



PPMCSA SPECIAL BULLETIN

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TO: PPMCSA ACTIVE AND ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

FROM: JOHN V. KULIK, Executive Vice President

SUBJECT: GOVERNOR CORBETT ISSUES DRIVERS' HOUR OF SERVICE WAIVER FOR TRANSPORT OF MOTOR FUELS, HEATING FUELS AND PROPANE

Responding to member requests and reports of potentially long term supply issues in the New York and New Jersey region, PPMCSA requested a drivers' hours of service waiver for the transport of motor fuels, heating fuels and propane.

The Governor responded quickly to the request. The waiver is attached.

Many thanks to the Governor.



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EXEMPTION 2012-06

Pursuant to the Proclamation of Disaster Emergency issued by the Governor on October 26, 2012, 75 Pa. C.S. §6108, and the authority granted in 49 C.F.R. §390.23 and 67 Pa. Code Chapter 231, the waivers in this exemption apply to certain motor carriers engaged in operations necessary to respond to the Hurricane Sandy disaster emergency declared by the Governor. The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation hereby issues the following exemption:

TYPE OF OPERATION: Transportation of motor fuels, heating fuels, and propane.

EXTENT OF EXEMPTION: Requirement to comply with driver hour of service limitations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 31, 2012 2000 hours.

TERMINATION DATE: November 14, 2012 2400 hours.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

1. This exemption applies statewide to the transportation of motor fuels, heating fuels, and propane necessary to respond to the Hurricane Sandy disaster emergency declared by the Governor.
2. The maximum driving time is extended from 11 hours to 14 hours. Ten consecutive hours off-duty must be taken between the 14 hours of driving time.
3. Operators are exempted from the requirements of the 60/70 hour rule.

DATE: October 31, 2012

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barry J. Schoch".

Barry J. Schoch, P.E.
Secretary of Transportation