

HB 2591-1
(LC 2948)
5/17/19 (HE/ps)

Requested by JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION (at the request of Representative
Caddy McKeown)

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
HOUSE BILL 2591**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after “transportation” insert “; amending ORS
2 818.210; and declaring an emergency”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 9 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1.** ORS 818.210 is amended to read:

5 “818.210. Except as provided under ORS 818.220, a road authority shall
6 not issue a variance permit under ORS 818.200 for any vehicle or load that
7 can readily or reasonably be dismantled or disassembled. The limit under this
8 section does not apply to the following:

9 “(1) Combinations of vehicles consisting of not more than a motor truck
10 with a registration weight of more than 8,000 pounds and two self-supporting
11 trailers or a truck tractor and semitrailer drawing two self-supporting trail-
12 ers or semitrailers mounted on dollies equipped with fifth wheels having an
13 overall length not in excess of 105 feet. The self-supporting trailers or semi-
14 trailers must be reasonably uniform in length.

15 “(2) Vehicles or combinations of vehicles having a length in excess of that
16 permitted under ORS 818.060 or 818.090.

17 “(3) Any self-loading log truck. In the granting of permits to vehicles de-
18 scribed in this subsection, a granting authority shall observe and be gov-
19 erned by the following maximum loaded weights:

20 “(a) The loaded weight of any individual wheel, axle or tandem axles of
21 any vehicle or combination of vehicles shall not exceed the maximum loaded

1 wheel, axle and tandem axle weights set forth in Tables I and II of ORS
2 818.010.

3 “(b) The loaded weight of any group of axles of any vehicle or combina-
4 tion of vehicles, when the distance between the first and last axles of any
5 group of axles is 18 feet or less, and the loaded weight of any vehicle when
6 the distance between the first and last axles of all of the axles of the vehicle
7 is 18 feet or less, shall not exceed that set forth in the following table of
8 weights, or the sum of the permissible axle or tandem axle weights, which-
9 ever is less:

10 “ _____

11	Distance in feet between	Maximum loaded weight,
12	the first and last axles	in pounds, of any
13	of any group of axles of	group of axles of any
14	any vehicle or combination	vehicle or combination
15	of vehicles, or between the	of vehicles, or
16	first and last axles of all	of any vehicle:
17	the axles of any vehicle:	
18	6	34,000
19	7	34,000
20	8	34,000
21	9	39,000
22	10	40,000
23	11	40,000
24	12	40,000
25	13	40,000
26	14	43,200
27	15	44,000
28	16	44,800
29	17	45,600
30	18	50,000

1 “ _____
 2 “(c) The loaded weight of any vehicle or combination of vehicles, where
 3 the distance between the first and last axles of the vehicle or combination
 4 of vehicles is more than 18 feet, shall not exceed that set forth in the fol-
 5 lowing table of weights, or the sum of the permissible axle, tandem axle or
 6 group of axles weights, whichever is less:

7 “ _____

8	Distance	Maximum loaded weight,
9	in feet	in pounds, of any
10	between	vehicle or combination
11	the first	of vehicles:
12	and last	
13	axles of	
14	all the	
15	axles of a	
16	vehicle or	
17	combination	
18	of vehicles:	
19	Wheel	Max 5 Axles 6 Axles 7 Axles 8 or
20	Base	Weight More
21		Axles
22	19.....	50,000
23	20.....	50,000
24	21.....	50,000
25	22.....	50,000
26	23.....	50,400
27	24.....	51,200
28	25.....	55,250
29	26.....	56,100
30	27.....	56,950

1	28.....	57,800				
2	29.....	58,650				
3	30.....	59,500				
4	31.....	60,350				
5	32.....	61,200				
6	33.....	62,050				
7	34.....	62,900				
8	35.....	63,750				
9	36.....	64,600				
10	37.....	65,450				
11	38.....	66,300				
12	39.....	68,000				
13	40.....	70,000	73,000			
14	41.....	72,000	73,500			
15	42.....	73,280	74,500			
16	43.....	73,280	75,000			
17	44.....	73,280	75,500			
18	45.....	73,280	76,000			
19	46.....	73,280	77,000			
20	47.....	73,280	77,500	81,000	81,000	81,000
21	48.....	73,280	78,000	82,000	82,000	82,000
22	49.....	73,280	78,500	83,000	83,000	83,000
23	50.....	73,280	79,500	84,000	84,000	84,000
24	51.....	73,280	80,000	84,500	85,000	85,000
25	52.....	73,600	80,500	85,000	86,000	86,000
26	53.....	74,400	81,000	86,000	87,000	87,000
27	54.....	75,200	81,500	86,500	88,000	91,000
28	55.....	76,000	82,500	87,000	89,000	92,000
29	56.....	-	83,000	87,500	90,000	93,000
30	57.....	-	83,500	88,000	91,000	94,000

1	58.....	-	84,000	89,000	92,000	95,000
2	59.....	-	85,000	89,500	93,000	96,000
3	60.....	-	85,500	90,000	94,000	97,000
4	61.....	-	86,000	90,500	95,000	98,000
5	62.....	-	87,000	91,000	96,000	99,000
6	63.....	-	87,500	92,000	97,000	100,000
7	64.....	-	88,000	92,500	97,500	101,000
8	65.....	-	88,500	93,000	98,000	102,000
9	66.....	-	89,000	93,500	98,500	103,000
10	67.....	-	90,000	94,000	99,000	104,000
11	68.....	-	90,000	95,000	99,500	105,000
12	69.....	-	90,000	95,500	100,000	105,500
13	70.....	-	90,000	96,000	101,000	105,500
14	71.....	-	90,000	96,500	101,500	105,500
15	72.....	-	90,000	96,500	102,000	105,500
16	73.....	-	90,000	96,500	102,500	105,500
17	74.....	-	90,000	96,500	103,000	105,500
18	75.....	-	90,000	96,500	104,000	105,500
19	76.....	-	90,000	96,500	104,500	105,500
20	77.....	-	90,000	96,500	105,000	105,500
21	78.....	-	90,000	96,500	105,500	105,500

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23 “(4) Any vehicle, combination of vehicles, load, article, property, machine
24 or thing that:

25 “(a) Is used in the construction, maintenance or repair of public high-
26 ways; and

27 “(b) Is either not being used by the federal government, State of Oregon
28 or any county or incorporated city or not being used at the immediate lo-
29 cation or site.

30 “(5) Combinations of vehicles having a combined loaded weight in excess

1 of that authorized under Table III of ORS 818.010.

2 “(6) A vehicle engaged in the transportation of secondary wood products,
3 which may be issued a permit for an overlength load. As used in this sub-
4 section, ‘secondary wood products’ means laminated wood products and
5 wooden I-beams. A vehicle engaged in the transportation of secondary wood
6 products may also transport a divisible load of secondary wood products that
7 otherwise exceeds allowable load length limits if:

8 “(a) The load contains a permitted, nondivisible secondary wood product
9 that exceeds the length allowed in ORS 818.080 or 818.100;

10 “(b) The divisible load does not exceed the length allowed for the nondi-
11 visible wood product in the permit; and

12 “(c) Not more than 49 percent of each divisible load item, by length or
13 weight, authorized by this subsection overhangs the vehicle transporting the
14 load.

15 “(7) A vehicle engaged in the transportation of lumber, veneer or plywood,
16 which may be issued a permit for an overwidth load if the width of the di-
17 visible load does not exceed nine feet.

18 “(8) A vehicle transporting an overheight marine container to or from a
19 marine port facility.

20 “(9) A vehicle or combination of vehicles engaged in hauling grass seed
21 straw, grass hay or cereal grain straw, which may be issued a permit to al-
22 low the load to be up to 14 feet 6 inches high. A permit issued under this
23 subsection shall be valid for one year and shall specify the routes over which
24 the overheight load may be hauled.

25 “(10) A vehicle or combination of vehicles that has a variance permit and
26 that can carry items related to the already permitted load without increasing
27 the size of the vehicle needed to carry the item requiring the variance per-
28 mit.

29 “(11) A vehicle engaged in hauling poplar logs or the processing residual
30 from the logs, which may be issued an annual overwidth permit for a vehicle

1 and load with a combined width of not more than 12 feet. The annual permit
2 shall allow movement of the vehicle only on Patterson Ferry Road and
3 Frontage Road in Morrow County and only for a distance of 5,000 feet or
4 less.

5 “(12) A vehicle or combination of vehicles engaged in hauling bagged
6 grass seed or mint leaves in sacks, which may be issued a permit to allow
7 the load to be up to nine feet six inches wide. A permit issued under this
8 subsection shall be valid for one year and shall specify the routes over which
9 the overwidth load may be hauled.

10 **“(13) A combination of a truck tractor and two property-carrying**
11 **units that exceeds the maximum length established under ORS 818.080**
12 **if:**

13 **“(a) The combined length of the two property-carrying units does**
14 **not exceed 82 feet 8 inches;**

15 **“(b) The combination is used only to transport sugar beets; and**

16 **“(c) The combination is operated on U.S. Highway 20, U.S. Highway**
17 **26, U.S. Highway 30 or State Highway 201 in the vicinity of or between**
18 **the cities of Vale, Ontario and Nyssa.**

19 **“SECTION 2. This 2019 Act being necessary for the immediate**
20 **preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is**
21 **declared to exist, and this 2019 Act takes effect on its passage.”.**

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