Oklahoma OS/OW Permit Binder

This document is designed for integration into your RAG (Retrieval-Augmented Generation) system for OpenAI,
serving as the authoritative reference for Oklahoma oversize/overweight (OS/OW) regulations, permitting, and routing.

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1. Authoritative Sources (Live Links)
- **Oklahoma DOT Oversize/Overweight Permits:**
https://oklahoma.gov/odot/business-center/permits.html
- **Oklahoma Statutes – Size & Weight:**
https://www.oscn.net/applications/oscn/index.asp?level=1&ftdb;=STOKST&folder;=Titles&year;=2025
- **Permit Portal (Oklahoma Permit Office):** https://oklahoma.gotpermits.com
- **Contact Oklahoma Permit Office:** (405) 425-7012

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2. Core Permit Rules & Restrictions
- **Permit Required:** For vehicles exceeding legal size/weight limits.
- **Legal Limits (without permit):**
- Width: 8'6"
- Height: 13'6"
- Length: 40' (single vehicle), 65' (combination)
- Weight: 20,000 lbs single axle / 34,000 lbs tandem (federal bridge formula applies)
- **Superloads:** Generally > 16' wide, > 16' high, > 120' long, or 200,000 lbs require engineering review.
- **Travel Restrictions:**
- Travel prohibited during inclement weather or when visibility < 500 ft.
- No movement on major holidays.
- Some curfews apply in Oklahoma City and Tulsa metro areas.
- **Escort Requirements:**
- Width > 12' requires at least 1 escort.
- Height > 15' requires route survey + escort.
- Extreme loads may require Oklahoma Highway Patrol (OHP) escort.

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3. Permit Workflow
1. **Carrier/Driver Submits Load Info:** Vehicle dimensions, axle weights, and requested route.
2. **System Checks:**
- Validate against Oklahoma statutory limits.
- Check bridge restrictions, clearance points, and weight stations.
3. **Permit Issuance:**
- Through the Oklahoma GoPermits portal.
- Fees determined by load size/weight and mileage.
4. **Routing:**
- Restricted routes flagged (low clearance, load-sensitive roads).
5. **Compliance:**

- Permit must be carried in cab at all times.
- Escorts must follow ODOT/OHP requirements.

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4. RAG Extraction Checklist
When parsing queries for Oklahoma permits, the AI should extract:
- Vehicle Width, Height, Length
- Total Gross Weight
- Axle Count & Weights
- Origin & Destination
- Route (including highways, metro areas)
- Dates/Times requested
- Escort Requirement Triggers
- Weather/holiday restrictions

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5. Driver & Carrier Notes
- **Night Travel:** Allowed if specified on permit, must have proper lighting/escort.
- **Lighting/Flagging:** Red flags (day), amber lights (night) required for OS/OW loads.
- **Permit Validity:** Most single-trip permits valid for 5 days.
- **Emergency Info:** Call 511 for statewide road conditions.

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