

Commercial Vehicle Safety & Enforcement

Commercial Transport Department AMENDMENT NOTICE

To All Permit Issuers, Industry and the General Public

Amendment Notice of Postponement of Scheduled Trailer Weight Reductions

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to advise and notify the trucking industry of Commercial Vehicle and Safety Enforcement's intent to defer the enactment of the scheduled trailer weight reductions until December 31, 2012.

The evaluation will determine if proposed changes to commercial vehicle weight allowances will have a "direct and measurable" safety benefit to the operation of commercial vehicles covered under section 7.26 and appendices F, H and I of the Commercial Transport Regulations including tridem hayrack semi-trailers.

The Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure will share the evaluation results with industry as well as provide engagement discussion regarding any proposed changes and impacts to industry and subsequent allowances for adjustment of current practices.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this notification, please contact Brian G. Murray, Director of Commercial Vehicle Safety Enforcement Branch at 250-953-4024 or by e-mail at Brian.Murray@gov.bc.ca.

Yours truly,

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