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This document is from the files of the Office of the Maine Attorney General as transferred to the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library on January 19, 2022 To Joseph Holman, Esquire, County Attorney Re: Trucks Hauling Forest Products

With respect to Section 109 of Chapter 22, R. S. 1954, as amended, you have inquired if the exception relating to 3-axle trucks with brakes on the wheels of all axles, when hauling forest products, permitting their being operated having a gross weight of 4800 lbs. with the distance between the extreme axles of not less than 18 feet, is an exception to the limit of weight per axle set forth in the immediately preceding exception.

It would appear to us that the exception is indeed an exception to the weight per axle, and upon inquiry we have ascertained that the Maine State Police have so interpreted and enforced the provision.

James Glynn Frost Deputy Attorney General

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