

**Heavy vehicle access on Council roads**  
***(Heavy Vehicle National Law and National Heavy Vehicle Regulator)***

OBJECTIVE

The Council's practices regarding permission for heavy vehicles to access Council roads in accordance with the *Heavy Vehicle National Law (Tasmania) Act 2013* and the requirements of the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator.

MINUTE NO(S)

122/2020 – 20.04.2020

APPROVED

▪ That the previous decisions relating to heavy vehicle access to Council roads (Minute No. 176/2014) be updated to:

- 1 Permit the use of higher mass limit vehicles, with approved road friendly suspension, subject to consideration by the Director Infrastructure Services and compliance with the Heavy Vehicle National Law (Tasmania) Act 2013 and the requirements of the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator; and
- 2 Not permit Class 2 heavy vehicles (length over 21m) on local roads, apart from those routes previously included on the Tasmanian pre-approved networks. Short links required to the Bass Highway may be considered by the Director Infrastructure Services subject to compliance with the Heavy Vehicle National Law (Tasmania) Act 2013, and the requirements of the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator; and
- 3 Assess Class 3 heavy vehicles on a case by case basis on their technical merit under the discretion of the Director Infrastructure Services subject to compliance with the Heavy Vehicle National Law (Tasmania) Act 2013, and the requirements of the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator."

BACKGROUND

*Heavy Vehicle National Law (Tasmania) Act 2013*

CENTRAL COAST COUNCIL – POLICIES, PRACTICES AND KEY DECISIONS REGISTER

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ARCHIVED MINUTE NO.S: 412/1999 – 11.10.1999; 363/2002 – 14.10.2002; 159/2004 –  
10.05.2004; 176/2014 – 16.06.2014

REVIEW DATE

1 March 2018