

(1) In a combination of vehicles with a power unit that is a cargo carrying vehicle, the overall length of the combination may not exceed 55 feet; and

(2) Any other COMBINATION OF [vehicle] VEHICLES may not exceed 55 feet.

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(c) (1) A vehicle carrying agricultural or forest products that have been loaded in fields or other off-highway locations is permitted an axle load limit tolerance of 10 percent.

(2) A SINGLE UNIT VEHICLE WITH 3 AXLES, EITHER REGISTERED AS A FARM TRUCK OR CARRYING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS, IS PERMITTED AN AXLE LOAD LIMIT TOLERANCE OF 5 PERCENT FROM § 24-109(B) AND (C), EXCEPT DURING HARVEST TIME WHEN A TOLERANCE OF 15 PERCENT FROM § 24-109(B) AND (C) IS PERMITTED FOR A VEHICLE CARRYING THE FOLLOWING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS:

(I) WHEAT, FOR THE PERIOD FROM JUNE 1 TO AUGUST 15;

(II) CORN, FOR THE PERIOD FROM JULY 1 TO DECEMBER 1; AND

(III) SOYBEANS, FOR THE PERIOD FROM SEPTEMBER 1 TO DECEMBER 1.

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(a) (1) The provisions of subsections (b) and (c) of this section providing for the formula to be applied to interior axle measurements may not apply to those vehicles qualified in this subsection. For those vehicles qualifying under this subsection the measurement may be made only between the first and last axles of the vehicle or combination of vehicles.

(2) To qualify under this subsection the vehicle must have been titled and registered in this State prior to December 31, 1983, and when operated singly or in combination with another vehicle, cannot comply with the weight limitations imposed by the interior axle measurements.

(3) This exception shall also apply to a single unit vehicle that has been titled and registered in this State prior to December 31, 1983 and which cannot comply with the weight limitations imposed by the exterior axle measurements.

(4) Upon application to the Department by the owner of a vehicle qualifying under paragraph (2) or (3) of this subsection, the Department may issue a special registration or permit to allow the operation of the vehicle under the exemption provided in this subsection until April 30, 1991.