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Extract taken from: In-service certification (WoF and CoF) > Heavy PSVs > Towing connections

12 Towing connections

12-2 Towbar

Reasons for rejection

Mandatory requirement and equipment

1. The towbar has a maximum towed mass (MTM) exceeding 3500kg.
2. Refer to [heavy vehicle pages](#).

Condition and performance

3. Refer to [heavy vehicle pages](#).

Modification and repair

4. Refer to [heavy vehicle pages](#).

Summary of legislation

Applicable legislation

- [Land Transport Rules: Heavy Vehicles 2004](#).

Mandatory equipment

1. A passenger service vehicle must not tow heavy trailers.
2. Refer to [heavy vehicle pages](#).

Condition and performance

2. Refer to [heavy vehicle pages](#).

Modification and repair

3. Refer to [heavy vehicle pages](#).