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Dear Sir / Madam

REVISED OVERSIZED VEHICLE MOVEMENT REGIME

1. The Land Transport Authority (LTA) is pleased to inform you that from **10 October 2016 (Monday)**, the oversized vehicle movement (OVM) regime will implement new width requirements for both permit and auxiliary police escort, and also a new permit condition to enhance the visibility of oversized vehicles.
2. The width requirement for permit will be revised from "an overall width of more than 2.6 metres" to "an overall width of more than 3.0 metres".
3. However, OVM on "controlled roads" (i.e. roads with narrower lanes) will still retain the width requirement for permit of an overall width of more than 2.6 metres. Please visit the LTA.PROMPT website from 10 October 2016 for the list of controlled roads.
4. The width requirement for auxiliary police escort will be revised from "an overall width of 3.0 metres or more" to "an overall width of more than 3.4 metres".
5. From 1 January 2017, there is a need to display an "OVERSIZED VEHICLE" sign at the rear of the oversized vehicle. This aims to improve road safety by enhancing the visibility of the oversized vehicle and alerting other road users to its presence.
6. Please refer to **Annex A** for a summary of the revised OVM regime, **Annex B** for the specifications of the "OVERSIZED VEHICLE" sign.
7. For more enquiries, please contact us at LTA-Oversized_Veh_Movement@lta.gov.sg.

Yours sincerely



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Enclosures:

Annex A - Summary of revised OVM regime

Annex B - Specifications of "OVERSIZED VEHICLE" sign

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SUMMARY OF REVISED OVM REGIME

Regime	Current Conditions	New Conditions
Unrestricted travel without permit	Overall width $\leq 2.6\text{m}$	Overall width $\leq 3.0\text{m}^*$
Controlled travel with permit	$2.6\text{m} <$ Overall width $< 3.0\text{m}$	$3.0\text{m} <$ Overall width $\leq 3.4\text{m}$
Controlled travel with permit & APF escort	Overall width $\geq 3.0\text{m}$	Overall width $> 3.4\text{m}$

*Controlled travel with permit for vehicles wider than 2.6 metres to travel on controlled roads.

OVERSIZED VEHICLE SIGN SPECIFICATIONS



BASE PLATE

- Material : 1mm thick aluminium sheeting
- Width : 420mm
- Height : 297mm
- Radius Corners : 10mm

BACKGROUND & BORDER

- Material : ASTM D4956-13 Type XI sheeting or equivalent
- Background colour : Fluorescent Yellow Green
- Border colour : Fluorescent Orange (Thickness: 20mm)

LETTERINGS

- Font type : Franklin Gothic Medium Condensed (Bold)
- Font size : 210
- Colour : 100% Opaque Black
- Message : OVERSIZED VEHICLE (All UPPER CASE on two separate lines)
- Alignment : Centered (Horizontally & Vertically)

SIGN PLACEMENT GUIDELINES

The sign shall be displayed prominently on the rear of an oversized vehicle, and must not obstruct the driver's rear view, side view, vehicle lamps, and vehicle licence plate.