



## ADVISORY

### QUEBEC SPRING THAW 2019 WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS (MONTREAL PORT HUB AREA)

Dear valued Customer and Agencies,

The official dates for Quebec Spring Thaw 2019 have now been confirmed by the Ministère du Transport du Québec. The weight reduction will be **applicable as of March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and up until May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 for Zone 1** (check below for zone 2 & 3).

Please check below for maximum payload (excluding tare) and applicable O/W surcharges that could apply.

QUEBEC SPRING THAW WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS (MONTREAL PORT HUB AREA)				
▶ ▶ ▶ STARTING MARCH 11TH 2019 ◀ ◀ ◀				
<p>The Ministère des Transports du Québec reminds heavy vehicle users and shippers that, as each year, authorized load limits are reduced during the spring thaw period in order to take into account the weaker load-bearing capacity of the road network during that period. The start and end dates of the Spring Thaw period may be adjusted by the Ministère des Transport du Québec at any time/at their discretion, dependent upon weather conditions.</p> <p><a href="https://www.transports.gouv.qc.ca/en/camionnage/degel-periode-restrictions-charges/Pages/periode-degel.aspx">https://www.transports.gouv.qc.ca/en/camionnage/degel-periode-restrictions-charges/Pages/periode-degel.aspx</a></p>				
<b>*** Adherence to weight limits (reduction) is mandatory during this period. ***</b>				
LOCAL MOVE WITHIN QUEBEC				
LANE CORRIDOR (From/To)	EQ SIZE	WEIGHT ALLOWANCE (no overweight fee)	OVERWEIGHT UP TO (surcharge applies)	OVERWEIGHT SURCHARGE FEE
INTRA-QUEBEC	20'ST	48,000 (21,772)	53,000 (24,040)	350 USD *
	40'ST/HC	50,000 (22,679)	55,000 (24,947)	350 USD *
	20'RF	46,000 (20,865)	51,000 (23,133)	350 USD *
	40'RF/RH	48,000 (21,772)	53,000 (24,040)	350 USD *
LINE-HAUL MOVE				
MONTREAL < > TORONTO	20'ST	50,000 (22,679)	56,000 (25,401)	350 USD *
	40'ST/HC	47,000 ( 21,319)	55,000 (24,947)	350 USD *
	20'RF	48,000 (21,772)	54,000 (24,494)	350 USD *
	40'RF/RH	45,000 (20,411)	52,000 (23,587)	350 USD *
MONTREAL < > NEW YORK	20'ST	44,000 (19,958)	52,500 (23,813)	350 USD *
MONTREAL < > PHILADELPHIA	40'ST/HC	44,000 (19,958)	50,500 (22,906)	350 USD *
	20'RF	40,000 (18,143)	48,500 (21,999)	350 USD *
	40'RF/RH	40,000 (18,143)	49,700 (22,543)	350 USD *
* Subject to trucker capacity & equipment availability of QUAD chassis (VERY LIMITED QUANTITY).				
Last update: Feb 19th 2019				

## THAW – TARGET DATES & ZONES

### Target dates for 2019

#### Zone 1

- From Monday, March 11(00:01) to Friday, May 10 (23:59)

#### Zone 2

- From Monday, March 18 (00:01) to Friday, May 17 (23:59)

#### Zone 3

- From Monday, March 25 (00: 01) to Friday, May 24 (23:59)

Please note that the target dates represent the most likely start and end dates of the thaw period for each of the three zones. Depending on the changes in weather conditions, these dates may be moved ahead or postponed.



**We remind all customers to strictly adhere to these reduced weight limits during this period.**