~~[over highways maintained by the Department]~~ if the maximum:

- (1) Width, including any appendages and roof eaves, is not more than 14 feet;
- (2) Combined length of the vehicle used to transport the manufactured home, mobile home or other similar structure and the manufactured home, mobile home or other similar structure does not exceed ~~[85]~~ *110* feet; ~~[and]~~

(3) *Length of the manufactured home, mobile home or other similar structure does not exceed 80 feet; and*

- (4) Height does not exceed 15 feet ~~[+]~~; *or*

(c) A self-propelled crane that exceeds the maximum weight authorized pursuant to subsection 1 of NRS 484.745. The applicant for the permit must submit to the Department at the time of application a description of the self-propelled crane that sets forth the height, length, width and weight of the self-propelled crane in the position in which it will be transported.

3. *Except as otherwise provided in NAC 484.555, a special permit for the movement of an oversized or overweight vehicle issued by the Department pursuant to NRS 484.737, 484.739, 484.762 or 484.7625:*

(a) Is valid for the period set forth on the permit; and

(b) May authorize the vehicle to make a round trip or multiple trips and to travel by a different route, laden or unladen, on each leg of a trip.

4. The original of the annual multiple-trip permit, *special permit*, multiple trip-limited time permit or single-trip permit must be :

(a) Signed by the permittee; and

(b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 5, carried in the vehicle to which it refers.

~~[4.]~~ 5. The holder of an annual multiple-trip permit may transfer the original permit to a leased or rented vehicle with the vehicle combinations which are identified on the permit. The leased or rented vehicle must:

(a) Carry the original permit;

(b) Carry the original notarized lease agreement or the original customer copy of the rental agreement; and

(c) Be marked in accordance with 49 C.F.R. § 390.21.

~~[5.]~~ 6. A copy of an annual multiple-trip permit, *a special permit*, multiple trip-limited time permit or single-trip permit may not be made for use in another vehicle.

7. For the purposes of this section, an annual multiple-trip permit, a special permit, multiple trip-limited time permit or single-trip permit that is issued to a permittee by facsimile or other electronic transmission shall be deemed the original permit.

Sec. 9. NAC 484.527 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.527 1. At no cost, the Department shall issue to an owner an annual multiple-trip permit for the movement, by the owner, of implements of husbandry and farm equipment that ~~[exceed]~~ :

(a) *Exceed* 8 feet 6 inches in width but are not more than 12 feet in width ~~[. An owner may drive or tow such equipment, without limitation, on an interstate or controlled-access highway with a pilot car in the rear, must use the shoulder of the roadway as much as possible, and must follow, without limitation, the requirements of NAC 484.550. An annual multiple-trip permit is valid for 12 consecutive months after the date of issue.]~~ ;

(b) *Exceed 14 feet in height but are not more than 15 feet in height; or*

(c) *Exceed 70 feet in length but are not more than 110 feet in length.*

2. At no cost, the Department shall issue to an owner a ~~[trip]~~ *single-trip* permit for the movement, ~~[on an interstate or controlled-access highway,]~~ by the owner, of implements of husbandry and farm equipment that ~~[exceed 12]~~ :

(a) *Exceed* 8 feet *6 inches* in width but are not more than 17 feet in width ~~[. The owner must haul such items of equipment with a pilot car in the rear and must follow, without limitation, the requirements of NAC 484.550.]~~ ;

(b) *Exceed 15 feet in height; or*

(c) Exceed 110 feet in length.

3. For a fee, the Department shall issue a single-trip or annual multiple-trip permit for the commercial movement of ~~[farm machinery used in seasonal harvesting that does not otherwise conform to statutory requirements or for multiple trips when an oversized or overweight vehicle travels on highways maintained by the Department.]~~ *implements of husbandry and farm equipment.* Permits issued pursuant to this subsection ~~[will be]~~ *are* subject to the normal fees which pertain to ~~[these]~~ *those* permits. ~~[An annual multiple-trip permit is valid for 12 consecutive months after the date of issue.]~~

4. Implements of husbandry and farm equipment that are:

(a) Not more than 12 feet in width may be driven or towed on an interstate or controlled-access highway if the implements of husbandry and farm equipment:

(1) Travel during hours of daylight;

(2) Are followed by a pilot car; and

(3) Travel as far to the right-hand side of the highway as is practicable.

(b) More than 12 feet in width must be transported or moved as a load on another vehicle.

Sec. 10. NAC 484.535 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.535 Permits issued will authorize movement upon the highways ~~[maintained by]~~ *under the jurisdiction of* the Department under the following conditions:

1. Transportation equipment must ~~[comply]~~ :

(a) Comply in all respects with ~~[the]~~ :

(1) The motor vehicle laws of the State of Nevada ~~[and all]~~ ;

(2) All other provisions of the law regarding the use, operation and licensing of motor vehicles ~~[and must at]~~ ; *and*

(3) The conditions and restrictions set forth in the instructions published by the Department. The instructions may be obtained from any district office or other office of the Department or at the Internet address <http://www.nevadadot.com>.

(b) At all times be operated with regard to public safety.

2. When traffic, weather or other conditions are determined by the Department or the law enforcement agency to constitute a hazard, the permit may be temporarily suspended or restricted in use.

3. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, all posted speed limits and “advisory speed” signs must be complied with. If the Department issues a permit that sets forth a speed limit for a particular highway or a section of a particular highway, that speed limit must be complied with.

4. *A permittee shall not disturb or remove a guidepost, marker post, snow marker post, sign or signpost without the written consent of the appropriate district engineer.* The cost of repair of any roadway shoulders, surfacing, guideposts, marker posts, snow marker posts, signs or signposts, bridge or bridge rail or any other appurtenances of the highway or highway right-of-way damaged or unduly disturbed by the permittee’s operation must be paid by the permittee. The Department shall determine the amount of damages and bill the permittee. The permittee shall pay the bill by cash or certified check within 20 days after receipt of the bill. The failure of the permittee to pay the bill in a timely manner constitutes cause for revocation of his permit, and no other permits will be issued to him until the bill is satisfied. *As used in this subsection, “district engineer” has the meaning ascribed to it NAC 408.708.*

5. The permittee shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the State of Nevada, its officers, employees and agents from any liability, damages, claims or actions for injury to persons or

damage to property, whether the property belongs to the State, to the permittee or to third parties, and whether caused by the permittee or an agent or employee of the permittee in the performance or exercise of the permit. Each permit issued by the Department must contain indemnification language in substantially the same form as set forth in this subsection.

6. The Department reserves the right to revoke any or all portions of a permit at any time or for any cause which the Department deems necessary to fulfill its obligations, and the Department is not responsible for any damage sustained by the permittee as a result of such revocation.

7. If drivers employed by a permittee or by a company under contract to a permittee receive citations on three separate occasions within a period of 6 months for violations of a condition or restriction on the permit, the Department may suspend all permit privileges of the permittee for up to 30 days.

8. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection and subsection 9 and unless a person possesses a permit issued by the Department that allows his vehicle to exceed the following limitations:

(a) The maximum weight per tire, measured by pounds per inch of tire width, is 600 pounds per inch for the steering axle and 500 pounds per inch for all other axles, not to exceed the axle rating.

(b) Except for steering axles and axles that weigh less than 10,000 pounds, each axle must have at least four tires if the tire width of each tire on an axle is less than or equal to 14 inches. If the maximum weight per tire does not exceed 500 pounds per inch of tire width, an axle may be equipped with tires that have a width of more than 14 inches.

9. The provisions of subsection 8 do not apply to a bus owned or operated by the ~~Clark~~ **County** Regional Transportation Commission ~~of~~ *Southern Nevada*.

10. A vehicle for which a permit is issued is subject to a Level 1 - North American Standard Inspection by the Department or a law enforcement agency before the vehicle may be moved. If the vehicle fails to pass the inspection, the permit will be revoked. The Department hereby adopts by reference the procedures of the Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance for conducting a Level I - North American Standard Inspection. A copy of the procedures for conducting a Level I - North American Standard Inspection may be obtained from the Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance, 1101 17th Street, N.W., Suite 803, Washington, D.C. 20036, by telephone at (202) 775-1623 or at the Internet address ~~http://store.yahoo/evsa/noamstinprse.html~~ <http://www.cvsa.org>, for the price of \$2.50 for *enforcement* members of the Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance, ~~or~~ \$3.50 for *associate members* or *\$4.50* for nonmembers.

11. Two or more oversized or overweight vehicles may not participate in a convoy unless the permit for each vehicle participating in the convoy so authorizes.

12. A permittee shall coordinate additional utilities escorts, if necessary, and traffic control with the appropriate law enforcement agencies for:

(a) Loads wider than 17 feet on roads with two or three lanes.

(b) Loads wider than 19 feet on roads with four or more lanes.

13. A permittee shall coordinate with each appropriate local utility for the movement of loads that exceed 19 feet in height.

14. A permit issued for an oversized or overweight vehicle authorizes the oversized or overweight vehicle to travel on the highways set forth on the permit and, except as otherwise provided in this subsection, any adjacent highways that provide access to travel-related

services, including, without limitation, a service station, restaurant or motel. A permit does not authorize travel on any highway that is not under the jurisdiction of the Department.

15. If an oversized or overweight vehicle becomes disabled for any reason other than an accident or if the vehicle unreasonably interferes with the normal flow of traffic on a highway, the vehicle, and any accompanying pilot car, must be brought to a stop as far to the right-hand side of the highway as is practicable and remain there until the normal flow of traffic resumes.

16. An oversized or overweight vehicle may not travel during hours of darkness, on a weekend or on a holiday except as set forth in a permit or special instructions, if any, given by the Department.

Sec. 11. NAC 484.540 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.540 1. Permits are required when:

(a) Traveling on ~~the interstate highway system and the weight of a vehicle exceeds:~~

~~—(1) For a single axle, 20,000 pounds;~~

~~—(2) For a tandem axle, 34,000 pounds;~~

~~—(3) For a tridem axle, 42,000 pounds; or~~

~~—(4) A gross weight of 80,000 pounds.~~

~~(b) Traveling on~~ roads maintained by the Department and axle loadings or gross weights exceed the limits established by the formula in NRS 484.745. Where substandard roadway sections or structures exist, the maximum allowable axle loadings or gross weights must not exceed the values established by the Department.

~~(e)~~ (b) The maximum width of the vehicle exceeds 102 inches . ~~for as otherwise designated by statute.~~

~~—(d)~~ (c) Except as otherwise provided in NRS 484.739, the maximum length of the vehicle exceeds 70 feet.

~~[(e)]~~ (d) The vehicle exceeds 75 feet, including overhang.

~~[(f)]~~ (e) The overhang of the vehicle exceeds 10 feet, regardless of length.

~~[(g)]~~ (f) The height of the vehicle exceeds 14 feet, except that baled hay loads may be up to 15 feet high.

~~[(h) The length of the vehicle is not more than 70 feet, the vehicle is traveling on the interstate highway system and the gross weight of the vehicle exceeds 80,000 pounds.]~~

2. Unless the load is a commodity, a load transported under authority of a permit must be nonreducible in length, width and height, including, without limitation, such items as machinery, construction equipment, fabricated units, mobile cranes, off-highway trucks or earth-moving equipment. Tractors with blades or rippers attached are considered a part of the machine and therefore are nonreducible. Other parts of a load that are integral to the load may be reloaded if the total weight of the vehicle does not exceed the limit set forth in the permit.

Sec. 12. NAC 484.542 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.542 1. ~~[(A)]~~ **An oversized** vehicle with a single-trip permit must not exceed the following maximum dimensions unless specifically approved by the Department:

(a) For travel during hours of darkness ~~[(on a highway with two or three lanes:)]~~ **or on a holiday:**

- (1) Width of ~~[(10)]~~ **12** feet;
- (2) Height of 15 feet;
- (3) Length of ~~[(105)]~~ **110** feet; and
- (4) Overhang of ~~[(10)]~~ **15** feet.

(b) ~~For travel during hours of darkness on a highway with at least four lanes:~~

~~(1) Width of 10 feet;~~

~~(2) Height of 15 feet;~~

~~(3) Length of 110 feet; and~~

~~(4) Overhang of 10 feet.~~

~~(c) For travel that is not during hours of darkness on a weekend on a highway with two or three lanes:~~

~~(1) Width of 14 feet;~~

~~(2) Height of 15 feet;~~

~~(3) Length of 105 feet; and~~

~~(4) Overhang of 15 feet.~~

~~(d)] Except as otherwise provided in paragraph [(g);] (c), for travel [that is not] during hours of [darkness] *daylight* on a weekend : [on a highway with at least four lanes:]~~

(1) Width of 14 feet;

(2) Height of 15 feet;

(3) Length of 110 feet; and

(4) Overhang of 15 feet.

~~(e) For travel that is not during hours of darkness on a holiday on a highway with two or three lanes:~~

~~(1) Width of 10 feet;~~

~~(2) Height of 15 feet;~~

~~(3) Length of 105 feet; and~~

~~(4) Overhang of 15 feet.~~

~~—(f) For travel that is not during hours of darkness on a holiday on a highway with at least four lanes:~~

~~—(1) Width of 10 feet;~~

~~—(2) Height of 15 feet;~~

~~—(3) Length of 110 feet; and~~

~~—(4) Overhang of 15 feet.~~

~~—(g)]~~ (c) For travel *during hours of daylight* on a weekend *or on a holiday* over the portion of Interstate Highway No. 80 between Sparks (Exit 21) and the boundary of California or ~~travels on a weekend]~~ over the portion of Interstate Highway No. 15 between Las Vegas (Exit 33) and the boundary of California:

(1) Width of ~~10]~~ *12* feet;

(2) Height of 15 feet;

(3) Length of 110 feet; and

(4) Overhang of 15 feet.

2. For the purposes of this section, “oversized vehicle” does not include a mobile home, manufactured home or similar structure.

Sec. 13. NAC 484.543 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.543 1. An oversized vehicle with an annual multiple-trip permit must not exceed the following maximum dimensions ~~]:~~

~~—(a) For]~~ *for* travel during hours of darkness, ~~[on a highway with two or three lanes:~~

~~—(1) Width of 10 feet;~~

~~—(2) Height of 15 feet;~~

~~—(3) Length of 105 feet; and~~

- ~~— (4) Overhang of 10 feet.~~
- ~~— (b) For travel during hours of darkness on a highway with at least four lanes:~~
 - ~~— (1) Width of 10 feet;~~
 - ~~— (2) Height of 15 feet;~~
 - ~~— (3) Length of 110 feet; and~~
 - ~~— (4) Overhang of 10 feet.~~
- ~~— (c) For travel that is not during hours of darkness on a weekend or a holiday on a highway with two or three lanes:~~
 - ~~— (1) Width of 10 feet;~~
 - ~~— (2) Height of 15 feet;~~
 - ~~— (3) Length of 105 feet; and~~
 - ~~— (4) Overhang of 15 feet.~~
- ~~— (d) For travel] on a weekend or *on* a holiday [on a highway with at least four lanes:~~
 - ~~— (1)] :~~
 - (a) Width of ~~[10] 12~~ feet;
 - ~~[(2)] (b)~~ Height of 15 feet;
 - ~~[(3)] (c)~~ Length of 110 feet; and
 - ~~[(4)] (d)~~ Overhang of 15 feet.

2. For the purposes of this section, “oversized vehicle” does not include a mobile home, manufactured home or similar structure.

Sec. 14. NAC 484.550 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.550 *1.* All vehicles in excess of 8 feet 6 inches wide must display ~~[signs,]~~ :

(a) *Signs*, visible in the front and rear, with black letters that are at least 10 inches high of 1 5/8-inch minimum stroke on a yellow background. The signs must read “OVERSIZE LOAD” or “OVERSIZE” and may be mounted in two pieces if necessary. The signs must be neat, clean and mounted securely.

(b) *Warning flags, in addition to the signs required pursuant to paragraph (a). Except as otherwise provided in NRS 484.7625 and 484.775, the warning flags must be at least 18 inches square and solid red or fluorescent orange in color. A flag must be displayed:*

(1) *At each front and rear corner of the vehicle;*

(2) *If the load is wider than the vehicle:*

(I) *At each front and rear corner of the load; and*

(II) *If a side of the load is wider than a front or rear corner of the load, at the point of the maximum width of the load; and*

(3) *If the load is more than 4 feet longer than the vehicle:*

(I) *At the center of the extreme end of the load if the load is 2 feet wide or less; or*

(II) *At each rear corner of the extreme end of a load if the load is more than 2 feet wide.*

2. The signs *and flags* must be displayed only when necessary and ~~be~~ removed promptly upon the arrival of the vehicle at its final destination.

Sec. 15. NAC 484.555 is hereby amended to read as follows:

484.555 The Department may , *pursuant to NRS 484.737*, issue a ~~written~~ *special* permit for an emergency move of an oversized or overweight vehicle. Such a permit ~~is valid for one~~ *may authorize:*

1. *One* round trip from the point of origin to the site of the emergency and the return from the site of the emergency back to the point of origin.

2. *Multiple trips and multiple routes over one or more highways within an area designated by the Department. A permit issued pursuant to this subsection is valid for not more than 30 days and may be renewed.*

↪ Any deviation from ~~the~~ a route *authorized by a permit* requires an additional permit.

Sec. 16. NAC 484.486, 484.491, 484.544 and 484.560 are hereby repealed.

TEXT OF REPEALED SECTIONS

484.486 “Tandem axle” defined. (NRS 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625, 484.7631)

“Tandem axle” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 484.1905.

484.491 “Tridem axle” defined. (NRS 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625, 484.7631) “Tridem axle” means three axles articulated from a common attachment designed to equalize the load to all three axles.

484.544 **Multiple trip-limited time permits for movement of self-propelled cranes.**
(NRS 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625)

1. The Department may issue a multiple trip-limited time permit for the movement of a self-propelled crane if the dimensions of the crane do not exceed:

- (a) A height of 15 feet;
- (b) A length of 90 feet;

(c) A width of 12 feet; and

(d) The maximum authorized weight as established pursuant to subsection 1 of NRS 484.743.

2. An applicant for a permit issued pursuant to subsection 1 must submit to the Department at the time of application a description of the self-propelled crane that contains the height, length, width and weight of the self-propelled crane in the position in which it will be transported.

3. For a self-propelled crane whose dimensions exceed the applicable dimensions set forth in subsection 1 of NAC 484.543, the Department will issue a permit pursuant to this section which is valid only:

(a) For a period that does not exceed 180 days.

(b) Within a circle, which excludes roadways where substandard sections or structures exist, with:

(1) A radius of 50 miles whose center is the intersection of Interstate Highway No. 15 and U.S. Highway No. 95 in Las Vegas;

(2) A radius of 30 miles whose center is the intersection of Interstate Highway No. 80 and U.S. Highway No. 395 in Reno; or

(3) A radius of 75 miles whose center is the intersection of Interstate Highway No. 80 and State Route No. 278 in Carlin.

484.560 Restrictions on travel on or near holidays. (NRS 484.743, 484.762, 484.7625, 484.7631)

1. The Department will not issue a permit for the movement of an oversized or overweight vehicle on the following days:

(a) New Year's Day, January 1;

(b) Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, third Monday in January;

- (c) President's Day, third Monday in February;
- (d) Memorial Day, last Monday in May;
- (e) Independence Day, July 4;
- (f) Labor Day, first Monday of September;
- (g) Nevada Day, last Friday of October;
- (h) Veterans' Day, November 11;
- (i) Fourth Wednesday of November from 2 p.m. until 12 midnight;
- (j) Christmas Eve, December 24 from 2 p.m. until 12 midnight; and
- (k) Any day that may be designated by the President of the United States for a public fast, thanksgiving or holiday, except for a presidential designation of the fourth Monday of October as Veteran's Day.

2. If any holiday listed in subsection 1, falls on a Saturday, the preceding Friday is considered a holiday. If any holiday listed above falls on a Sunday, the following Monday is considered a holiday.

3. In addition to the days set forth in subsection 1, the Department will not issue a permit for the movement of an oversized or overweight vehicle on the Saturday immediately following the last Friday in October:

- (a) Within the boundaries of Carson City;
- (b) On U.S. Highway No. 395 between Reno and Minden; and
- (c) On U.S. Highway No. 50 between Carson City and Fallon.