

20 August 2025

**Approved temporary route variation for Class 1 Oversize Over mass combinations via Leichhardt Highway**

Dear Permit Holder,

This letter is to inform you under the section 177 of the *Heavy Vehicle National Law*, the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator in consultation with the Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) will be temporarily restricting access on the Warrego Highway (at Morven) due to road works on Queensland Rail crossing both east and west of Morven.

From 20 August 2025, all vehicle combinations that have either a Ground Contact Width (GCW) that exceeds 3.0m and / or a load width that exceeds 3.5m that comply with the maximum allowable mass tables outlined below are required to use the alternate route approved in this Variation Letter.

**Maximum allowable mass – vehicle combinations using the alternative route, must not exceed the below masses.**

Trailing Unit	Minimum No. Tyres per axle	Minimum Axle Spacings	Minimum Ground Contact Width	Maximum T Per Line
Platform (up to 10 axles)	8	1.8m	At Least 3.4m	15T

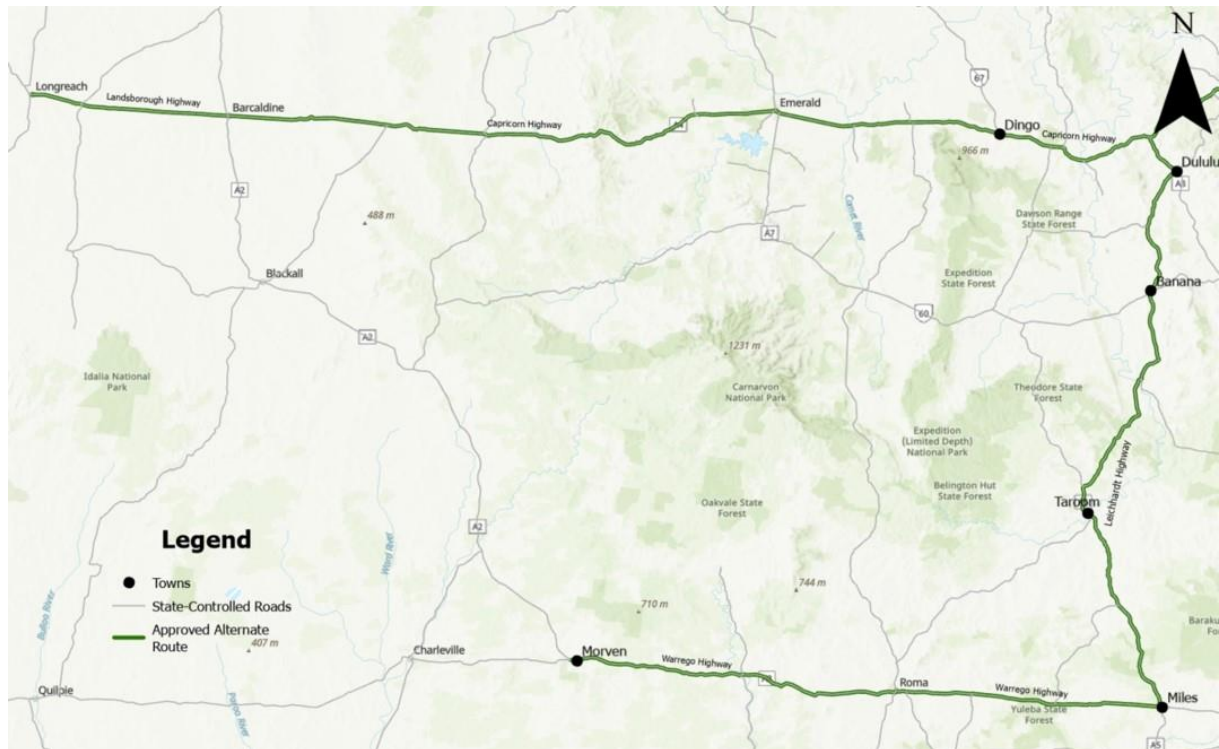
Trailing Unit	No. Tyres per axle	Centre of Drive to Last Dolly Axle	Ground Contact Width	T Per Line
2 Axle Dolly	4	6m	At Least 3.0m	9.25T
2 Axle Dolly	8	6m	At Least 3.0m	14.0T

Trailing Unit	Minimum No. Tyres per axle	Minimum Axle Spacings	Minimum Ground Contact Width	Maximum T Per Line	Maximum Total number of Trailer Axles (with dolly)
Tri Axle Low Loader	4	1.2m	At Least 3.0m	8.3T	3
Spread Quad Low Loader	4	1.2m, 2.4m, 1.2m	At Least 3.0m	8.75T	4
Tri Axle Low Loader	8	1.8m	At Least 3.0m	14.3T	3
Spread Quad Low Loader	8	1.2m, 2.4m, 1.2m	At Least 3.0m	12.5T	4
5-Axle Low Loader	8	1.2m, 1.2m, 1.2m, 1.2m, 1.2m	At Least 3.0m	10T	5

In order to use the alternate route you must:

- Hold an approved current permit for access on the Warrego Highway via Morven (between Roma and Charleville)
- Comply with all conditions stated on the current permit, and
- Scope the route prior to travel to ensure the combination can travel safely.

Approved alternate route via the Leichhardt Highway (Route ID [1GZP7-4 v6](#))



This temporary variation letter is valid for the duration of your current permit or until the Queensland Rail crossing works on the Warrego Highway at Morven (between Roma and Charleville) are completed.

A copy of this letter must be carried along with the permit and produced to an authorised officer upon request.

Yours sincerely,

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**National Heavy Vehicle Regulator**