



## Commercial Vehicle Safety & Enforcement

### Commercial Transport Department

# NOTICE

## To All Permit Issuers, Industry and the General Public

### Oversize and Overweight Restrictions for Barriere River Bridge on Highway 5

To Whom It May Concern:

Please be advised that construction will be occurring on the Barriere River Bridge (Structure #02210) on November 16, 17 and 18, 2021 between the hours of 0830 to 1730 to repair damage caused by a previous vehicle incident. During those scheduled times vehicles will need to take a detour via Barriere Town Rd.

NOTE: The detour route via Barriere Town Rd. is restricted to a maximum weight of 63,500 kg and is unable to accommodate any oversize vehicles or loads.

For travel outside of the times noted above, carriers may contact the Provincial Permit Centre to obtain a single trip size and/or overweight permits for travel across the Barriere River Bridge (Structure #02210) on Highway 5 up to a maximum gross vehicle weight of 85,000 kg.

The Ministry has begun work analyzing existing Extraordinary Load Approvals to determine if travel may be possible with additional conditions. Those Approvals will not be valid for the detour route.

Further updates to the restriction will be posted on this Notice and [DriveBC.ca](http://DriveBC.ca). General questions about this restriction can be sent to [Commercial.Transport@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Commercial.Transport@gov.bc.ca).

Yours truly,

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