

OREGON

CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Possible future pilot/escort certification, but at the time of publication no certification is required.

PILOT/ESCORT PERSONAL REQUIREMENT:

Have valid operators license from the state of domicile.
Driver may act as flag person.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

None noted on regulations

PILOT/ESCORT VEHICLE SIGNS, LIGHTS AND EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS:

WARNING SIGNS: Mounting Location: Front Bumper: Not Acceptable
Rear Bumper: Not Acceptable
Roof or Top Mount: Acceptable
Preferred wording: "OVERSIZE LOAD" required
Size: 5' long by 10" high
Color: Yellow Background
Letters: Black
Size of Letters: 8" high with 1" brush stroke, Series B
Signs must be removed, retracted or covered when not in use.
Must be mounted to afford full view at all times.

WARNING LIGHTS: Type: Flashing or *Revolving. NO STROBE ALLOWED
Color: Amber
Size of Lights: 4" minimum diameter, 30 FPM min.
*125 Sq. Inches, 30 FPM min.
Number: (2) Two Flashing, (1) One Revolving
Location: Roof and at ends of sign brackets
Power: 30 CP
Sight Distance: 500' during normal sunlight
Visibility: 360 Degrees
Headlights/Taillights: Turned on at all times of movement

FLAG REQUIREMENTS: Color of Flags: None noted on regulations
Size of Flags: None noted on regulations
Mounting Location: None noted on regulations

COMMUNICATION REQUIREMENT:
Type: Two-way communication required
Range: None noted on regulations
Use: All times of load movement

SAFETY EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS:
(2) 18" Red Flags with 36" Staff
(8) Safety Flares or Reflectors

NUMBER OF ESCORTS REQUIRED:

WIDTH	Interstate & Multilane Highways	Routes Shown in Green on Route Map 2	Routes Shown in Purple on Route Map 2	Group Map 1 Group 1 Highways	Group Map 1 Group 2 Highways	Group Map 1 Group 3 Highways
8'7" - 09'	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	ONE	TWO
9'1" - 10'	NONE	NONE	ONE	ONE	ONE	TWO
10'1" - 11'	NONE	ONE	ONE	ONE	ONE	TWO
11'1" - 12'	NONE	ONE	ONE	TWO	TWO	TWO
12'1" - 14'	ONE	ONE	TWO	TWO	TWO	TWO
14'1" - 16'	ONE IN REAR	TWO	TWO	TWO	TWO	TWO
OVER 16'	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT

LENGTH	Interstate & Multi-Lane Hwys	Route Map 2 Green Route	Two-Lane Highway
95' - 105'	NONE	NONE	ONE
105'1" - 120'	NONE	ONE	ONE
120'1" - 140'	ONE IN REAR	TWO	TWO
OVER 140'	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT	SEE PERMIT

TRAVEL TIMES/RESTRICTIONS:

WIDTH	TRAVEL DURING HOURS OF DARKNESS ON RT. MAP 2 GREEN ROUTES WITH MARKER LIGHTS ON OUTERMOST POINTS - YEAR ROUND EXCEPT ON HOLIDAYS	DAYLIGHT TRAVEL SATURDAY AFTERNOON & SUNDAY FROM MEMORIAL DAY (LAST MONDAY IN MAY) TO LABOR DAY (FIRST MONDAY IN SEPT)	PORTLAND, SALEM, EUGENE & MEDFORD URBAN AND SUBURBAN AREAS FROM 7 TO 9 AM AND 4 TO 6 PM ON NON- INTERSTATE HWYS
Up to 10'	ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	ALLOWED
10'1" - 12'	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	ALLOWED
12'1" - 14'	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED
Over 14'	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED	NOT ALLOWED

Travel is prohibited on the following holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day and Christmas from 2:00 pm on last business day preceding observed holiday through 1/2 hour before sunrise on 1st business day following observed holiday. Thanksgiving: from noon Wednesday before Thanksgiving to 1/2 hour before sunrise on Monday following Thanksgiving.

TRAVEL PILOTING/ESCORTING DISTANCES:

Front Car: 300'-500', Rear Car: 300'-500'

HEIGHT POLE REQUIREMENTS:

Required at load heights: Loads exceeding 14'0"

IMPORTANT STATE NUMBERS:

Motor Carrier Transportation Division, Over-Dimensional Permit Unit
550 Capitol Street NE, Salem, OR 97301 (503) 373-000

Site Location:

<http://egov.oregon.gov/ODOT/MCT/OD.shtml#od>

Pilot Car Info:

www.odot.state.or.us/forms/motcarr/od/1994.pdf

www.odot.state.or.us/forms/motcarr/od/2352.pdf

<http://egov.oregon.gov/ODOT/MCT/docs/PilotCarGuide.pdf>

http://uspilotcars.com/oregon_pilot_car_guidelines.html