Farm and Field
Agricultural products to and from the farm @ 90,000 lbs
OVERSIZE/OVERWEIGHT PERMIT INFORMATION SHEET

- Under Wisconsin Statute 348.27 (18) the department may issue annual or consecutive month permits for the **Transportation of Certain Agricultural Products** in vehicles or vehicle combinations that have 6 or more axles. Vehicles or vehicle combinations may exceed the maximum gross weight limitations under s. 348.15 (3) (c) if the vehicle or vehicle combination does not exceed the maximum gross weight limitations under s. 348.29. Notwithstanding s. 348.15 (8), any axle of a vehicle or vehicle combination that does not impose on the highway at least 8 percent of the gross weight of the vehicle or vehicle combination may not be counted as an axle for the purposes of 348.15 (3)(c).
- A permit issued under this subsection does not authorize the operation of any vehicle or vehicle combination at a maximum gross weight in excess of 90,000 pounds.
- "Agricultural product" means any of the following or any combination of the following: fruit, vegetables, grain, including distillers' grain, live livestock, as defined in s. 95.51 (1), and feed or nutritional supplements for livestock.
- "Agricultural product" does not include liquid milk or liquid milk by-products, manure or animal waste, or raw forest products.

**SIZE LIMITATIONS**

- Single Vehicle Length 45'00" (legal)
- Truck & Trailer Length 70'00" (legal)
- Truck-Tractor & Semi Trailer Length 75'00" (legal)
- Overall Width 8'06" (legal)
- Overall Height 13'06" (legal)

**WEIGHT LIMITATIONS**

- Vehicle or vehicle combination cannot exceed the maximum gross weight limitations under Wis. Stats. 348 (15) (3) and 348 (29).
- Maximum weight cannot exceed 90,000 pounds.

**INSURANCE REQUIRED**

- Bodily injury, each person $200,000
- Bodily injury, each accident $650,000
- Property damage, each accident $400,000
- Or combined single limit $1,000,000

**VEHICLE REGISTRATION**

- Vehicle or vehicles must be registered for not less than the maximum registration weight available or the permit weight, whichever is less.
ROUTE LIMITATIONS

- Valid only for the transportation of agricultural products to a farm or from a field or farm to a storage facility on the grower's owned or leased land, a facility for initial storage that is not on the grower's owned or leased land, or a facility for initial processing.
- Not valid on any interstate highway.
- Applicant must submit the complete route(s) of transport, from origin in Wisconsin to destination, which will be used during the time the permit is valid. Applicant may submit no more than three routes.
- The application shall be accompanied by a written statement of route approval by the officer in charge of maintenance of the other highway if the route desired to be used by an applicant for a permit under this subsection will involve municipal, township or county roads.

PERMIT CONDITIONS

- Vehicles may be operated at the posted speed limit.
- Vehicles that are overweight only may operate 24 hours a day, including weekends and holidays.
- Permit is suspended during the spring thaw, usually mid-March through mid-May.
- Apply Online only at: http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/business/carriers/osow-autosys.htm
- Permits may be issued for 3 to 12 months.

PERMIT APPLICATION

FEE INFORMATION

Fees calculated from the effective DAY of the permit, not the calendar months.
(Example: 9/5 to 11/20--greater than 2 months to the day, but less than 3 months--would be 3 months.)

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