

Transitioned notices – Victoria

From 9 February 2019, all transitional notices will cease to be effective.

Transitional notices are gazetted notices, guidelines, exemptions and other legal instruments that were made under state and territory legislation prior to the commencement of the HVNL in 2014.

What's changing?

All transitional notices have been reviewed in consultation with their originating state or territory, and:

- made redundant and not renewed
or
- consolidated into national or multi-state notices
or
- incorporated into state HVNL notices.

Some notices that cover similar vehicle types or operational purposes have been combined into national and multi-state notices to simplify regulatory requirements.

Notices that apply in all jurisdictions have been updated to reflect the HVNL, with operating conditions, exemptions and access unchanged.

State-specific notices that have been transitioned maintain their current form but have changed their name.

See table overleaf for description of any changes.

It is important to note that there will be no changes to operating conditions, exemptions or access under the new notices.

Operator compliance responsibility

While operators are not required under the HVNL to carry the new notice and schedule, they are encouraged to become familiar with the content of these, as it is a legal requirement that they comply with the conditions when operating under the notice.

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Expiring notice	Updated notice	Updates
<i>Victoria Class 3 Container Vehicle, Rearloader Waste Vehicle and Converter Dolly Combination Vehicle Mass and Dimension Exemption (Notice) 2014 (No. 1)</i>	<p>Victoria Class 3 Container Vehicle, Rearloader Waste Vehicle And Converter Dolly Combination Vehicle Mass And Dimension Exemption Notice 2019 (No.1) (PDF, 899KB)</p> <p>Exempts stated categories of class 3 heavy vehicles from prescribed mass and dimension requirements.</p>	References updated.
<i>Victoria Class 1 Heavy Vehicle Load Carrying Vehicles, Special Purpose Vehicles and Agricultural Vehicles Mass and Dimension Exemption (Notice) 2014 (No. 1)</i>	<p>Victoria Class 1 Load Carrying Vehicle and Special Purpose Vehicle Mass And Dimension Exemption Notice 2019 (No. 1) (PDF, 1.1MB)</p> <p>Exempts specified categories of Class 1 Heavy Vehicles from prescribed mass and dimension requirements.</p>	References updated.
<i>Information bulletin – Livestock Transport</i>	<p>Victoria Class 3 Livestock Carrier Mass and Dimension Exemption Notice 2019 (No.1) (PDF, 708KB)</p> <p>Provides mass and dimension exemptions that support the Victorian livestock loading scheme.</p> <p>Please note the following supporting document:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information bulletin – Livestock Transport (PDF, 700KB) 	This Notice provides enforceable provisions for the Victorian Livestock Loading Scheme (LSS). The current LLS will continue under this notice.
<i>Exemption Relating to Silage Trailers (Victoria)</i>	Obsolete	This notice is incorporated into the current Victorian Class 1 agricultural vehicle notice, and will again be picked up by the the National Agricultural Notice 2019 when released.

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<p><i>Mass limit exemptions and route specifications for certain class 2 combinations fitted with road friendly suspension</i>, published in the Victoria Government Gazette, No. S 440 on Friday 30 December 2011</p> <p>-AND-</p> <p><i>Declaration of Class 3 Vehicles and Mass Limit Exemptions and Route Specifications for such Vehicles</i>, published in the Victoria Government Gazette, No. S 97 on Friday 23 March 2012</p> <p>-AND-</p> <p><i>Variation to notices Specifying Routes for B-doubles and Certain Class 2 and 3 Vehicles Fitted with Road Friendly Suspension</i></p>	<p>Victoria Class 3 Road Friendly Suspension Mass Exemption Notice 2019 (No.1) (PDF, 590KB)</p> <p>Exempts certain heavy vehicles fitted with certified road friendly suspension from mass requirements set out in the Heavy Vehicle (Mass Dimension and Loading) National Regulation.</p>	<p>This new notice replaced several former Victorian higher mass limit notices. Since access to HML in Victoria does not require IAP, this notice has been written as a Class 3 mass exemption that simply applies higher mass limits as they apply in Victoria.</p>