

(i) On both sides, by sideboards or sidepanels;

(ii) On the front, by a board or panel or by the cab of the vehicle; and

(iii) On the rear, by a tailgate, board, or panel.

(2) (I) The enclosures required by paragraph (1) of this subsection shall be constructed so as to prevent any part of the load from blowing, falling, or spilling out of the vehicle.

(II) No part of the load touching any of these enclosures may be within 6 inches of the top of the part of the enclosure that it touches, ~~AND THE HIGHEST POINT OF THE LOAD MAY NOT BE HIGHER THAN ANY OF THESE ENCLOSURES,~~ unless the load is covered with a ~~firmly secured~~ canvas or ~~similar type covering~~ other type cover approved by the administration that is secured as provided in subsection (E)(3) of this section.

(III) IF THE VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S ORIGINAL DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS FOR BED ENCLOSURES HAVE BEEN ALTERED TO INCREASE THE VEHICLE'S LOAD CAPACITY, NO PART OF THE LOAD TOUCHING ANY OF THESE ENCLOSURES MAY BE WITHIN 6 INCHES OF THE TOP OF THE PART OF THE ENCLOSURE THAT IT TOUCHES AND THE HIGHEST POINT OF THE LOAD MAY NOT BE HIGHER THAN ANY OF THESE ENCLOSURES, UNLESS THE LOAD IS COVERED WITH A CANVAS OR OTHER TYPE COVER APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATION THAT IS SECURED AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (E)(3) OF THIS SECTION.

(3) This subsection does not apply to:

(i) Any load-carrying vehicle with a compartment that fully encloses the load; or

(ii) A vehicle in which the load is suitably covered or secured by other means that prevent the escape of the loose material.

(E) (1) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION DO NOT APPLY TO:

(I) ANY CLASS K (FARM AREA) VEHICLE AS DEFINED IN § 13-935 OF THIS ARTICLE;

(II) ANY CLASS E (TRUCK) VEHICLE REGISTERED OR CAPABLE OF BEING REGISTERED UNDER § 13-917 OF THIS ARTICLE IF THE VEHICLE MANUFACTURER'S ORIGINAL DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS FOR BED ENCLOSURES HAVE NOT BEEN ALTERED TO INCREASE THE VEHICLE'S LOAD CAPACITY;

(III) ANY CONSTRUCTION VEHICLE WORKING WITHIN THE CONFINES OF A PUBLIC WORKS CONSTRUCTION PROJECT SITE AS OUTLINED IN THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT'S PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS,