



**Liberty County Permit & Inspection Department**

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**APPLICATION FOR OVERSIZE EQUIPMENT OR LOAD PERMIT**

THE STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF LIBERTY §

**I.**

Within the provision of law, permission is hereby requested by \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (company name) to transport the following equipment and/or maximum load, over the county roads listed below.

**II.**

Please provide the following information:

	<b>Make</b>	<b>Model</b>	<b>License No.</b>
<b>Truck</b>			
<b>Trailer</b>			

Please provide a description of the load (include approximate number of pounds):

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\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Please provide Maximum Width<sup>1</sup> of equipment and load to be transported in inches:

<sup>1</sup>§621.201 Tex. Transp. Code

Please provide Maximum Length of Semitrailer or Trailer<sup>2</sup> in inches:

<sup>2</sup>§621.204 Tex. Transp. Code

Please provide Maximum Length of Vehicle Combination(s)<sup>3</sup> in feet:

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<sup>3</sup>§621.205 Tex. Transp. Code

Please provide Maximum Extended Length of Load<sup>4</sup> to be transported in feet:

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<sup>4</sup>§621.206 Tex. Transp. Code

Please provide Maximum Height<sup>5</sup> of equipment and load to be transported in inches:

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<sup>5</sup>§621.207 Tex. Transp. Code

Please provide Maximum Gross Weight of equipment and load to be transported in pounds:

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Please provide estimated date transport is to begin and end:

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Please list all Route information:

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### III.

It is expressly understood that Liberty County shall not be responsible in any way for the damage of whatever nature that may result from the movement of the above described vehicle and load over any and all Liberty County roads, and that all such responsibility is hereby accepted on behalf of the Applicant.

**IV.**

I, the undersigned, certify that I am authorized to sign this application for the person or firm whose name appears on this application committing the above obligation, and that the statements in this application are true and correct. I also certify that I am responsible for the fifty-dollar (\$50.00) permit fee.

I further certify that the equipment covered in this application is under lease from \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Company Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number



**ORDER PERMITTING OVERSIZE EQUIPMENT AND LOADS ACROSS  
DESIGNATED COUNTY ROADS**

THE STATE OF TEXAS     §

COUNTY OF LIBERTY     §

**I.**

The attached application is hereby GRANTED for the operation and transportation of oversize equipment and loads along the dedicated route set forth below, the dates of which operation shall be limited to the period not to exceed ninety (90) days from date of approval.

**II.**

(INSERT DESIGNATED ROUTE HERE)

\_\_\_\_\_  
The Honorable Jay Knight  
County Judge  
Liberty County

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Executed

FOR LIBERTY COUNTY PERMITS ONLY:

PERMIT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

## **LIBERTY COUNTY OVERSIZE EQUIPMENT AND LOAD POLICY**

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Liberty County, Texas recognize the current use of all county roads for the transportation of oversize loads that exceed the maximum width set forth by Section 621.201 of the Texas Transportation Code; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Liberty County, Texas recognize that the transportation of such oversize loads on all county roadways may cause severe damages to those county roadways, thus resulting in unsafe roadways for the citizens of Liberty County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Liberty County recognizes the need for safe county roadways for the benefit of the citizens of Liberty County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioners Court of Liberty County recognizes that the issuance of permits for oversize loads on all county roadways exceeding the maximum width requirements of Section 621.201 of the Texas Transportation Code will help mitigate any damages and prevent unsafe driving conditions for the citizens of Liberty County; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Commissioners Court of Liberty County, Texas authorizes the permitting of oversize loads utilizing all county roads pursuant to Section 623.018 of the Texas Transportation Code.

### **RECITALS**

1. The Commissioners Court of Liberty County, Texas, through its County Judge, authorizes the requirement that all motor vehicles or combinations of vehicles that exceed the maximum width set forth by Section 621.201 of the Texas Transportation Code must be permitted to transport loads across all county roads.
2. Any permit issued by Liberty County is only applicable to county roadways and does not supersede or impact any Federal or State permits that may be required.
3. A permit issued by Liberty County for oversize loads may not exceed ninety (90) days.
4. Each permit issued for oversize loads shall require a \$50.00 fee.
5. Any operator seeking an oversize load permit is required to fill out an application for a permit to be approved by the Liberty County Judge. All applications must include a detailed list of haul routes by road name and length. All final routes shall be dictated by the commissioner the precinct of which the route(s) are requested, prior to approval by the County Judge.

6. Pursuant to Section 623.018(c) of the Texas Transportation Code, circumstances may require a bond to be executed by an applicant in an amount sufficient to guarantee the payment of any damages to a road or bridge sustained as a consequence of the transportation authorized by the permit.
7. All applicants seeking oversize permits in Liberty County, Texas must provide at least forty-eight (48) hour notice if any utility lines need to be disconnected and/or traffic signs need to be temporarily taken down. Applicants shall be responsible for all costs associated with any damages caused by the connecting and/or disconnecting of utility lines, and/or the takedown and/or reinstallation of traffic signs, as a consequence of the transportation authorized by the permit.
8. If approved for a permit, all applicants are only permitted to all any oversize equipment and/or loads on designated county roadways between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and dusk.
9. Applicants may be required to obtain a law enforcement escort to help regulate traffic and ensure the safety of the public during transportation of oversize loads on all county roadways. Applicants are responsible for all costs associated for any law enforcement escort services.
10. As of March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019, local law enforcement agencies are hereby authorized to enforce the oversize load permit requirements. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in Class C misdemeanor, punishable pursuant to Section 621.507 of the Texas Transportation Code. Any citations issued pertaining to the enforcement of oversize load requirements shall have venue in Liberty County, Texas.