

Albany Ring Road

Bridge beam deliveries between Perth and Albany

- **7 to 8 October and**
- **11 to 12 October**

The remaining three beams for the new South Coast Highway bridge will be transported from the manufacturing facility in Herne Hill, Perth to the project site off South Coast Highway on 7 and 8 October and on 11 to 12 October 2023.

On Saturday 7 October, a convoy comprising two trucks, each measuring approximately 50m in length, will be leaving Perth. The trucks will be escorted by pilot vehicles and a Traffic Escort Warden.

The trucks will travel at 50-60km/h, with lower speeds during turning manoeuvres. There will be fatigue breaks, with an overnight stop planned along Albany Highway. The remaining section of the journey will be completed on Sunday 8 October.

The final beam will be transported on a single truck, leaving Perth on Wednesday 11 October, arriving in Albany on Thursday 12 October.

If you encounter the convoy on Albany Highway, please be cautious, exercise patience and follow the instructions of the traffic controllers.

Please note that these dates may be changed without notice.

What does this mean for road users?

- Pilots and the Traffic Escort Warden will control traffic.
- During the load turning movements, all traffic will be stopped to allow sufficient space whilst turning. During general transit, the load may require more than one lane.
- Pilots will control any opportunity for passing vehicles.
- On single-lane carriageways, oncoming vehicles will be positioned on the shoulder and made to wait until the loads have passed.
- On multi-lane carriageways, the pilots may close all lanes resulting in no overtaking opportunities.

Further information

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