



**MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
General Permit 2015-005**

One-way Authorization to Transport Construction Equipment with Prohibited Invasive Species Attached for Cleaning, Repair or Storage
(Minnesota Statutes 84D.05 Subd. 1(5) and 84D.11 Subd. 2d)

Eligible Permittees: Equipment owners, operators and/or their designee(s) transporting construction-related equipment with attached prohibited invasive species.

Scope: This general permit authorizes equipment owners, operators and/or their designee(s) transporting construction-related equipment with attached prohibited invasive species to a maintenance, storage or disposal facility where the prohibited invasive species will be removed and/or disposed. This general permit is valid only for one-way transport on one day.

Conditions: The equipment owner, operator or his/her designee must take the following measures to prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species during transport and disposal activities covered under this permit:

- drain all water from the equipment before transporting it off site;
- remove all visible aquatic plants, sediment and prohibited invasive species such as zebra mussels from the equipment prior to transportation;
- transport the equipment directly from the departure address to the destination address;
- clean all aquatic plants, sediment, and prohibited invasive species from the hauling vehicle (truck, trailer, pickup truck, etc.) and equipment after unloading at the destination;
- lawfully dispose of prohibited invasive species at least 300 feet from shoreland areas, ditches, seasonally flooded lands or other waters of the state; and
- follow applicable procedures in the document "Best Practices for Prevention of Spread of Aquatic Invasive Species" for construction projects.

Project (include project owner): _____

Project Address or Location: _____

Project Contact: _____

Contractor or designee: _____

Hauling Vehicle license number: _____

Transportation date (form is only valid on this date): _____

Departure address or location: _____

Destination address or location: _____

I have read and agree to follow the above permit conditions.

Signature of the owner, operator, or designee

Date