Council of Deputy Ministers Responsible for Transportation and Highway Safety

Task Force on Vehicle Weights and Dimensions Policy

Government/Industry Meeting – Oversize/Overweight Special Permits

Pierre de Coubertin Room,
Omni Mont-Royal Hotel
1050 Sherbrooke Street West

Tuesday December 1 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Draft Agenda (*Nov 23*)

1. **Welcome and Opening**
2. **Adoption of Agenda**
3. **Special Permits for Oversize/Overweight Loads**
   - **a.** Context and Overview
4. **MOU on Interprovincial Trucking – June 2026**
   - **a. Movement of Oversize/Overweight Loads**
     - i. Signage, Lighting, Flags, etc. for Oversized Vehicles
     - ii. Escort Vehicles – Specification, signing and lighting
     - iii. Escort Vehicles - Driver Qualifications
     - iv. Escort Vehicle Driver Training/Certification
     - v. Daylight vs Night-Time Operations
     - vi. Construction Zones – Minimum Lane Width
     - vii. Permit Delivery Service Standards
     - viii. Permit Application Information Required
5. **Industry Presentations & Discussion**
   - **a. Mobile Crane Database** — Clair Belanger-Parker, CCRA & Duru Kocer, U of Alberta
   - **b. Heavy Vehicle Access Management System** — Clinton Connell, BC Crane Safety
   - **c. Sensor technology** — Gary Saigh, Flexco Industries Inc.
   - **d. Bridge Formula Research Project** — Mohamed Elgammal, U of Alberta
   - **e. Update: Development of a Competency - Based Pilot Training Program** — Randy Saueracker, Jim Roemmich & Bill Beveridge, Canadian Pilot Truck Training Ltd
   - **f. Pilot Car Industry Update** — Heather Murray, Sparrow Pilot Car
   - **g. Specialized Carriers and Rigging Assn Update** — Chris Smith, SCRA
6. **Other Business**
7. **Adjournment**