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Waiver of Additional Weight Certification Process Declaration of Emergency Notice

Due to the severe impact of Hurricane Sandy on the State of New Hampshire the Commissioner of Safety has declared a regional emergency pertaining to the loss of services including foodstuffs and fuel deliveries and the operations of vehicles engaged in repair of utility and highway infrastructure.

Effective October 29, 2012, New Hampshire will authorize a temporary waiver of the Additional Weight and Registration process, pursuant to RSA 266:18-d for the purpose of ensuring that essential services and emergency relief supplies reach the disaster areas in a timely manner. This waiver pertains to only those carriers providing direct emergency relief to jurisdictions impacted by the severe weather. No vehicle shall be authorized to exceed its gross vehicle weight rating, gross combination weight rating or manufacturer's tire ratings pursuant to this waiver. A copy of the waiver shall be kept in the vehicle at all times. This waiver will expire November 2, 2012 at midnight.

Signed,

Date: 10-29-2012

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "J. Barthelmes".

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