



# New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission

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## <= 113,000 lbs. GVW Emergency Divisible Load Special Oversize/Overweight Permit

On behalf of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission and in conjunction with the New Jersey Department of Transportation, we are hereby granting this Special Permit for overweight and/or oversize vehicles that are transporting **divisible loads** up to a gross vehicle weight of 113,000 lbs., on 6 or more axles, into and through New Jersey in support of emergency relief efforts to areas affected by Hurricane Sandy. Pursuant to 23 U.S.C. Section 127, this Special Permit is being issued to allow the transport of loads that can easily be dismantled or divided and that are delivering emergency relief supplies/equipment (including but not limited to, food, fuel, water, medical supplies, and other commodities/services) intended to offer relief and comfort to stricken areas. This shall include the removal of hurricane related solid waste debris from stricken areas so as to facilitate access and delivery of relief supplies consistent with the provisions of Section 127 of Title 23, United States Code. The holder of this Special Permit also addresses the permitting requirements for oversize/overweight vehicles as specified under NJ Statute 39:3-84 and NJAC 13:18 in order to operate an oversize/overweight vehicle combinations on the roadways of this state in support of this relief effort. This Special Permit is valid for any truck/trailer combination up to the following vehicle weight configuration limits.

Load Description	Gross Weight Limit (lbs)	# Axles	Axle Weight Limits(lbs.)			
			Single Axle	Tandem Axle Group	Tri-Axle Group	4-Axle Group
Food, Fuel, Water, or Solid Waste Debris	113,000	6	24,000	44,000	54,500	64,500

In addition, any vehicle combination operating under this permit is subject to the following over-dimensional conditions/restrictions. **In selecting a route for this load, the operator must ensure that the load can safely clear all structures along the route selected and that the appropriate escort vehicle requirements specified under NJSA 13:18-1.12 are met. The operator accepts all liability for any damage incurred in the movement of these vehicles across the state highway system. If the carrier is uncertain if the load can safely clear their route to their destination, they may have a route survey conducted or they may contact NJDOT's Permit office at 609-530-6089 for guidance on roadway clearances along their preferred route.**

When the height, including load, exceeds 14 feet, the utility company coordination provisions of NJSA 39:4-28 concerning overhead wires shall apply. Priority of the road must be given to other traffic at all times. All other operating restrictions concerning speed, visibility and clearance for passing traffic as defined in Title 13:18-1.11 shall apply.

The transport of emergency equipment and/or supplies under this permit over New Jersey highways is also being granted a waiver of the nighttime and holiday restrictions pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:18-1.11(e), only while traveling to or from this declared emergency and associated relief efforts. Pursuant to NJAC 13:18-1.12(c), one additional escort shall also be required when an oversize vehicle or combination of vehicles is traveling during the nighttime hours of sunset to sunrise. **This permit is only valid for the transport of emergency equipment and supplies to or from this declared emergency and associated relief efforts, and shall be valid for a period of thirty (30) days from the date above. This permit waiver is not valid on toll roads.** A copy of this permit must be carried in the vehicle during transport and presented to law enforcement upon request.

The movement of these supplies/equipment is also subject to the following weight restrictions. **The operator must avoid the attached list of structures for this load configuration indicated in Table A below. In addition, if overweight, these loads must also slow to 5 MPH when crossing the structures listed in Table B below.** Please refer to this list of structures when selecting your route to and from the emergency and avoid these structures. This list must be attached to this permit and carried with the above vehicle(s). Failure to avoid these structures will invalidate this permit. Nothing in this permit shall be construed to allow any vehicle to exceed weight limits posted for bridges and like structures, or relieve any vehicle or carrier, owner or driver of any vehicle from compliance with any restrictions other than those specified, or from any statute, rule, or other legal requirement not specifically waived herein.

The transportation of vehicle loads must comply with Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulation part 392.9A. The “cargo must be properly distributed and adequately secured”. The “cargo or any other object must not obscure the driver’s view ahead or to the right or left sides” and “the vehicle’s body attachments and means of fastening the cargo are secured”.

Approved:



Raymond Martinez  
Chief Administrator  
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Enclosure (list of restricted structures)

**Food, Fuel, Water or Solid Waste Debris (6 AXLES, GVW 113,000 LBS)**  
**Restricted Structures**

**Table A: The following 13 structures need to be avoided:**

Serial No.	Route	MP	Structure No.	Structure Name
1	1&9	51.17	0704-150	US 1&9 (PULASKI SKYWAY) OVER PASSAIC RIVER
2	1&9	51.85	0901-150	US 1&9 (PULASKI SKYWAY) OVER HACKENSACK RIVER
3	18	43.58	1237-155	NJ 18 OVER RARITAN RIVER
4	21	4.50	0716-150	NJ 21 SB OVER NJ 21 NB VIADUCT
5	40	2.60	1701-151	US RT. 40 WB OVER W BRANCH GAME CREEK
6	130	51.62	0317-155	US 130 OVER CRAFTS CREEK
7	139	0.35	0904-151	NJ 139 OVER ABANDONED ERIE LACKAWANNA RR
8	139	0.42	0904-152	NJ 139 DEPRESSED ROADWAY
9	206	52.52	1129-155	US 206 OVER STONEY BROOK
10	280	1.88	1418-151	I-280 EB OVER WHIPPANY RIVER
11	280	1.88	1418-152	I-280 WB OVER WHIPPANY RIVER
12	280	14.42	0731-157	I-280 OVER RT. 21 & RAMPS C & D
13	280	14.53	0731-161	I-280 [WILLIAM A. STICKEL MEMORIAL BRIDGE]

**Table B: The following 39 structures require 5 MPH speed restrictions:**

Serial No.	Route	MP	Structure No.	Structure Name
1	1	6.45	1103-152	US 1 OVER D&R CANAL
2	1	27.75	1203-150	US1NB/RARITAN RIVER & LOCAL ROADS.
3	1&9T	0.56	0705-151	US 1&9 TR. OVER PASSAIC RIVER
4	3	4.89	1601-164	NJ 3 OVER PASSAIC RIVER & RT. 21
5	4	0.13	0205-150	NJ 4 OVER PASSAIC RIVER, NJ 20 & CR 507
6	15	2.29	1403-153	NJ 15 SB OVER ABND MT HOPE MINERAL RR
7	15	17.56	1922-150	NJ 15 OVER BEAVER RUN
8	17	10.83	0214-157	NJ 17 OVER NYS & W RR (SPUR)
9	22	55.01	2003-166	US 22 OVER CHESTNUT STREET
10	22	57.31	2004-153	US ROUTE 22 OVER LIBERTY AVE
11	23	37.60	1904-153	RT. 23 OVER BRANCH OF WALKILL RIVER
12	23	44.71	1905-153	NJ RT23/CLOVE RIVER
13	27	21.59	1218-152	NJ RT. 27 OVER ABAND. RAIL ROAD

14	27	34.00	207-151	ROUTE NJ 27NB (CHERRY ST) OVER ELIZ
15	30	55.80	0103-154	US-30 OVER NEWFOUND THOROFARE
16	30	56.25	0103-153	US-30 OVER DUCK THOROFARE
17	31	38.41	1013-158	RT. 31 OVER RARITAN VALLEY LINE
18	40	13.59	1703-152	U.S.RTE 40 OVER BRANCH OF SALEM
19	40	26.46	0801-151	ROUTE 40 OVER MALAGA LAKE
20	41	3.37	0802-150	NJ ROUTE 41 OVER NJ ROUTE 42
21	46	49.09	1410-156	US ROUTE 46 OVER BRANCH OF TROY BROOK
22	46	64.52	0220-152	US 46 OVER BR. OF PASSAIC RIVER
23	53	4.59	1411-152	NJ 53 OVER DEN BRK
24	57	1.91	2105-153	NJ 57 OVER BRANCH POHATCONG CREEK
25	57	6.43	2105-159	NJ 57 OVER BRANCH POHATCONG
26	72	21.38	1512-152	NJ 72 OVER MILL CREEK
27	72	26.92	1513-152	NJ 72 OVER MANAHAWKIN BAY
28	73	33.12	0416-152	NJ 73 OVER PENNSAUKEN CREEK
29	80	61.82	0225-159	I-80/GSP, MIDLAND AVE & NJ TRANSIT
30	82	0.36	2012-150	NJ 82 OVER RAHWAY RIVER
31	130	37.84	0316-150	US 130 OVER POMPESTON CREEK
32	183	0.61	1426-150	NJ 183 OVER NJ TRANSIT (MORRISTOWN LINE)
33	183	0.96	1426-151	NJ 183 OVER MUSCONETCONG LAKE OUTLET
34	202	32.54	1809-150	RT. 202 OVER NORTH BRANCH RARITAN RIVER
35	206	0.75	0118-150	US 206 OVER CEDAR BRANCH
36	206	10.13	0324-152	U.S ROUTE 206 OVER SPRINGERS
37	206	61.82	1810-155	US 206 OVER CRUSERS BROOK
38	495	2.00	0917-164	SOUTH MARGINAL STREET OVER RELIEF
39	676	2.96	0430-151	I-676 OVER HADDON AVE (CR 561)