

Speed Compliance Policy



CDM Logistics is aware of the legislative requirements for speed compliance, incorporating the maximum speed limit of 100kph for all heavy vehicles. We will implement business practices to help identifying any policy procedure or action which has the potential to cause or encourage a driver to speed.

To aid with this, we use sophisticated GPS tracking software capable of monitoring driver behaviour, driving style and breaches of speed limits. Exception reports are currently run daily, to monitor and ensure driver compliance.

The terms of any consignment must never encourage or allow a driver to exceed a speed limit. Any condition, written, verbal or otherwise set by any person that purports to a driver having to be at a pickup or destination point at a set time that would have the driver exceed a speed limit to meet the condition is strictly prohibited.

Management is to:

- Regularly check speed limited vehicles for compliance with the ADR 65/00.
- Educate drivers about the risks and penalties associated with speeding.
- Request driving records regularly from each driver to monitor and assess compliance
- Ensure that driver schedules and rosters are monitored for compliance
- Ensure that there is no encouragement, coercion or incentive for drivers to exceed a speed limit

Drivers are to:

- Ensuring they drive only to within regulated and sign posted speed limits
- Review their schedule and advise the Scheduler immediately if in their opinion they will exceed a speed limit to meet the schedules' requirement
- Reporting immediately if a speed limited vehicle is detected of being capable of accelerating above 100kph
- Reporting any instance of being requested or encouraged to accept a trip if it were to force the driver to exceed any speed limit

Schedulers are to:

- Ensure driver schedules allow the driver to continually comply and not cause a driver to exceed an applicable speed limit.
- Be aware of the reasonable time taken to travel to destinations along assigned routes
- Monitor driver performance and compliance
- Allow extra time to complete a trip safely and within regulated times

Loading Managers are to:

- Ensure that loading / unloading of vehicles is not delayed so to cause a driver to exceed an applicable speed limit.

Any evidence of speeding will result in disciplinary action and may, depending on safety, regulatory impact, and severity may result in immediately dismissal of the offending person.

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