

Mid America Association of State Transportation Officials, Subcommittee on Highway Transport

State Report

State: Kansas **Report Date:** January 28, 2020

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Permits Issued Prior Year: 93,990

Permits Issued Year To Date: 6,930 (January 28, 2020)

Number of Staff Issuing Permits: 2 Superload, 3 Front Office, 1-3 in each of 6 districts

Does your State offer Online Requests: Yes No

If yes what percentage Of permits does your System issue without Your review? 70% of Total

New Legislation:

Escort Vehicle Service Providers, their drivers and vehicles are required to be registered with the state of Kansas. This started on January 1, 2020. Fees for Superloads, Large Structures, Single Trips, and Annual OSOW permits increased beginning January 1, 2020. All are \$200, except the single trip routine OSOW permits. Those are \$40.

Permitting System Updates: (Please include money or time saving changes)
In the process of updating the Load Rating software for K-TRIPS from BRASS to AASHTOWare

Procedural Changes:

Registration of escort vehicles along with requiring drivers to successfully complete a escort vehicle training course
Allow permits to be displayed on electronic devices.

Innovative or Special Initiatives:

None

New/Unique Communication Efforts: (Describe any outreach to your carrier population)

We have been working with many groups and associations to get the word out about the changes for escort vehicle registrations and proposed regulations

Special Challenges Affecting Permit Operations:

None

Uniformity Pursuits:

None

Areas of Concern:

None

Successes:

Nothing Specific

Other:

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