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Subject: Nevada Emergency Waiver on Trip Permits

To: All Nevada Law Enforcement Agencies:

On August 30, 2021 Governor Steve Sisolak declared a state of emergency due to the Caldor fire in the Lake Tahoe Basin area crossing into the State of Nevada. As a result, in order to assist with fighting of the wildfire as well as delivering needed supplies to those affected, the Department is temporarily suspending all Nevada IRP and IFTA trip and fuel permit requirements, including fees, for vehicles required to obtain such permits under NRS366 and NRS706 while traveling in or through Nevada during the declared fire emergency. A copy of this letter must be retained in each vehicle operating under this waiver and retained with the records kept by the driver for audit purposes.

Nothing in this notice shall be construed to allow any vehicle to operate in the State of Nevada without valid vehicle registration and insurance from its base state, nor shall any vehicle exceed weight limits posted for bridges and like structures. Motor Carriers or drivers currently subject to a State or Federal out-of-service order are not eligible for the relief granted by this declaration.

This waiver does not imply or grant an exception to any Federal laws administered by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, or other state laws regarding the reporting, registration or operation of commercial motor vehicles.

This waiver shall remain in effect until such time as Governor Sisolak lifts the declared state of emergency in Nevada.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Julie Butler'.

Julie Butler, Director  
Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles

CC: Jude Hurin – Deputy Director; Lt. Don Plowman – Nevada Highway Patrol; William Hoffman – Nevada Department of Transportation