

For Immediate Release:

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Commercial Vehicle Travel Restrictions Lifted on all Interstate highways as of 12 noon today Motorists urged to limit travel as crews complete work to clear roads

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(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials announced the Commercial Vehicle Travel Restriction will be lifted effective at 12 noon today, Tuesday, February 2 for all highways.

All vehicles previously listed in the restriction are able to resume normal travel effective at 12 noon today, Tuesday, February 2 on the following highways in both directions:

- I-76, from the Walt Whitman Bridge (Pennsylvania border) to NJ Route 42
- I-78, from the Pennsylvania border to I-95 (New Jersey Turnpike)
- I-80, from the Pennsylvania border to I-95 (New Jersey Turnpike)
- I-195, from I-295 to NJ Route 138
- I-280, from I-80 to I-95 (New Jersey Turnpike)
- I-287, from NJ Route 440 to the New York State border
- I-295, from the Delaware Memorial Bridge to the Scudders Falls Bridge (Pennsylvania border)
- I-676, from the Benjamin Franklin Bridge (Pennsylvania border) to I-76
- NJ Route 440, from the Outerbridge Crossing to I-287

State Highways are generally in good condition, but the storm is not over and crews are still working. If you don't have to go out today, please stay home. If you have to go out, motorists should continue to use extreme caution and drive carefully as there could be slippery roadways.

Our crews will continue to work through the day to make sure roads are in good condition for the morning commute tomorrow.

If you must drive today, remember to clear snow and ice from your vehicle before you drive, plan extra travel time, and maintain a safe following distance from other vehicles. Stay clear of plows, spreaders and emergency responders so they are able to do their jobs safely.

NJDOT will be using Variable Message Signs throughout the storm to provide updates. For winter weather and preparedness updates, motorists are encouraged to check the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management's website, www.Ready.NJ.gov and NJDOT's traffic information website www.511nj.org for real-time travel information. For NJDOT news and updates follow us on the NJDOT Facebook page or on Twitter @NewJerseyDOT.