

GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
EXEMPTION BY REGISTRAR

The Assistant Deputy Minister of the Transportation Safety Services Division, Alberta Transportation, pursuant to section 62(1)(a)(iii) of the *Traffic Safety Act*, and section 114(1) of the *Vehicle Equipment Regulation AR122/2009*, subject to the conditions and restrictions noted below, hereby exempts truck tractors, as defined under section 1(zz) of the *Commercial Vehicle Dimension and Weight Regulation AR315/2002*, from the requirement under section 64(2) of the *Vehicle Equipment Regulation AR122/2009* while the truck tractor is operated without a trailer (Bob Tailing). In this exemption, Bob Tailing means; the operation of a truck tractor without a trailer attached.

Conditions:

Bob tailing truck tractors must comply with the following mudguard requirements:

1. Commercially operated truck tractors while bob tailing, are exempted from the requirement for fenders or covers over top of the rear drive wheels, so long as; the rear of the axle group is equipped with mudguards that are providing wheel splash and stone throw protection.
2. Mudguards must extend from the height of the wheels downwards, and must be; a distance away from the ground equivalent to at least 1/3 of the horizontal distance from the bottom edge of the mudguard to the centre line of the axle, but not closer to the ground than 150 millimetres when the vehicle is loaded.

This exemption / permit expire on December 31, 2012.

Dated at Edmonton, Alberta, this 30 day of September, 2009.



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