

ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1961

NOTICE OF APPROVAL AND EXEMPTION

Pursuant to Sections 161A and 163AA of the Road Traffic Act 1961

TRANSPORT OF AGRICULTURAL VEHICLES CARRIED AS A LOAD

1 REVOCATION OF PREVIOUS NOTICE

I hereby revoke the Notice entitled '*Transport of Agricultural Vehicles Carried as a Load*' that appeared in the *South Australian Government Gazette* dated 14 October 2010.

2 APPROVAL

1.1 Pursuant to Section 161A of the *Road Traffic Act 1961*, I hereby approve:

2.1.1 Articulated Motor Vehicles carrying agricultural vehicles which exceed 4.3 metres in height and/or 2.5 metres in width and/or 19 metres in overall length; and

2.1.2 Rigid Motor Vehicles and Rigid Motor Vehicles towing one trailer carrying agricultural vehicles, which exceed 4.3 metres in height and/or 2.5 metres in width;

to travel on roads in South Australia subject to the conditions specified in this Notice.

3 EXEMPTION

2.1 In accordance with the powers delegated to me by the Minister for Transport, under Section 163AA of the *Road Traffic Act 1961*, I hereby exempt Articulated Motor Vehicles, Rigid Motor Vehicles and Rigid Motor Vehicles towing one trailer that are carrying agricultural vehicles from the following provisions of the:

i) *Road Traffic (Vehicle Standards) Rules 1999*:

- Rule 66 (1) – Width;
- Rule 68 (1) – Length of single trailer in so far as it relates to semi trailers;
- Rule 69 (1)(d) – Length of combinations;
- Rule 70 (1)(b) – Rear overhang;
- Rule 72 (1) – Height; and

ii) *Road Traffic (Mass and Loading Requirements) Regulations 1999*:

- Schedule 1, Part 2, Regulation 6 – Front and side projections, in so far as it relates to side projections;

subject to the conditions specified in this Notice.

4 CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS APPLYING TO THIS NOTICE

4.1 The vehicles described above must operate in accordance with the conditions and limitations specified in the current version of the '*Code of Practice for the Transport of Agricultural Vehicles as Loads*', dated May 2008, issued by the Department for Transport, Energy and Infrastructure (DTEI).

4.2 Travel is not permitted on the section of Park Terrace, Salisbury, between the intersections of Commercial Road/Park Terrace and Salisbury Highway/Waterloo Corner/Park Terrace.

Explanatory Note

Further information on the Park Terrace restriction which includes a map of the location is available from DTEI's Vehicle Permits Team, Regency Park, telephone 1300 882 249 or can be downloaded from DTEI's web site at www.sa.gov.au/heavyvehicles/

4.3 Except as otherwise specified in this Notice, the Standard Form Conditions prescribed in the *Road Traffic (Oversize or Overmass Vehicle Exemptions) Regulations 1999* for the purposes of section 115 of the *Road Traffic Act 1961*, shall not apply.

4.4 From 1st July 2011, when operating under this Notice, you must carry a legible, current and complete copy of this Notice either in hardcopy or in an electronic format so that it can be read from a device having a visual display (e.g. smart phone, tablet or laptop PC, in vehicle unit) that is carried within the vehicle and that is accessible, to a DTEI Authorised Officer appointed under the *Road Traffic Act 1961* or a Police Officer, from outside the vehicle.

5 COMMENCEMENT OF THIS NOTICE

5.1 This Notice is valid from 12:01am on 17 June 2011.

6 AUTHORISATION

BRIAN E HEMMING
Director, Transport Safety Regulation
For and on behalf of the
Executive Director, Safety & Regulation Division
Department for Transport, Energy & Infrastructure
Authorised Delegate for the Minister for Transport