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EMERGENCY ROAD USE PERMIT LETTER  
SUPPORTING EXECUTIVE ORDER 23-171 CLARIFICATION

Background:

Executive Order 23-171 authorized the Department of Transportation to relieve the size and weight restrictions for divisible loads on any vehicles transporting emergency equipment, services, supplies, and agricultural food commodities and citrus in excess of the normal restrictions on weight, height, length, and width restrictions for such vehicles.

Pursuant to this authority, the Florida Department of Transportation issued an Emergency Road Use Permit letter to permit the movement of divisible loads on any vehicles transporting emergency equipment, services, supplies, and agricultural food commodities and citrus in excess of the normal restrictions on weight, height, length and width.

Guidance for Law Enforcement:

The following agricultural food commodities and citrus have been identified by the Commissioner of Agriculture and approved by the Secretary of Transportation as covered by the Emergency Road Use Permit letter:

- Animal Feed and Feed Ingredients,  
- Animal Supplements,  
- Aquaculture Products,  
- Avocados,  
- Cattle,  
- Citrus,  
- Eggs and Egg Products,  
- Fuel,  
- Fertilizer and Agrichemicals,  
- Milk and Milk Products,  
- Peanuts,  
- Silviculture and Forestry Products,  
- and Tomatoes.

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