

(ii) Crew or racing shells.

(2) This section does not prohibit the use of a combination of vehicles to carry an indivisible load if the load is not over 70 feet long.

~~(d) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a bus, a single unit truck, or a Class M motor home may not be over 40 feet long.~~

~~(e) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a publicly owned rigid bus may not be over 41 feet long.~~

~~(2) The length of a [bus on any highway that is part of the interstate system or State primary system may not exceed 45 feet.] BUS, OTHER THAN A PUBLICLY OWNED RIGID BUS OR A CLASS M MOTOR HOME MAY NOT EXCEED 45 FEET BUT MAY EXCEED 40 FEET IF IT IS BEING OPERATED ON:~~

~~(I) ANY PART OF THE INTERSTATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM OR THE STATE PRIMARY SYSTEM; OR~~

~~(II) THE SHORTEST PRACTICAL ROUTE BETWEEN AN INTERSTATE HIGHWAY OR A STATE PRIMARY HIGHWAY AND:~~

~~1. ITS POINT OF ORIGIN OR DESTINATION FOR A PARTICULAR DAY; OR~~

~~2. FOR A DISTANCE NOT TO EXCEED 1 MILE, FACILITIES FOR FOOD, FUEL, REPAIRS, OR REST.~~

(D) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION:

(1) A BUS, SINGLE UNIT TRUCK, OR CLASS M MOTOR HOME MAY NOT BE OVER 40 FEET LONG; AND

(2) A PUBLICLY OWNED RIGID BUS MAY NOT BE OVER 41 FEET LONG.

(E) (1) THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A PUBLICLY OWNED RIGID BUS.

(2) A BUS OR A CLASS M MOTOR HOME MAY BE OVER 40 FEET LONG BUT MAY NOT BE OVER 45 FEET LONG:

(I) WHEN OPERATED ON AN INTERSTATE HIGHWAY OR ANY PART OF THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM DESIGNATED BY THE SECRETARY IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION; OR

(II) WHEN OPERATED ON A HIGHWAY THAT IS NOT SPECIFIED IN ITEM (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH IF THE BUS OR MOTOR HOME IS USING THE HIGHWAY TO TRAVEL THE SHORTEST PRACTICAL ROUTE BETWEEN A HIGHWAY SPECIFIED IN ITEM (I) OF THIS PARAGRAPH AND:

1. THE POINT OF ORIGIN OR DESTINATION OF THE BUS OR MOTOR HOME ON A PARTICULAR DAY;

2. A BUS TERMINAL; OR