

Medicaid State Plan. In addition, copies of the proposed amendment may be obtained at each of the Department's regional offices and on the Department's web site: <http://www.ct.gov/dss>. Go to "Publications" and then to "Updates."

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DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

Registration of Permitted Overweight Vehicle

Section 14-137- 35 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 14-137- 35. Overweight permit

Whenever a permit is issued by the Department of Transportation for the operation of an overweight motor vehicle, or combination vehicle, trailer, or object, pursuant to the provisions of section 14-270 of the Connecticut General Statutes, and the regulations adopted thereunder by the commissioner of transportation, the permanent registration of such vehicle shall have a registered gross vehicle weight equal to or greater than that stated in the overweight permit. Nothing contained herein shall affect the expiration date or any other term, condition or obligation of the permanent registration.

Statement of purpose: Currently, applicants apply for an overweight vehicle permit from the Department of Transportation when deemed necessary. After making said application to the Department of Transportation, the registration issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles is deemed to be a temporary registration, at the gross vehicle weight stated in the permit issued by the Department of Transportation, for a period of ten (10) days. The amended regulation requires that the registration issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles, which is a permanent registration, reflects a gross vehicle weight that is equal to or greater than that stated in the overweight vehicle permit issued by the Department of Transportation.

This regulation will bring the current regulation into compliance with Section 14-270 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

Be it known that the foregoing regulations are amended as hereinabove stated by the aforesaid agency pursuant to Sec. 14-137 of the General Statutes, after publication in the Connecticut Law Journal on April 10, 2012 and June 26, 2012, of the notice of the proposal to amend such regulations.

Wherefore, the foregoing regulations are hereby amended as hereinabove stated, effective when filed with the Secretary of the State.

In Witness Whereof: September 17, 2012, Melody A. Currey, Commissioner.

Approved by the Attorney General as to legal sufficiency in accordance with Sec. 4-169, as amended, Connecticut General Statutes: September 27, 2012.

Approved by the Legislative Regulation Review Committee in accordance with Sec. 4-170, as amended, of the General Statutes: November 27, 2012.

Two certified copies received and filed, and one such copy forwarded to the Commission on Official Legal Publications in accordance with Sec. 4-172, as amended, of the General Statutes, Secretary of the State: December 3, 2012.

DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

Requirements for Maintaining Federal Certification Label on Motor Vehicles with Manufacturer's Gross Vehicle Weight Rating of 10,001 Pounds or More

The Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies is amended by adding sections 14-137-125 through 14-137-127, inclusive, as follows:

Sec. 14-137-125. Definitions

As used in Sections 14-137-125 through 14-137-127, inclusive, the following words and phrases shall have the following meanings:

“Chassis” means the frame, suspension and related components, including the axles that support the body of a motor vehicle.

“Federal Certification Label” means the label containing the manufacturer’s name, vehicle identification number, vehicle type, gross vehicle weight rating and gross axle weight ratings as required under the provisions of 49 CFR Part 567.

“Manufacturer” means any alterer, completed vehicle manufacturer, or final-stage manufacturer registered with the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration as required under the provisions of 49 CFR Part 566 and who is required to affix a Federal Certification Label to an applicable motor vehicle under the provisions of 49 CFR Part 567.

“Motor Vehicle” means a motor vehicle as defined in Section 14-1 of the Connecticut General Statutes, having a manufacturer’s gross vehicle weight rating of 10,001 pounds or more.

Sec. 14-137-126. Requirements

1. The Federal Certification Label shall be affixed to each applicable motor vehicle as required under the provisions of 49 CFR Part 567, legible, and maintained in good condition.

2. If repair work to a motor vehicle will damage the required label, prior to performing said repairs, the label shall be photographed and the photograph shall be maintained with the motor vehicle’s registration until such time that a replacement label is affixed to the motor vehicle. The replacement label shall be affixed to the motor vehicle within three (3) months of completion of said repairs.

3. If any motor vehicle which has been manufactured in two or more stages or has been altered under the provisions of 49 CFR Part 567 is missing the Federal Certification Label affixed to said motor vehicle by a manufacturer or a photograph of the original label is not available, the motor vehicle’s gross vehicle weight rating and gross axle weight ratings shall revert to those established by the original manufacturer of the chassis and shall exclude any extra axles not originally installed on the chassis.

Sec. 14-137-127. Penalty

Any person operating a motor vehicle without the required Federal Certification Label as described in Section 14-137-126 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies shall be deemed to have committed a violation of section 14-137 of the