

Super Load

900 “Super Load” is any vehicle that exceeds any of the following limits:

1. Overall Width 20 feet,
2. Overall Length 120 feet,
3. Overall Height 17 feet,
4. Gross Weight of 190,000 pounds or greater.

901 The following list of requirements must be addressed in the application:

1. A request for permission to move on Mississippi’s highway system
2. The name and address of the applicant and shipper
3. The origin and destination of the load
4. Gross weight of vehicle and load.
5. The dimensions of the tractor, trailer, and load
6. Written acknowledgement and permission from utility and railroad companies are required for a load exceeding 17 feet in height.
7. Written acknowledgement and permission from affected railroad companies are required for vehicle and load length exceeding 120 feet.
8. Steps taken to lessen the load
9. The most direct route.
10. Steps to reduce interference with other traffic
11. If entering an adjacent state a written certification from that state allowing entrance.

902 Diagrams of tractor, trailer and load:

1. Number, spacing and individual axle weights.
2. Number and size of tires.
3. Width and height of load.

903 A route survey must include the following:

1. Route (s) surveyed

2. List of obstructions such as, highway signs (roadside and overhead), bridge rails, overhead traffic signals, and overhead power lines, railroad crossings on the route or shoulders affecting the move.
3. Pull-off areas to allow traffic to pass such as, parking lots, truck stops, other locations with the capacity to allow the tractor, trailer, and load too completely clear the road.

904 Detailed traffic control plan will consist of the following:

1. List of all points where the load and/or vehicle will encroach into opposing traffic.
 - i. How much of the lane will be encroached.
 - ii. Distance traveled in opposing traffic lanes.
 - iii. Duration of encroachment.
2. If stopping traffic is required provide the following:
 - i. Where and how
 - ii. Type or method of advanced notification
 - iii. After review MDOT Permit Section may require additional information before final approval.