

252. WEIGHTS OF VEHICLES AND LOADS—PNEUMATIC TIRES; MAXIMUM AXLES LOADS PER INCH WIDTH OF TIRES. No motor vehicle or physically connected combination of motor vehicles, mounted on pneumatic tires, shall have an axle load in excess of six hundred (600) pounds per inch of the aggregate width of its tires (measured at the point of greatest width of each tire) or more than twenty-two thousand four hundred (22,400) pounds in any event.

253. COUPLED AXLES—MAXIMUM LOAD. Provided, however, that with respect to any vehicle containing coupled axles spaced less than fifty (50) inches apart measured horizontally between their center lines, the load for each of such coupled axles shall not exceed eighteen thousand (18,000) pounds, but no such vehicle equipped with more than two such coupled axles shall be operated over any public highway of this State without the special permission of the State Roads Commission.

254. FORMULA FOR MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT. (a) No motor vehicle or combination of motor vehicles mounted on pneumatic tires shall have a gross weight in pounds including load, in excess of that derived from the formula 750 times (L plus 40) in which L shall be the distance in feet measured horizontally between the center lines of the first and the last axles of the vehicle or combination.

255. MAXIMUM OVERALL LENGTH OF VEHICLES. No vehicle or physically connected combination of motor vehicles shall exceed fifty-five feet in overall length.

256. MAXIMUM AXLE LOAD OF COMBINATION OF VEHICLES. No physically connected combination of motor vehicles other than a tractor semi-trailer combination shall have an axle load in excess of eighteen thousand (18,000) pounds.

257. GROSS LOAD OF METAL TIRE TRAILERS. Trailers equipped with metal tires bearing a gross load in excess of six thousand (6,000) pounds shall not be allowed on State highways; provided nothing contained in Section 247 to Section 259, inclusive, shall make unlawful the registration or operation upon the highways of this State of any commercial motor vehicle or passenger bus, now registered in this State.

258. PARTIES TO A CRIME. Every person who commits, attempts to commit, conspires to commit, or aid or abets in the commission of, any act declared herein to be a crime, whether individually or in connection with one or more other persons or as principal, agent, or accessory, shall be guilty of such offense, and every person who falsely, fraudulently,