



**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 2 – 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Draft Agenda (Nov 24)

- 1. Welcome and Opening**
- 2. Adoption of Agenda**
- 3. Special Permits for Oversize/Overweight Loads**
 - a. Context and Overview**
- 4. Presentations**
 - a. Bridge Formula Research Project – Initial Findings** U of Alberta/CCRA
 - b. Western Canada Mobile Crane Harmonization** Clair Belanger-Parker, CCRA
 - c. Aligning Oversize Weights and Dimensions critical for Alberta and Canada Success**
Andrew Barnes, AMTA
 - d. What's Next for OS/OW: Real-Time Sensing, Route Discipline, Cross Jurisdictional Data**
SolTec Innovation
 - e. Pilot Car Industry Update** Heather Murray, Sparrow Pilot Car
 - f. A Rationale for Development of a Competency -Based Pilot Training Program**
Randy Saueracker & Jim Roemmich, Canadian Pilot Truck Training Ltd
- 5. Internal Trade - Movement of Oversize/Overweight Loads**
 - a. MOU on Interprovincial Trucking**
 - b. Oversize and Overweight Loads – Draft Proposals for Minimum National Standards**
 - i. Signage, Lighting, Flags, etc. for Oversized Vehicles
 - ii. Escort Vehicles – Specification, signing and lighting
 - iii. Escort Vehicles - Driver Qualifications
 - c. Other Issues**
 - i. Escort Vehicle Driver Training/Certification
 - ii. Daylight vs Night-Time Operations
 - iii. Construction Zones – Minimum Lane Width
 - iv. Permit Delivery Service Standards
 - v. Permit Application Information Required

6. Internal Trade and Long Combination Vehicle Operations

a. Eastern provinces (ON, QC, NB, NS)

- i. Transporting Products not requiring an Emergency Response Assistance Plan
- ii. Driver Qualification and Certification

b. Western provinces (BC, AB, SK, MB)

- i. Driver Qualification and Certification

7. Other Business

8. Adjournment