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## Commercial Vehicle Travel Restrictions Lifted on all Interstate highways as of 6 pm today, Friday December 23 Motorists urged to use caution as road conditions can change quickly

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials announced the Commercial Vehicle Travel Restriction will be lifted effective at 6 pm today, Friday, December 23 for all highways.

All vehicles previously listed in the restriction are able to resume normal travel on the following highways in both directions:

- Interstate 76 (entire length)
- Interstate 78 (entire length)
- Interstate 80 (entire length)
- Interstate 195 (entire length)
- Interstate 280 (entire length)
- Interstate 287 (entire length)
- Interstate 295 (entire length)
- Interstate 676 (entire length)
- New Jersey Route 440 (both directions from the Outerbridge Crossing to I-287)

Interstate and State highways are in good condition, but with high winds and sub-freezing temperatures there is a potential for roads to be slippery. It is important to remember road conditions can change quickly. Our crews will continue to monitor conditions through the night to make sure roads remain in good condition.

Motorists are encouraged to slow down, plan extra travel time, and maintain a safe following distance from other vehicles during winter weather. Stay clear of spreaders and emergency responders so they are able to do their jobs safely.

For winter weather and preparedness updates, motorists are encouraged to check the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management's website, <u>www.Ready.NJ.gov</u> and NJDOT's traffic information website <u>www.511nj.org</u> for real-time travel information. For NJDOT news and updates follow us on the <u>NJDOT Facebook page</u> or on Twitter <u>@NewJerseyDOT</u>.

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