



## Heavy Vehicle National Law

### Queensland Class 3 Heavy Vehicle Sugar Mill Mass Management Scheme Exemption Notice 2019 (No.1)

#### 1 Purpose

The purpose of this notice is to allow for an efficient transport of sugar cane to particular sugar mills operating under a *Registered Queensland Sugar Mill Mass Concession Scheme*.

*Note: This Notice replaces the Queensland Class 3 Heavy Vehicle Sugar Mill Mass Management Scheme Exemption Notice 2016.*

#### 2 Title

This notice may be cited as the *Queensland Class 3 Heavy Vehicle Sugar Mill Mass Management Scheme Exemption Notice 2019*.

#### 3 Commencement

This Notice commences on 1 July 2019.

#### 4 Expiry

This Notice expires on 30 June 2024.

#### 5 Authorising provision

(1) This Notice is made under the following section of the Heavy Vehicle National Law as applied in each participating jurisdiction—

- a) Section 117: Regulator's power to exempt category of class 3 heavy vehicles from compliance with mass or dimension requirement.

#### 6 Definitions

(1) Unless otherwise stated, words and expressions used in this notice have the same meanings as those defined in the HVNL.

(2) In this notice:

**Eligible vehicle** means a vehicle that is enrolled in a Registered Queensland Sugar Mill Mass Concession Scheme.

**Registered Queensland Sugar Mill Mass Concession Scheme** is a scheme registered with Queensland Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) and listed in Schedule 1 of this Notice.

**7 Application**

This Notice applies to eligible vehicles in Queensland.

**8 Areas & Routes**

This Notice applies to the areas and routes set out in a relevant Registered Sugar Mill Queensland Mass Concession Scheme.

**9 Exemption from Prescribed Mass Requirements**

(1) This Notice exempts an eligible vehicle from the following general mass limits specified in Schedule 1 of the Heavy Vehicle (Mass Dimension and Loading) National Regulation (the Regulation):

- (a) Section 2(1)(a)(iv); and
- (b) Section 2(1)(b); and
- (c) Section 4; and
- (d) Section 5(1), (2) and (3).

**10 Conditions-Maximum Permissible Mass**

(1) Vehicles operating under this notice must not exceed:

- (a) 7.5% over prescribed mass limits; and
- (b) 10% over regulation axle mass limits; and
- (c) Notwithstanding subsections a) and b) above, the manufacturer's ratings.

**11 General Conditions**

(1) A vehicle operating under this Notice must:

- (a) Be an eligible vehicle; and
- (b) Comply with the provisions of the Registered Queensland Sugar Mill Mass Concession Scheme in which it is enrolled and under which it is operating.

(2) A copy of this Notice must be carried at all times when operating under the conditions of this Notice.

**Date: 4 June 2019**

Peter Caprioli

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**National Heavy Vehicle Regulator**

**Schedule 1 Registered Queensland Sugar Mill Mass Concession Schemes**

<b>Registered Queensland Sugar Mill Mass Concession Scheme</b>
Rocky Point Sugar Mill Self Regulation (Mass Concession) Scheme
Bundaberg Sugar Mill Self Regulation (Mass Concession) Scheme
Maryborough Sugar Mill Self Regulation (Mass Concession) Scheme
Mossman Sugar Mill Self-Regulation (Mass Concession) Scheme
Tablelands Sugar Mill Self Regulation (Mass Concession) Scheme