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RULES RELATING TO THE CLOSURE OF STATE HIGHWAYS

1. Pursuant to 23 V.S.A. §1006a, ~~W~~when the Traffic Committee finds that the health, safety, or welfare of the public requires that certain portions of the state highway system be closed to public travel ~~during periods of winter weather~~, the Committee, at the recommendation of the District ~~Highway Engineer~~ Transportation Administrator of the Vermont ~~Agency of Transportation~~ Department of Highways within whose District the highway in question is located, may open and close said highways ~~following the same procedures as set forth in 3 VSA § 803~~. The public shall be notified through the means determined to be appropriate.
2. The Traffic Committee hereby delegates the authority to close portions of the state highways ~~system for emergency reasons~~ to the District Transportation Administrators ~~Highway Engineers~~ of the Vermont Agency of Transportation. ~~Department of Highways and the Troop Commanders of the Vermont State Police~~. In the event that a closure occurs, the individual authorizing such closure shall, within 24 hours, make a written report to the Traffic Management Center ~~Committee~~ setting forth the ~~events and/or~~ circumstances requiring the closing.