

From: Taylor, Richele
To: ccrawford@scforestry.org
Date: 10/31/2016 2:59:34 PM
Subject: Re: Officers issuing tickets in violation of Executive Order

Thank you Cam. Have you heard from Director Smith on the additional tickets?

Also, I had a note to follow up with you today - the emergency order for the state will expire Wednesday. The hours of service waiver will expire Thursday. The waiver of weight limitations, however, does not expire until February 1, 2017. I believe the weight waiver was the one you were most interested in with regards to the industry. We do not plan to reissue the waiver of hours requirement. If you have any concerns please let me know. You can reach me on my cell this afternoon 231-9763

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Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 31, 2016, at 2:47 PM, Cam Crawford <CCrawford@scforestry.org> wrote:

The SC Forestry Association Annual Meeting is this week at Wild Dunes. Our office will be closed starting tomorrow. I will have limited access to email. My cell phone number is 803-348-7650 if you or the State Transport Police needs to discuss this matter.

Thank you.

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--- RicheleTaylor@gov.sc.gov wrote:

From: "Taylor, Richele" <RicheleTaylor@gov.sc.gov>
To: Cam Crawford <CCrawford@scforestry.org>
Subject: Re: Officers issuing tickets in violation of Executive Order
Date: Fri, 28 Oct 2016 18:08:25 +0000

Cam,

Thank you. I checked - October 25th is when he sent out the reminder and these are both on the 24th. Hopefully we won't see more recent tickets. I will forward these as well to be handled. Thanks for confirming the prior issue was

resolved.

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On Oct 28, 2016, at 8:58 AM, Cam Crawford <CCrawford@scforestry.org> wrote:

Richele,

Attached are two additional traffic tickets issued without regard to the Governor's Executive Order 2016-28 waving truck weight limits up to 90,000 pounds.

The first ticket was issued to Clay Scott W 498592 for hauling a load at vehicle weight of 88,000. This ticket clearly doesn't comply with the 90,000 pound allowance established under Executive Order 2016-28.

The second ticket issued to Ricky Smith W 498659 appears to be valid because Mr. Smith was hauling at a vehicle weight of 90,800 but the fine is calculated on a legal gross weight of 84,272 instead of 90,000 pounds.

I would appreciate you contacting the Department of Public Safety regarding these tickets.

Colonel Leroy Taylor did call me regarding the ticket issued in Fairfield County and said the case will be "not pressed". Colonel Taylor was very professional and indicated that a notice would be sent to his officers reminding them that Executive Order 2016-28 is still in effect. These tickets may have been written before he sent out that notice.

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