

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION REGISTRAR'S EXEMPTION

The Assistant Deputy Minister of the Transportation Services Division, Alberta Transportation, pursuant to section 114 of Alberta's *Vehicle Equipment Regulation* (AR122/2009), subject to the conditions and restrictions noted below, hereby exempts truck tractors, as defined under section 1(zz) of Alberta's *Commercial Vehicle Dimension and Weight Regulation* (AR315/2002), from the requirement under section 64(2) of Alberta's *Vehicle Equipment Regulation* (AR122/2009) while the truck tractor is operated without a trailer (bob-tailing). In this exemption bob-tailing means the operation of a truck tractor without a trailer attached.

Conditions:

- 1. Commercially operated truck tractors while bob-tailing are exempted from the requirements for fenders or covers over top of the rear drive wheels so long as the rear of the axle group is equipped with mudguards or mudflaps that are providing wheel splash and stone throw protection.
- 2. The mudguards or mudflaps must extend downwards from the height of the wheels to a distance away from the ground equivalent to at least 1/3 of the horizontal distance from the bottom edge of the mudguard to the centre line of the axle, but not closer to the ground than 150 millimetres when the vehicle is loaded.

This exemption / permit expires on December 1, 2022.

Signature:

Assistant Deputy Minister Transportation Services Division Alberta Transportation

Date:

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