## **COMMERCIAL VEHICLE ENFORCEMENT UNIT (1/19-1/25)**

## **NORTHWEST SECTOR:**

#### **Details:**

• 1/21 Ferrisburgh NB, US Rte 7, 4 Inspectors screened 68 vehicles. They completed 27 inspections which resulted in 11 vehicle violations and 7 driver violations. One vehicle and one driver were placed out of service.



• 1/23 Colchester NB, I-89, 5 Inspectors and 1 Trooper screened 528 vehicles. They completed 25 inspections which resulted in 42 vehicle violations and 8 driver violations. Six vehicles were placed out of service.

#### **Crashes:**

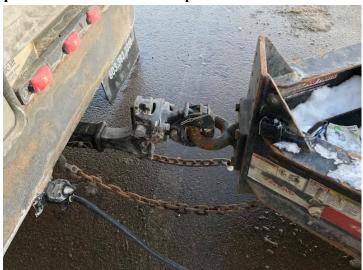
Nothing to report.

## **Notables:**

• 1/21 Inspector stopped a tractor trailer for failing to pull into the Ferrisburgh detail. A subsequent inspection revealed a flat tire on the trailer and the driver's log was false. The driver and trailer were placed out of service and a ticket was issued to the driver.



• 1/22 Inspector stopped a utility truck hauling an equipment trailer on US Rte 2 through Colchester for an equipment infraction. A subsequent inspection revealed the emergency break away system was defective. The trailer was placed out of service for repair.



• 1/22 Inspector stopped an interstate delivery truck for an inoperable lamp. The carrier was found to be under a Federal Out of Service Order. An inspection was conducted, the vehicle was placed out of service and the carrier was ticketed.



• 1/23 Inspector inspected an interstate tractor trailer at the Colchester detail. The vehicle was placed out of service for an audible air leak from a hole in an air line.



• 1/23 Inspector inspected an interstate tractor trailer at the Colchester detail. The trailer was placed out of service for inoperable lamps.



• 1/23 Inspector inspected an intrastate dump truck hauling machinery. The vehicle was weighed and found to be 9,000 lbs. over its registered weight. An inspection revealed the tie downs failed to have an aggregate working load limit of at least half the machine's weight. The vehicle was placed out of service.



• 1/23 Inspector inspected a box truck at the Colchester detail. The truck was placed out of service for an air leak which caused the truck to fail the air loss test.



• 1/23 Inspector inspected a tractor trailer at the Colchester detail. The trailer was placed out of service for having unsecured wood on the flat bed trailer.



# **Passenger Carrier:**

• Nothing to report.

# **NORTHEAST SECTOR:**

**Details:** 

• 1/22 Lyndonville Rest Area, I-91, 4 Inspectors screened 102 vehicles. Twelve inspections were completed. Five driver (one out of service) and ten vehicle (two out of service) violations were discovered.

## **Crashes:**

• None reported.

#### **Notables:**

- 1/21 Inspectors responded to the Montpelier area to standby to provide assistance at any civil disruptions during the Governor's State of the Budget Address at the State House.
- 1/21 Inspector stopped a flatbed wrecker for defective equipment. The CMV was missing a mud flap on the rear passenger side. There were numerous other defective equipment items present. The company was issued a ticket for the violation.



 1/23 Inspector stopped and conducted a hazardous materials inspection on a CMV transporting a propane tank. The tank, which contained residual propane, was not properly marked.



## **New Entrant:**

• Five carriers contacted regarding scheduling, document submission, inactivation, close out. Three audits completed and uploaded. 16 hours.

## **Passenger Vehicles:**

• No activity reported.

## **CENTRAL SECTOR:**

## **Details:**

- 1/21 Central Inspectors joined the Southern Unit at a detail on I 91 in Guilford.
- 1/23 Fair Haven Scale House, US Rte 4E, Inspectors screened 143 vehicles. They completed 10 level 2 (1 hazmat inspections), and 2 level 3 inspections revealing 7 vehicle violations (1 vehicle out of service violations) and 3 driver violations (1 driver out of service violations).



#### **Crashes:**

No crashes reported.

#### **Notables:**

• 1/23 Inspector discovered a false log while conducting a level 2 inspection at the Fair Haven Scale House. The driver had gone off duty the night before in OH and was off duty still at the time of inspection in Fair Haven. The driver had gone over 400 air miles without logging any drive time. The driver was placed out of service for 10 hours.



• 1/24 Inspector conducted a directed patrol on I 91 in the area of MM69. Three level 3 inspections were conducted. Three warnings were issued for speed.

## **Passenger Carrier:**

No activity reported.

## **SOUTH SECTOR:**

#### **Details:**

- 1/21 Guilford, I-91N, Inspectors screened 376 vehicles and checked 4 permits. They completed 12 level 2 inspections (1 hazmat violation) and 2 level 3 inspections revealing 7 vehicle violations and 4 driver violations.
- 1/23 Bennington, VT Rte 9E, Inspectors screened 79 vehicles and checked 11 permits. They completed 1 level 1, and 8 level 2 (1 hazmat inspection) inspections revealing 5 vehicle violations (2 vehicle out of service violations) and 1 driver violation (1 driver out of service violation).

## **Crashes:**

No crashes reported.

#### **Notables:**

• 1/21 Inspector conducted an inspection on this 8 axle Oversize load at the Guilford detail. The inspection revealed an underinflated tire, and the trailer was placed OOS. The oversize permit was valid for 130,000 lbs. A portable weigh revealed that the combination weighed 142,100 lbs., 12,100 lbs. over. The carrier was issued a ticket and the load was grounded until a proper permit could be obtained.



# **Safety Audits:**

• None reported.

## **Passenger Carrier:**

None reported.