

General Statutes Applicable to CMV's

Losing Load from vehicle...Operate a vehicle which was not so constructed or loaded as to prevent its load from dropping, shifting, leaking, or otherwise escaping there from. **GS 20-116(g)(1)**

Red/Orange Flag at the End of Load...by failing to display a red/orange flag or light at the end of a load as required by **GS 20-117** (required when the load extends over four feet past rear bumper)

Operating more than two vehicles in combination...Did operate a vehicle consisting of more than two units **GS 20-116(e)** (check for exemptions i.e. twin trailers on STAA routes)

Exceed Maximum Height...did operate a vehicle unladen or with load which exceeded the height of 13 feet 6 inches. **GS 20-116(c)**

Single Trailers in excess of 48' and Twin Trailers off approved Truck Network...Did operate a vehicle in excess of 60 feet in length while being more than three miles off an approved STAA route without a permit. **GS 20-116(e)**

NOTE: If you stop a twin trailer or single trailer in excess of 48' over 3 miles from an approved Truck Network route, charge him with **GS-116(e)**; and if you measure from the kingpin of the trailer to rearmost axle, or a point midway between the two rear axles and if the two axles are tandem axle and the distance is over 41 feet, charge him with both **GS 20-116(e)** and **GS 20-115(2)a**. Exemption for trailers used for motorsport competition events.

Snaking Trailers....While towing a trailer, or semi-trailer or other towed vehicle which was not firmly attached so as to prevent said vehicle from snaking or traveling in the direct path of the vehicle drawing or towing the same. **GS 20-123(b)**

Operate CMV after consuming Alcohol...operate a commercial motor vehicle while consuming alcohol or while alcohol remains in his/her body. **GS 20-138.2A**

Commercial Drivers License Required...Operate a commercial motor vehicle without having been issued and having in his/her possession a commercial driver's license with all applicable endorsements for the type motor vehicle being operated. **GS 20-37.12(a)**

North Carolina Truck Restrictions For Troop B

Route Number	County	From	To	Distance (miles)	Restriction Type
US 74	New Hanover	SR 1409 (Military Cutoff Rd)	US 74 END	4.28	No Through Trucks
US 76	New Hanover	SR 1409 (Military Cutoff Rd)	US 76 END	4.1	No Through Trucks
NC 179 BUS	Brunswick	NC 179	NC 179/NC 904	5.46	No Through Trucks

