

Sec. 151.02. Definitions.

Unless otherwise expressly stated, the following terms shall, for the purpose of this Traffic Code, or for the enforcement of the Highway Traffic Regulation Act, Chapter 169 of Minnesota Statutes, have the meanings indicated in this section.

Where terms are not defined in this section and are defined in the Highway Traffic Regulation Act, Chapter 169 of Minnesota Statutes, they shall have the meanings ascribed to them therein.

Where terms are not defined in this chapter or in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 169, they shall have ascribed to them their ordinarily accepted meanings and/or such as the context herein may imply.

- (6) *Commercial vehicle* shall include any bus or commercial truck, as herein defined, or any vehicle designed or modified to serve purposes other than the transportation of persons or as licensed under Chapter 158. A commercial vehicle shall not include public utility vehicles, authorized emergency vehicles and/or those vehicles currently owned and operated by federal, state and local governmental subdivisions.
- (9) *Overweight vehicle*. Any vehicle, with or without load, which weighs more than six thousand (6,000) pounds or is registered for a gross weight of more than nine thousand (9,000) pounds or is greater than twenty-two (22) feet in length and/or seven and one-half (7½) feet in height. This definition includes but is not limited to semi-trailers, tow trucks, buses, limousines, tractors, construction equipment or similar vehicles. This definition excludes licensed, operable recreational vehicles (RV's).