

28 **41-6a-602. Speed limits established on state highways.**

29 (1) (a) The Department of Transportation shall determine the reasonable and safe speed
30 limit for each highway or section of highway under its jurisdiction.

31 (b) For each highway or section of highway, each speed limit shall be based on a traffic
32 engineering and safety study consistent with the requirements and recommendations in the
33 most current version of the "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices."

34 (c) The traffic engineering and safety studies shall include:

- 35 (i) the design speed;
- 36 (ii) prevailing vehicle speeds;
- 37 (iii) accident history;
- 38 (iv) highway, traffic, and roadside conditions; and
- 39 (v) other highway safety factors.

40 (2) In addition to the provisions of Subsection (1), the Department of Transportation
41 may establish different speed limits on a highway or section of highway based on:

- 42 (a) time of day;
- 43 (b) highway construction;
- 44 (c) type of vehicle;
- 45 (d) weather conditions; and
- 46 (e) other highway safety factors.

47 (3) (a) Except as provided in Subsection (3)(b) and (c), a posted speed limit may not
48 exceed 65 miles per hour.

49 (b) Except as provided in Subsection (3)(c), a posted speed limit on a freeway or other
50 limited access highway may not exceed 75 miles per hour.

51 (c) (i) The ~~[department]~~ Department of Transportation may establish a posted speed
52 limit on a freeway or other limited access highway that exceeds the maximum speed limit in
53 Subsection (3)(b) if the speed limit is ~~is~~ ~~(A)~~ based on a highway traffic engineering and safety
54 study ~~;~~ ~~and (B) is~~ and located on:

55 (A) a portion of Interstate 15 that is between milepost [222] 244 and milepost [64:] 24
56 or between milepost 366 and the Utah-Idaho state line; ~~H→~~ [or] ~~←H~~

57 (B) a portion of Interstate 80 that is between milepost 99 and the Utah-Nevada state
58 line ~~H→~~ [:] ; or

58a (C) a portion of Interstate 84 that is between the Tremonton Interchange and the
58b Utah-Idaho state line. ~~←H~~