

Bulletin d'information

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SPECIAL PERMIT ISSUED UNDER SECTION 633 OF THE HIGHWAY SAFETY CODE

LONG COMBINATION VEHICLE (A-TRAIN DOUBLE) WITH A 12.2-METRE-LONG FIRST SEMI-TRAILER

The ministère des Transports wishes to inform you that a new special permit is now available. The permit authorizes the use of a semi-trailer with a minimum length of 12.2 metres in front of the second semi-trailer of an A-train double.

This configuration is not currently provided for in the *Special Road Train Operating Permits Regulation* (SRTOPR). The use of the new special permit involves several conditions, including the reduction of the total loaded mass to 55,000 kg instead of 67,500 kg. The provisions of the SRTOPR that apply to this type of long combination vehicle were reproduced directly on the new permit.

The new permit is free of charge. It should be noted, however, that its use is conditional to the use of a special permit authorized under the SRTOPR for the operation of a long combination vehicle.

A special permit specimen is available at the following address: https://www.transports.gouv.qc.ca/fr/entreprises-partenaires/ent-camionnage/permis-speciaux/Documents/lien284.pdf.

You can apply for a special permit on the Ministère's website at the following address: https://www.transports.gouv.qc.ca/fr/entreprises-partenaires/ent-camionnage/permis-speciaux/Pages/Article-633.aspx.

For more information on the special permit, visit the Ministère's website at www.transports.gouv.qc.ca or contact Québec 511.

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