

Live Load Analysis and Independent Engineering Review Criteria

NHDOT Permits will perform live load analysis for all overweight permits during routing analysis. The live load analysis is based on axle weights and spacings provided during the permit application process. Permits may be auto-issued by NHDOT Permits for loads up to 149,999 pounds. Permit applications for loads between 150,000 and 300,000 pounds will be submitted to NHDOT Bridge Design for review. Permit applications for loads greater than 300,000 requires an Independent Engineering Report be provided by the applicant with the permit application. The Independent Engineering Report shall be prepared by a professional civil engineer licensed in New Hampshire.