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BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF THE COUNTY OF FRESNO
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF INCREASING)
THE CALIFORNIA TRACTOR)
TRAILER GROSS VEHICLE)
WEIGHT LIMITATION DURING)
THE COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH)
EMERGENCY)

RESOLUTION NO. 20-274

WHEREAS, to assist with the Presidentially declared emergency response due to the COVID-19 pandemic, tractor trailers are permitted to exceed California's weight limitation of 80,000 pounds by an additional 8,000 pounds or 10%; and

WHEREAS, the State of California initiated this special permit for Legal Truck Overweight for "Essential Goods" only; and

WHEREAS, the operation of more productive trucks can reduce the number of miles needed to deliver freight; and

WHEREAS, with a reduction of truck miles, this would reduce the industry's crash exposure, lower energy use and emissions; and

WHEREAS, with an increase of freight per tractor trailer, this will decrease freight transportation costs; and

WHEREAS, the Legal Truck Overweight permit expired on July 11, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors support the extension of the Legal Truck Overweight permit for the duration of the Presidentially declared emergency.

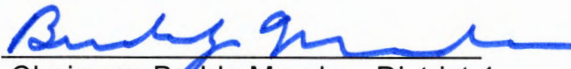
1 THE FOREGOING was PASSED and ADOPTED by the following vote of the
2 Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 1st day of September 2020, to-wit:

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4 AYES: Supervisors Brandau, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero


5 NOES: None

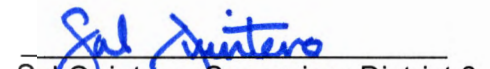
6 ABSENT: None

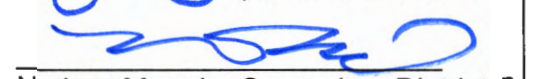
7 ABSTAINED: None
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Chairman Buddy Mendes, District 4

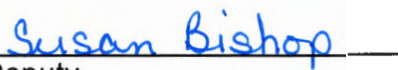
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12 Vice Chairman Steve Brandau, District 2

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14 Brian Pacheco, Supervisor District 1


Sal Quintero, Supervisor District 3


Nathan Magsig, Supervisor District 5

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16 ATTEST:
17 BERNICE E. SEIDEL
18 Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Fresno, State of California

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Deputy
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