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## **Rules and Policy Development**

### **Current Rulemaking Activity**

*The following rulemaking was reviewed per Executive Order 2020-02. On July 15, 2020, the Department received authorization from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.*

Rule Package:	Motor Carrier Safety: Incorporation of Federal Regulations (Amend)		
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation		
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
<b>Article(s):</b>	2, Motor Carriers		
<b>Section(s):</b>	R17-5-201 through R17-5-212 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)		
<b>A.A.R. Citation:</b>	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening:		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking:		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:		
<b>Description:</b>	The Department, in partnership with DPS, engages in this rulemaking to incorporate a more recent edition of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations and Hazardous Materials Regulations in the Code of Federal Regulations. The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration of the U.S. Department of Transportation requires that each state adopt certain Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations to ensure eligibility for federal enforcement grants. Both the Department and DPS rely on these federal monies to fund numerous enforcement positions.		
<b>Comments:</b>	<a href="mailto:COlson2@azdot.gov">COlson2@azdot.gov</a>		
<b>Oral Proceeding:</b>	To be determined		
<b>Close of Record:</b>	To be determined		
<b>Council Date:</b>	To be determined	<b>Rule Effective Date*:</b>	To be determined

*The following rulemaking was reviewed per Executive Order 2015-01. On September 18, 2015, the Department received authorization from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.*

Rule Package: <b>Oversize and Overweight Special Permits - Technical Corrections (Amend)</b>	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	6, Department of Transportation – Oversize and Overweight Special Permits
<b>Article(s):</b>	1, General Provisions; 2, Special Permit Classes and Fees; 3, Safety Requirements; 4, Transport Provisions; and
<b>Section(s):</b>	5, Envelope Permit Special Provisions R17-6-101, R17-6-102, Table 1, R17-6-103 through R17-6-113, R17-6-201 through R17-6-206, Table 2, R17-6-207 through R17-6-212, Table 6, Table 7, R17-6-301, R17-6-302, Illustration 1, R17-6-303, Illustration 2, R17-6-304, Illustration 4, R17-6-305 through R17-6-308, R17-6-401 through R17-6-411, Tables 3.01 through 3.09, Illustration 3, R17-6-412, Table 4, R17-6-413, Table 5, R17-6-414, and R17-6-501 through R17-6-511 (Sections may be added, deleted, or modified as necessary.)
<b>A.A.R. Citation:</b>	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening:
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking:
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:
<b>Description:</b>	<p>The Department and the Overdimensional Permit Council, in coordination with a broad coalition of public and private transportation stakeholder groups, is updating Arizona's oversize and overweight envelope and special permit rules to provide additional regulatory relief for industry partners and ensure effectiveness in achieving statutory objectives under A.R.S. Title 28, Chapter 3, Articles 18 and 19.</p> <p>Updates to the rules include consolidating permit types, eliminating permits rendered unnecessary by the consolidation process, updating statutory references, and codifying the Department's new online procedures for permit application and issuance. Rule amendments also include technical and clarifying changes requested by industry representatives, and approved by the Department, after publication of the current rules made by final rulemaking at <a href="#">19 A.A.R. 2486, August 16, 2013</a>.</p> <p>The Department and the Overdimensional Permit Council will be publishing additional notices to ensure that all interested parties are provided sufficient opportunity to participate in this rulemaking effort.</p>
<b>Comments:</b>	<a href="mailto:JLindley@azdot.gov">JLindley@azdot.gov</a>
<b>Oral Proceeding:</b>	To be determined
<b>Close of Record:</b>	To be determined
<b>Council Date:</b>	To be determined
	<b>Rule Effective Date*:</b> To be determined

\*Rule effective dates are approximate. Generally, rules become effective sixty days after filing a Notice of Final Rulemaking with the Secretary of State's Office. However, under certain circumstances, in accordance with A.R.S. § 41-1032, the agency may demonstrate that the rules need to be effective immediately upon filing.



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### Completed Rulemaking Activity

The following rulemaking activities are complete and will remain listed until the rules are codified into the [Arizona Administrative Code](#).

*The following rulemaking was reviewed per Executive Order 2020-02. On July 15, 2020, the Department received authorization from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.*

<b>Rule Package:</b>	<b>Safety Rules Update (Amend) - Expedited</b>		
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation		
<b>Chapter:</b>	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses		
<b>Article(s):</b>	5, Safety		
<b>Section(s):</b>	R17-4-501 through R17-4-504, R17-4-506, R17-4-510, and R17-4-512		
<b>A.A.R. Citation:</b>	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: <a href="#">26 A.A.R. 1591, August 7, 2020</a>		
	Notice of Proposed Expedited Rulemaking: <a href="#">26 A.A.R. 1582, August 7, 2020</a>		
	Notice of Final Expedited Rulemaking: <a href="#">26 A.A.R. 3147, December 11, 2020</a>		
<b>Description:</b>	The Department engages in this expedited rulemaking to incorporate the changes proposed in the Department's recent <a href="#">Five-year Review Report</a> on 17 A.A.C. Chapter 4, Article 5. The Department determined that the rules should be updated and improved for clarity and for a better reflection of the Department's process and needs. The changes include updates and clarification to the definitions, removal of old and inconsistent information, clarification of the evaluation requirements, clarification of the vision standards and requirements, removal of the unnecessary process of conducting medical-related interviews and additional evaluations, and updates to the standards for the motorcycle noise limits and for child restraint systems.		
<b>Comments:</b>	<a href="mailto:COlson2@azdot.gov">COlson2@azdot.gov</a>		
<b>Oral Proceeding:</b>	September 2, 2020		
<b>Close of Record:</b>	September 2, 2020		
<b>Council Date:</b>	<a href="#">December 1, 2020</a>	<b>Rule Effective Date:</b>	December 3, 2020



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### Rule Review Reports

#### 2021 Reports

<b>Report</b>			
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation		
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
<b>Article(s):</b>	2, Motor Carriers and 4, Dealers		
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	To be determined		
<b>Due Date:</b>	January 2021	<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	To be determined

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses
<b>Article(s):</b>	7, Hazardous Materials Endorsement
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	To be determined
<b>Due Date:</b>	June 2021
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	To be determined

#### 2020 Reports

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	5, Motor Carrier Financial Responsibility
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">April Final Files</a> : F20-0401, item E-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	January 2020
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	April 7, 2020

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	6, Ignition Interlock Device Manufacturers and Ignition Interlock Service Providers and 7, Ignition Interlock Device Technicians
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	N/A
<b>Due Date:</b>	January 2020
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	Report Rescheduled for January 2025

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	9, Transportation Network Companies
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">October Final Files</a> : F20-1002, item E-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	July 2020
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	October 6, 2020

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	3, Professional Driver Services
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">December Final Files</a> : item E-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	August 2020
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	December 1, 2020

## 2019 Reports

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	8, Department of Transportation - Fuel Taxes
<b>Article(s):</b>	4, Electronic Funds Transfers and 5, Electronic Fuel Tax Reporting
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">May Final Files</a> : F19-0507, item E-8
<b>Due Date:</b>	January 2019
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	May 7, 2019
Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	1, Department of Transportation - Administration
<b>Article(s):</b>	1, General Provisions; 2, Fees; 3, Taxes; 5, Administrative Hearings; 6, Solicitation; and 7, Advertising and Sponsorship Program
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">July Final Files</a> : F19-0702, item E-1
<b>Due Date:</b>	February 2019
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	July 2, 2019
Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	2, Department of Transportation - Aeronautics
<b>Article(s):</b>	1, General Provisions and 2, Grand Canyon National Park Airport - Operation and Management
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">May Final Files</a> : F19-0513, item E-9
<b>Due Date:</b>	February 2019
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	May 7, 2019
Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	6, Ignition Interlock Device Manufacturers and Ignition Interlock Service Providers and 7, Ignition Interlock Device Technicians
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">August Final Files</a> : 019-0801, item F-1
<b>Due Date:</b>	June 2019
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	August 6, 2019
Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	3, Department of Transportation - Highways
<b>Article(s):</b>	2, Management of Contractor Bidding; 3, Relocation Assistance; 5, Highway Encroachments and Permits; 7, Highway Beautification; 8, Arizona Parkways and Historic and Scenic Roads, and 9, Highway Traffic Control Devices
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">February Final Files</a> : F20-0101, item E-1
<b>Due Date:</b>	September 2019
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	February 4, 2020

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses
<b>Article(s):</b>	5, Safety
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">February Final Files</a> : F20-0207, item E-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	November 2019
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	February 4, 2020

## 2018 Reports

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses
<b>Article(s):</b>	4, Driver Licenses
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">August Final Files</a> : F-18-0803, item E-3
<b>Due Date:</b>	January 2018; Extended to May 2018
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	August 7, 2018

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	8, Department of Transportation - Fuel Taxes
<b>Article(s):</b>	6, Motor Fuel Refunds
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">April Final Files</a> : F-18-0407, item F-6
<b>Due Date:</b>	January 2018
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	April 3, 2018

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	6, Department of Transportation - Oversize and Overweight Special Permits
<b>Article(s):</b>	1, General Provisions; 2, Special Permit Classes and Fees; 3, Safety Requirements; 4, Transport Provisions; and 5, Envelope Permit Special Provisions
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">July Final Files</a> : F-18-0701, item F-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	March 2018; Extended to July 2018
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	July 12, 2018

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses
<b>Article(s):</b>	2, Vehicle Title and 3, Vehicle Registration
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">September Final Files</a> : F-18-0903, item E-3
<b>Due Date:</b>	June 2018
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	September 11, 2018

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	7, Department of Transportation - Third-Party Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	1, Definitions; 2, Authorization; 3, Certification; 4, Audits and Inspection; 5, Selection Panel; 6, Commercial Driver License Examination Program; and 7, Driver License Training Provider Program
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">December Final Files</a> : F-18-1203, item E-5
<b>Due Date:</b>	July 2018; Extended to November 2018
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	December 4, 2018

### 2017 Reports

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
<b>Article(s):</b>	8, Mandatory Insurance and Financial Responsibility
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">July Final Files - Part 1</a> : F-17-0601, item E-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	March 2017
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	July 6, 2017

Report	
<b>Title:</b>	17, Transportation
<b>Chapter:</b>	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses
<b>Article(s):</b>	8, Motor Vehicle Records
<b>Submitted Report:</b>	<a href="#">March 2018 Final Files</a> : F-18-0306, item G-2
<b>Due Date:</b>	December 2017
<b>Council Approval Date:</b>	March 6, 2018