

# New Mexico Oversize-Overweight Application Checklist

**Any vehicle or load exceeding any of the following dimensions requires an oversize-overweight permit:**

- Over 8'6" wide
- Over 14'0" high
- Over 65'0" overall length
- Over 80,000 lbs need a permit

**Requirements to obtain an oversize-overweight permit:**

- Dot number
- Insurance (18.19.8.52 NMAC )
- Registration (current & valid)
- E-file for current year
- Current on New Mexico weight distance account
- Meet PRC requirements and in good standing with the New Mexico Public Regulatory Commission
- If applicant is a leasor; applicant must have a copy of the lease agreement with the leasing company. The agreement must contain all current & valid information.

**Route Survey Required:**

A route survey is required for any vehicle or load that meets or exceeds any of the following dimensions:

- 15'6" high
- Any load exceeding 18'0" high  
(In addition to a route survey, a letter of release from all utility companies throughout requested route. (Please note shipper is not allowed to move any overhead lines without authority in writing from the utility companies.)
- 20'0" wide  
\*\*Route survey must list traffic lane(s) that survey was conducted in. If the load is over height, the route survey must state at what height the survey was conducted. The survey must also state how all bridges, traffic control lights and utility lines were cleared. If counter flow is required, contact names and telephone numbers must be listed for the local law enforcement agency required for traffic control. \*\*\*Police dispatch is not considered a point of contact for a Law Enforcement agency.

**Required Documents:**

- New Mexico permit application completely filled out
- Certificate of liability insurance meeting New Mexico requirements (18.19.8.52 NMAC)
- Route survey (if required) submitted on New Mexico survey form.
- Tax release forms if the load is a mobile home and is required to have a release.
- Copy of all city permits if needed.
- If truck is leased (need copy of lease agreement /contract)

**Escort Requirements:**

Escort Requirements	1 Escort	2 Escorts	3 Escorts	4 Escorts up to 6 Escorts	Police Escort
Width	14'1"to 17'11"	18'-19'11"	20' to 24'11"	25'or greater depending on load and route	If counter flow required
Length	90'1" to 110'	110'1" or greater			If counter flow required
Height					If counter flow required

\*\*\*Additional escorts may be required based on load, route, time of movement or municipality that the load is moving through. For further information refer to State of New Mexico Escort Map.

**USEFUL LINKS:**

- [WWW.NMSHTD.STATE.NM.US](http://WWW.NMSHTD.STATE.NM.US)
- [WWW.NMMTDPOLICE.ORG](http://WWW.NMMTDPOLICE.ORG)
- [HTTPS://EFILE.STATE.NM.US](https://EFILE.STATE.NM.US)

Phone;  
 Santa Fe Permit Office      505-476-2475  
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