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## **General information in connection with special transports** **(abnormal loads)**

Following some important information about Special Transports at sea:

- All shipments of vehicles with dimensions exceeding "normal" dimensions must be checked by the port and the shipping company on the technical feasibility (see form in the appendix).
- To examine the technical feasibility, at least the following information is required: length, width, height, total weight, number of axles, spacing between the axles as well as the respective masses. Normally is also a drawing (lateral view and / or view) of vehicle needed.
- The shipment of vehicles which are not equipped with "rubber wheels" (all types of vehicles on chains) must be clarified in advance with the shipping company - most shipping companies have at least special regulations for the shipment of such vehicles, or reject the shipment for technical reasons.
- The sender has to pay special attention to the loading and securing the load on the vehicle - the cargo must be packaged and secured "seaworthy" to withstand to the burdens during the crossing.
- Any vehicle that is to be shipped on board a ferry, has to have appropriate lashing points to be secured seaworthy on deck. A shipment without sufficient number of lashing points is in the responsibility of each load master or captain.
- The company reserves the right at any time and without notice to change the timetable, the vessel or loading equipment. This affects also already confirmed reservations, this is especially problematic when ramp slopes are changed or if the weight load on the ship's own ramp now exceed the permissible limit.
- Generally, always the master of the ship has got the last decision, whether a vehicle intended for shipment is admitted or not.

Please find below our standard form to verify the technical feasibility of a shipment:

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**ABNORMAL LOADS CLEARANCE REQUEST**

**Dimensions and weight**

Please fill in all fields (metric size):

Company name	TSF Transport Austria		
Vehicle No		Fax contact no	0043 7614 71771 685
Intended date of shipment		Time	

**VEHICLE DETAILS**

Route			
Gross weight		Length	
Height		Width	

**NUMBER OF AXLES**

Tractor Unit		Trailer	
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**NUMBER OF WHEELS & WEIGHT PER AXLE**

	No. Wheels	Weight		No. Wheels	Weight
Axle 1			Axle 6		
Axle 2			Axle 7		
Axle 3			Axle 8		
Axle 4			Axle 9		
Axle 5			Axle 10		

**AXLE SPACINGS**

Axle 1 to 2		Axle 6 to 7	
Axle 2 to 3		Axle 7 to 8	
Axle 3 to 4		Axle 8 to 9	
Axle 4 to 5		Axle 9 to 10	
Axle 5 to 6		Axle 10 - 11	

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Ground clearance, rear steering, air suspension etc

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