

State of New Iersey

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CHRIS CHRISTIE Governor

> Pursuant to N.J.S.A. App. A:9-33 et seq., and in light of Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration regulation 49 C.F.R. Part 390.23(a)(1)(i), which allows for an exemption to the hours of service regulations in 49 C.F.R. Part 395 upon declaration of emergency by the Governor or an authorized representative, the Governor hereby declares an emergency due to the snow event of February 8 through February 9, 2013 and the resulting impact on delivery of heating fuel in New Jersey. The emergency is limited to the following:

Type of Operation: Delivery of heating fuels to residential and commercial establishments.

Type of Exemption: Restriction of the number of hours that a driver of a commercial motor carrier may drive on duty in 7/8 consecutive days without taking 34 or more consecutive hours off-duty. The requirements of 11 hours driving, 14 hours on duty, is waived as well, provided a driver who informs a motor carrier that he or she needs immediate rest shall be given a minimum of 10 consecutive off-duty hours before the driver may return to service.

Effective Date: February 11, 2013

Termination Date: February 18, 2013

Special Conditions:

- Limited to operators of vehicles making heating fuel deliveries to residential or commercial establishments within the State of New Jersey and operators of vehicles transporting heating fuels from terminal locations to heating fuel delivery companies.
- Drivers must still comply with all other driving regulations.
- No motor carrier operating under the terms of this order shall require or allow a fatigued or ill driver to operate a commercial motor vehicle.

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Chris Christie Governor