

State of California DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Division of Traffic Operations, Mail Station 36 **Transportation Permits Branch** 

Business, Transportation and Housing Agency

# **Transportation Permits Policy Memorandum**

Subject: Assign Pilot for Overhang Over 30'

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Policy: TPPM 2006-03

Reference: Pilot Car, CTPAC-WG11-012605-001

#### Objectives

This policy will:

- Allow pilot cars to be assigned, for fixed driven or towed vehicles, by the same criteria as truck cranes.
- Allow for fixed driven or towed vehicles with an inspection report, that measures overhang from the center ٠ of the rear axle, to be assigned a pilot car when overhang exceeds 30'0".

## Existing Documentation

The following source contains information related to this subject:

### Transportation Permits Manual (TPM)

## Section 502.5 (Portion) – Pilot Car Requirements (Fourth Bullet)

• If the rear boom overhang of any truck crane exceeds 30'0" when measured from the centerline of the last axle of the boom support vehicle to the last hard metal.

## Transportation Permits Manual Changes

## Section 502.5 (Portion) – Pilot Car Requirements (Amended Fourth Bullet)

٠ If the rear overhang of any fixed driven or towed vehicle exceeds 30'0" when measured from the centerline of the last axle of the support vehicle to the last hard metal.

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