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Rules and Policy Development

Current Rulemaking Activity

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:	Oversize and Overweight Special Permits - Technical Corrections (Amend)		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	6, Department of Transportation – Oversize and Overweight Special Permits		
Article(s):	1, General Provisions; 2, Special Permit Classes and Fees; 3, Safety Requirements; 4, Transport Provisions; and		
Section(s):	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 R17-6-210, Table 5, R17-6-211, R17-6-212, Table 6, Table 7, R17-6-302, Illustration 1, R17-6-303, R17-6-304, Illustration 4, R17-6-305 through R17-6-307, R17-6-401 through R17-6-411, Illustration 3, Tables 3.01 through 3.09, 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.)		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 27 A.A.R. 2375, October 22, 2021		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 27 A.A.R. 2397, October 29, 2021		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:		
Description:	<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 19 A.A.R. 2486, August 16, 2013.</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>		
Comments:	JLindley@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	December 1, 2021 1:00 p.m.		
	Google Meet: Phone: (US) +1 518-499-6130 PIN: 709 387 986# Web address: https://meet.google.com/qad-rpjz-unx		
	Due to health concerns, this meeting will be held virtually. Virtual access will be provided through Google Meet. Anyone may access this meeting via the phone number or web address provided above. It is not necessary to have a Google account to participate in this meeting, except when using a mobile device to join a video meeting through the web address. Any changes to the meeting information will be posted at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact the person listed above.		
Close of Record:	December 1, 2021		
Council Date:	Tentatively February 1, 2022	Rule Effective Date*:	To be determined

The following rulemaking was reviewed per Executive Order 2021-02. On May 21, 2021, the Department received authorization from the Governor's Office to proceed with this rulemaking.

Rule Package:	Telecommunication Facilities (New)		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	To be determined		
Article(s):	To be determined		
Section(s):	To be determined		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening:		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking:		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking:		
Description:	The Department engages in this rulemaking in order to implement Laws 2021, Chapter 351 (HB2596) , which allows for a telecommunication facility installation in a highway right-of-way by the Department or a provider, as defined in A.R.S. § 28-7381, and allows for access to the Department's spare conduit and its related facilities to private telecommunications companies.		
Comments:	COlson2@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	To be determined		
Close of Record:	To be determined		
Council Date:	To be determined	Rule Effective Date*:	To be determined

*Rule effective dates are approximate. Generally, rules become effective sixty days after filing a Notice of Final Rulemaking with the Office of the Secretary of State. 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.

Completed Rulemaking Activity

The following rulemaking activities are complete and will remain listed until the rules are finally codified in 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.

Rule Package:	Motor Carrier Safety: Incorporation of Federal Regulations (Amend)		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses		
Article(s):	5, Safety and 7, Hazardous Materials Endorsement		
Section(s):	R17-4-508, R17-4-701, R17-4-702, R17-4-708, and R17-4-709		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 27 A.A.R. 676, April 30, 2021		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 27 A.A.R. 646, April 30, 2021		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking: Filed with the Office of the Secretary of State on November 2, 2021		
Description:	The Department, in partnership with the Arizona Department of Public Safety, 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. These regulations include the physical qualifications of commercial driver license holders and the issuance of the hazardous materials endorsement. This rulemaking will ensure its rules are consistent and current with federal regulations, including where a search may be performed to locate a certified medical examiner listed on the National Registry of Certified Medical Examiners, and incorporates the 2020 edition of 49 CFR 1572 for the hazardous materials endorsement.		
Comments:	COlson2@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	June 3, 2021		
Close of Record:	June 3, 2021		
Council Date:	November 2, 2021, November Final Files	Rule Effective Date:	November 2, 2021

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)		
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
Article(s):	2, Motor Carriers		
Section(s):	R17-5-201 through R17-5-203, R17-5-205, R17-5-206, and R17-5-208 through R17-5-212		
A.A.R. Citation:	Notice of Rulemaking Docket Opening: 27 A.A.R. 676, April 30, 2021		
	Notice of Proposed Rulemaking: 27 A.A.R. 649, April 30, 2021		
	Notice of Final Rulemaking: Filed with the Office of the Secretary of State on November 2, 2021		
Description:	The Department, in partnership with the Arizona Department of Public Safety, 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 Departments rely on these federal monies to fund numerous enforcement positions.		
Comments:	COlson2@azdot.gov		
Oral Proceeding:	June 3, 2021		
Close of Record:	June 3, 2021		
Council Date:	November 2, 2021, November Final Files	Rule Effective Date:	November 2, 2021

Rule Review Reports

2022 Reports

Report			
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
Article(s):	10, Vehicle for Hire		
Submitted Report:	To be determined		
Due Date:	February 2022	Council Approval Date:	To be determined

Report			
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
Article(s):	8, Mandatory Insurance and Financial Responsibility		
Submitted Report:	To be determined		
Due Date:	March 2022	Council Approval Date:	To be determined

Report			
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses		
Article(s):	8, Motor Vehicle Records		
Submitted Report:	To be determined		
Due Date:	December 2022	Council Approval Date:	To be determined

2021 Reports

Report			
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
Article(s):	2, Motor Carriers		
Submitted Report:	April Final Files : item D-5		
Due Date:	January 2021	Council Approval Date:	April 6, 2021

Report			
Title:	17, Transportation		
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs		
Article(s):	4, Dealers		
Submitted Report:	April Final Files : item D-4		
Due Date:	January 2021	Council Approval Date:	April 6, 2021

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	4, Department of Transportation - Title, Registration, and Driver Licenses
Article(s):	7, Hazardous Materials Endorsement
Submitted Report:	September Final Files : item E-2
Due Date:	June 2021
Council Approval Date:	September 8, 2021

2020 Reports

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

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

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

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
Article(s):	3, Professional Driver Services
Submitted Report:	December Final Files : item E-2
Due Date:	August 2020
Council Approval Date:	December 1, 2020

2019 Reports

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	8, Department of Transportation - Fuel Taxes
Article(s):	4, Electronic Funds Transfers and 5, Electronic Fuel Tax Reporting
Submitted Report:	May Final Files : F19-0507, item E-8
Due Date:	January 2019
Council Approval Date:	May 7, 2019

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	1, Department of Transportation - Administration
Article(s):	1, General Provisions; 2, Fees; 3, Taxes; 5, Administrative Hearings; 6, Solicitation; and 7, Advertising and Sponsorship Program
Submitted Report:	July Final Files : F19-0702, item E-1
Due Date:	February 2019
Council Approval Date:	July 2, 2019

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	2, Department of Transportation - Aeronautics
Article(s):	1, General Provisions and 2, Grand Canyon National Park Airport - Operation and Management
Submitted Report:	May Final Files : F19-0513, item E-9
Due Date:	February 2019
Council Approval Date:	May 7, 2019

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	5, Department of Transportation - Commercial Programs
Article(s):	6, Ignition Interlock Device Manufacturers and Ignition Interlock Service Providers and 7, Ignition Interlock Device Technicians
Submitted Report:	August Final Files : 019-0801, item F-1
Due Date:	June 2019
Council Approval Date:	August 6, 2019

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	3, Department of Transportation - Highways
Article(s):	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
Submitted Report:	February Final Files : F20-0101, item E-1
Due Date:	September 2019
Council Approval Date:	February 4, 2020

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

2018 Reports

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

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	8, Department of Transportation - Fuel Taxes
Article(s):	6, Motor Fuel Refunds
Submitted Report:	April Final Files : F-18-0407, item F-6
Due Date:	January 2018
Council Approval Date:	April 3, 2018

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

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

Report	
Title:	17, Transportation
Chapter:	7, Department of Transportation - Third-Party Programs
Article(s):	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
Submitted Report:	December Final Files : F-18-1203, item E-5
Due Date:	July 2018; Extended to November 2018
Council Approval Date:	December 4, 2018