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**EXTENDED TEMPORARY VARIANCE PERMIT APPROVAL**  
**Original Expiration Date: March 31, 2017**

**Expires: Midnight on May 31, 2017, or Upon the Permanent Truck Scale Being  
Placed in Service (whichever occurs first)**

**CTAP, LLC**  
**Variance Permit**  
**Application**

**Case No. WM-16-552**

**Issued To:**  
CTAP, LLC  
2585 Trailridge Dr E  
Lafayette CO 80026

**Scale Location:**  
New Town, North Dakota

**Scale Information:**  
Rice Lake Weighing Systems ATV Series, Serial Number 665B, 200,000 lb. overall capacity,  
100,000 lb. CLC, 11' x 70' Truck Scale

**Variance Permit Request Received July 26, 2016:**

To operate a portable pitless scale in commerce.

**Temporary Variance Permit Conditions:**

- The scale will not be used beyond its 200,000 lb. overall capacity, 100,000 lb. concentrated load capacity;
- During the temporary variance period, the scale must maintain acceptance tolerance;
- The scale must be operated according to all applicable North Dakota Laws and Rules; and
- Enclosed is a Temporary Variance Permit that must be posted near the scale referenced by the Permit and in a place conspicuous to the public.

We must also notify you that a portable pitless scale that is in a location for **6 months or more** must meet approach requirements found in North Dakota Administrative Code Section 69-10-02-09 and NIST Handbook 44 UR.2.6.1 as follows:

- on the entrance and exit ends of the vehicle scale there shall be a straight approach as follows:
  - the width at least the width of the platform,
  - the length of twelve feet or a distance equal to one-third of deck length, whichever is greater, beginning in a level plane with the surface of the scale deck, and
  - the first twelve feet of the straight approach from the scale must be of metal or concrete to insure that this portion remains smooth and level and in the same plane as the platform. Metal grating must be of sufficient strength to withstand all loads equal to the concentrated load capacity of the scale. Any slope of the remaining portion of the straight approach away from the scale deck may not exceed one-third inch [8.47 millimeters] per foot [30.48 centimeters].
  - any slope in any remaining portion of approaches beyond the straight approach shall ensure ease of vehicle access, ease for testing purposes, and drainage away from the scale.

If you have any further questions, or require additional information, please feel free to contact me at (701) 328-4097.

Dated April 12, 2017



Konrad Crockford, Director  
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This Permit allows the above referenced **portable pitless scale to be operated in commerce.**

This Permit is conditioned upon CTAP, LLC adhering to the terms of the April 12, 2017 Extended Temporary Variance Permit Approval.

Dated April 12, 2017

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Konrad Crockford", is written over a faint, larger version of the signature.

Konrad Crockford, Director  
Compliance Division