

RULEMAKING NOTICE FORM

Notice Number _____

Rule Number Saf-C 4600

<p>1. Agency Name & Address:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">NH Department of Safety</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">33 Hazen Drive</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">Concord, NH 03305</p>	<p>2. RSA Authority: RSA 21-P:14, II(w); RSA 359-T:3; RSA 359-T:4; RSA 359-T:5, IV and V; RSA 359-T:13, II; and RSA 359-T:14, II</p> <hr/> <p>3. Federal Authority: <u>N/A</u></p> <hr/> <p>4. Type of Action:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">Adoption _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">Repeal _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">Readoption _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">Readoption w/amendment <u> X </u></p>
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5. Short Title: **Carriage of Household Goods by Motor Vehicles**

6. (a) Summary of what the rule says and of any proposed amendments:

The proposed rulemaking readopts with amendment Saf-C 4600, Carriage of Household Goods by Motor Vehicles. The rule outlines requirements for the issuance of certificates and permits to household goods common carriers and household goods contract carriers, establishes standards for estimates and billing, outlines the standards for complaints and hearings, and establishes requirements for applications, transfer request forms, and annual reports. The proposed readoption follows interim rules in Saf-C 9100 which implement legislation effective January 1, 2023 (Chapter 14, Laws of 2022(HB 207-FN)). The interim rules will expire on October 24, 2023.

Proposed amendments to the rule include the addition of specific names of forms; removal of the section on tariffs to replace it with estimates and billing, in order to conform with updated statutory language and guidelines; simplified requirements on rates; removal of the section regarding public convenience, necessity, and interest, as that language is no longer included in the updated legislation; removal of various application form subsections for consistency with the revised requirements of the current application form; and the incorporation by reference of forms.

6. (b) Brief description of the groups affected:

Those groups affected by the proposed rulemaking include all household goods carriers, the Department of Safety; Bureau of Road Toll, and individuals contracting household goods carriers.

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6. (c) Specific section or sections of state statute or federal statute or regulation which the rule is intended to implement:

Rule	Statute
Saf-C 4601.01	RSA 21-P:14, II(w); RSA 359-T:3; RSA 359-T:4; RSA 359-T:5, IV and V; RSA 359-T:13, II; RSA 359-T:14, II; RSA 541-A:7
Saf-C 4601.02	RSA 541-A:7
Saf-C 4601.03	RSA 359-T:2
Saf-C 4601.04	RSA 21-P:6, IX; RSA 541-A:7
Saf-C 4601.05	RSA 541-A:7
Saf-C 4601.06	RSA 359-T:1, II, III
Saf-C 4601.07	RSA 359-T:4
Saf-C 4601.08	RSA 359-T:3; RSA 359-T:4; RSA 541-A:7
Saf-C 4602.01	RSA 359-T:2
Saf-C 4602.02	RSA 359-T:8
Saf-C 4602.03-4602.05	RSA 359-T:4
Saf-C 4602.06	RSA 359-T:4; RSA 359-T:7
Saf-C 4602.07	RSA 359-T:13, III
Saf-C 4603.01-4603.03	RSA 359-T:9; RSA 359-T:11
Saf-C 4604.01-4604.04	RSA 359-T:6; RSA 359-T:15
Saf-C 4605.01-4605.03	RSA 359-T:5; RSA 359-T:4; RSA 359-T:7; RSA 359-T:8; RSA 359-T:13, I(a)

7. Contact person for copies and questions including requests to accommodate persons with disabilities:

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8. Deadline for submission of materials in writing or, if practicable for the agency, in the electronic format specified: **Friday, October 13, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.**

Fax E-mail Other format (specify):

9. Public hearing scheduled for:

Date and Time: **Friday, October 6, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.**
Place: **33 Hazen Drive, 2d Floor Conference Room**

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10. Fiscal Impact Statement (Prepared by Legislative Budget Assistant)

FIS # 23-215 , dated August 30, 2023

Fiscal Impact Statement for Department of Safety rules governing Carriage of Household Goods by Motor Vehicles. [Saf-C 4600]

1. Comparison of the costs of the proposed rule(s) to the existing rule(s):
There is no difference in cost when comparing the proposed rules to the existing rules.

2. Cite the Federal mandate. Identify the impact on state funds:
No federal mandate, no impact on state funds.

3. Cost and benefits of the proposed rule(s):

A. To State general or State special funds:
None.

B. To State citizens and political subdivisions:
None.

C. To independently owned businesses:
None.

10. Statement Relative to Part I, Article 28-a of the N.H. Constitution:

This proposal does not create a new program or responsibility or expand or modify an existing program or responsibility, and this proposal does not mandate or assign a program or responsibility to any political subdivision in such a way as to increase the costs a political subdivision must pay. Therefore, this proposal does not violate Part I, Article 28-a of the N.H. Constitution.