

Information Sheet – Tasmania Class 1 Special Purpose Vehicle Exemption Notice 2019

Purpose

The purpose of this information sheet is to introduce a new notice titled *Tasmania Class 1 Special Purpose Vehicle Exemption Notice 2019* (the Notice).

This Notice authorises eligible vehicles to operate on routes validated by the **Heavy Vehicle Access Management System** (HVAMS) in Tasmania.

Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) can access the Tasmanian Road Network via the Notice or a permit (if the vehicle network indicates a permit is required).

HVAMS generates a vehicle network that includes conditions of access on roads and structures.

Please visit <https://hvams.stategrowth.tas.gov.au/spv> to access the HVAMS.

The new Notice can be downloaded on the NHVR website under State Notices or [here](#).

Previous access

Two-axle SPVs were authorised to operate under the *National Class 1 Special Purpose Vehicle Notice 2016* on the Tasmania Class 1 SPV Network Map. The new Notice authorises a larger range of SPVs to operate in Tasmania.

Which vehicles are covered?

SPVs with a set of vehicle parameters validated by the HVAMS can gain access to the Tasmanian Road Network.

Vehicle parameters include vehicle width, length and height, as well as the number and distribution of axles and axle masses.

The Notice authorises the following SPVs to operate, subject to compliance with HVAMS:

- All Terrain Cranes
- Pick and Carry Cranes
- Truck Mounted Cranes
- City/Rough Terrain Crane
- Mobile Concrete Pumps
- Drill Rigs and Fire Trucks
- Elevated Work Platforms.

Tasmanian Road Network

HVAMS validates eligible vehicles and grants legal access to the road network as per Figure 1 below.



Figure 1 Example access map (HVAMS)

Users are encouraged to be familiar and comply with:

- ü road and travel conditions
- ü timestamps for network validity on the map
- ü special conditions relating to your vehicle category
- ü the 'key' on the map
- ü access conditions for structures.

Additional information

- Operators are advised that a route assessment for travel under this Notice is a requirement under s.11 of Schedule 8 of the *Heavy Vehicle (Mass, Dimension and Loading) National Regulation*.
- Before applying for a permit through the NHVR Portal, please check if you comply with the Notice and HVAMS. You may be only required to apply for a route that is not covered by HVAMS Network.
- For more information, please visit the Department of State Growth's [website](#).
- Telematics conditions may apply.

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