

# APPLICATION FOR EXTENDED TRANSPORTATION PERMIT ON STATE TRUNK LINES FOR THE MOVEMENT OF OVER SIZE MOBILE HOMES OR BUILDING MODULES

*This Information required by Act 300, P.A. 1949 to obtain a permit.*

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**INSTRUCTIONS:** Type or print legibly in ink. Make check payable to the **State of Michigan**. Do not send cash. *Please contact (517) 636-6915 for current fee schedule.*

**MAIL TO:** Michigan Department of Transportation  
Transport Permits Unit  
P.O. Box 30648  
Lansing, MI 48909

**Additional form information see <http://mdotwas1.mdot.state.mi.us/public/webforms/>  
Pursuant to Act 561 of PA 2002, Sec. 301 application and permit fees are non-refundable.  
Any changes or erasures except initialed amendments by MDOT will void this permit.**

To the Michigan Department of Transportation, Lansing, Michigan, Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ requests permission to transport over size mobile homes or building modules on all highways in Michigan under the jurisdiction of the Michigan Department of Transportation in accordance with the following conditions and restrictions:

TYPE OF VEHICLE		MAKE and MODEL	
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NO. (VIN)	LICENSE NO.	STATE	COMPANY UNIT NO.

**CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTIONS:**

1. Subject to the conditions, restrictions and approval, this permit for the transportation of over size mobile homes or building modules has been issued for movement on all State trunk lines except travel in right hand lane on US-131 between M-11 and I-196; no travel on US-12 between the Michigan-Indiana Line and US-23; M-60 entire length; M-21 between Grand Rapids and M-13 in Genesee County; M-40 from US-12 to M-60 in Cass County, and M-100, entire length, between 1-96 and 1-69 in Clinton and Eaton Counties.
2. The permittee shall be responsible for damages to the highway, to persons, and to property caused by or arising from operations covered by this permit.  
  
The permittee shall indemnify and save harmless the Transportation Commission, the Department and all of their employees from any and all suits, claims and damages of every kind arising out of, under or by reason of this permit, or from operations covered by this permit.
3. The driver of the vehicle shall carry the permit in the vehicle to which it applies and shall have it available for inspection by any police officer or agent of the Department of Transportation. The driver shall stop at all highway weigh stations for permit inspection.
4. Insurance coverage required in the laws of this state shall be in effect for moves operating with an over weight or over size permit.
5. Any of the following actions shall immediately void the permit and subject the applicant to appropriate legal action: (a) Misrepresentation of information set forth in an application for permit. (b) Any operation on state trunk line highways beyond the size or weight limitations shown on permit. (c) A change or erasure on a permit.
6. Permits are not valid for periods extending beyond the expiration date. Extended permits will not be issued for a period of less than a year.
7. Permits will be issued only for vehicles owned by the applicant or operated under a bona fide lease or rental agreement. Towing vehicle shall be at least a 1 ½ ton truck with dual rear wheels. Each vehicle within a combination of vehicles used in transporting building modules (tractor & trailer or semi-trailer) must have a valid permit.

**If a permit is granted, the applicant agrees to comply with all the conditions and restrictions listed on this application.**

TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT				FOR MDOT USE ONLY	
FIRM NAME				<b>APPROVAL OF APPLICATION AND ISSUANCE OF PERMIT BY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION</b>	
STREET ADDRESS				PERMIT NO.	
CITY or TOWN		STATE	ZIP	EXPIRATION DATE	
DATE	FED ID NO./SOC. SEC. NO. (required only for payment by check)			DATE APPROVED	
PHONE		FAX		APPROVED	
SIGNATURE		TITLE		BY (Michigan Department of Transportation)	

**SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS & RESTRICTIONS**

8. This permit not valid on county or city streets. If the equipment is to be moved on any county or city street, permission must be obtained from the appropriate authorities.
9. Permits are not valid on highways or structures which are posted for lighter than legal loadings if the vehicle exceeds axle loadings as posted.
10. On movements exceeding legal height, the permittee certifies that he has checked the route as necessary for vertical clearance and overhead obstructions prior to any movement. Striking or damage to any structure or facility will be perceived to be noncompliance with this section and will result in termination of this permit.
11. All axle weights must be legal.
12. This permit valid ONLY when the dimensions DO NOT EXCEED the following:
  - WIDTH: 12 feet in actual body width and fixtures not to exceed 3 inches on each side.
  - HEIGHT: 14 feet.
  - LENGTH: 80 ft. in body length of the mobile home or module; 95 feet overall length with towing vehicle.
13. This permit is for the transportation of mobile homes or building modules only.
14. Permit valid only if favorable driving and traffic conditions prevail. Daylight hours only, beginning one half hour before sunrise and ending one half hour after sunset. Permits are not valid on Saturdays, Sundays, nor during the period beginning at 12 noon on the day before and continuing until 12 noon of the 1st day after the holidays here listed: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. When the holiday occurs on a Friday or Monday, permits will not be valid for the period beginning the noon before the three-day weekend and ending the noon of the 1st day after the three-day weekend.
15. Speed Limit: Length 95 feet or less
  - 50 MPH - 4 or more lanes
  - 45 MPH - less than 4 lanes
16. Units exceeding 80 feet in overall combination length: At least 2 flashing or rotating amber lights to be placed on extreme rear of load and one on top of the towing vehicle. All flashing or rotating amber lights are to be visible for a distance of 500 feet. When length exceeds 90 feet (in addition to the above listed restrictions), permit is not valid for movement between the hours of 7AM and 9 AM and between the hours of 3 PM and 6 PM in the following counties: Kent, Genesee, Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, Washtenaw, Saginaw, Muskegon, Jackson, Kalamazoo, and Ingham. To be followed by one escort vehicle (passenger car or pickup truck) with at least one flashing or rotating amber light on top of cab, a reasonable distance in rear of the movement.
17. To be equipped with 2 OVER SIZE LOAD signs of black, block lettering on Interstate yellow background. One 6' x 16" sign with 12" lettering on front bumper of towing vehicle. One 8' x 18" sign with 16" lettering on rear of load, bottom of sign not less than 7' above highway. Towing vehicle headlights to be turned on low beam.
18. Movement shall display 6 clean, plain red flags at least 18" square, one on each end of front bumper of towing vehicle supported on a short shaft at an angle so as to wave freely, and one on each corner of mobile home or building module so placed that they can be clearly seen by approaching traffic.
19. A vehicle shall not be loaded or unloaded within the highway right-of-way unless permitted by a police officer or agent of the Department.
20. Contact Mackinac Bridge Authority (906) 643-7600 not less than 24 hours prior to planned arrival for all moves crossing the bridge. Permit requires that the vehicle be escorted across the Mackinac Bridge by a Mackinac Bridge Authority vehicle. Permit not valid on the Mackinac Bridge when wind velocity exceeds 25 MPH. May cross the bridge during daylight hours only, beginning one half hour before sunrise and ending one half hour after sunset.
21. Maximum gauge of mobile home or vehicle transporting a module shall be 9'6" or less from center of wheel to center of wheel.
22. It is the applicant's responsibility prior to any movement to determine whether there are any construction bulletins issued by this Department which restrict the dimensions or weights within the limits authorized by this permit. Knowledge of issued construction bulletins will be presumed. Movements which exceed the limits prescribed will be invalid under this permit. Information regarding bulletins may be obtained at all MDOT Region and Transportation Service Center offices, [www.michigan.gov/mdot](http://www.michigan.gov/mdot) or call (517) 636-6915.
23. The transporting of a mobile home or building module is allowed only when the surface condition of the highway is not slippery.
24. Contact the Blue Water Bridge (810) 984-3131 no less than 24 hours prior to planned arrival for all moves crossing the bridge.
25. Contact the International Bridge (906) 635-5255 ext. 0 no less than 24 hours prior to planned arrival for all moves crossing the bridge.
26. Contact the Ambassador Bridge Authority (313) 849-5244 no less than 24 hours prior to planned arrival for all moves crossing the bridge.