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Inspection Requirements for the Registration of Mobile Cranes

Background

Numerous changes in legislation have occurred over the past few years which have had an effect on the Roads and Traffic Authority's (RTA's) policy in relation to the registration of mobile cranes. This, coupled with a need to provide a more equitable inspection process for all vehicles, will now require mobile cranes to be inspected in accordance with the standards set out in the Rules for Authorised Inspection Stations - Heavy Vehicles.

This progression will also address anomalies in the registration process that have occurred with some mobile cranes.

Action

To establish the registration of a mobile crane with a Gross Vehicle Mass (GVM) over 4.5 tonnes, it will be necessary for the applicant to have the crane inspected for roadworthiness at:

- an RTA Heavy Vehicle Inspection Station in the Sydney, Newcastle or Wollongong areas, or
- a Heavy Vehicle Authorised Inspection Station outside these areas.

Where a mobile crane exceeds any dimension or mass limit it is necessary for the operator to provide a completed RTA Form 335, together with an inspection certificate from a Heavy Vehicle Authorised Inspection Station (where applicable), for RTA assessment prior to registration approval being considered.

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