

Machinery Movers Versus Towing Companies: Whom to Choose to Move Your Equipment or Machinery

JP Towing from Toronto, ON, expands its fleet with a 15-ton Kenworth tilt-n-load truck.

(<u>PRWEB</u>) February 12, 2005 -- If you have to transport a skidsteer loader, a scissor lift, a small excavator, or any other piece of industrial and construction equipment, there're two kinds of companies you can hire: 1) machinery movers; and 2) towing companies. Machinery movers generally have bigger roll-off trucks and they charge more, while towing companies operate smaller tilt-n-load trucks, and their fees are lower.

JP Towing is a fairly large towing company in Etobicoke, ON that besides regular tow trucks operates a fleet of medium duty tilt-n-load trucks. These trucks are capable of moving vehicles, industrial and construction equipment, machinery, and even 20 ft storage containers. Until recently, the heaviest load JP Towing could transport was 15,000 lb: all of their trucks had single axles only.

This changed however in January 2005, when JP Towing purchased a brand new Kenworth T300 tandem axle tilt-n-load truck. The truck can carry 15 tons of cargo.

"We felt we needed to expand our fleet to stay competitive," says John Paul Cruz, President of JP Towing.

Built by Canadian Towing Equipment (<u>www.cantow.ca</u>), the truck features a 30 foot tilt-n-load Chevron deck, Cummins 315 hp engine (ICS 315, 8.3 liters), tandem rear axles, 15,000 lb planetary winch, and a 4,000 lb wheel lift (for towing vehicles). With its 30,000 lb payload capacity it can compete with most machinery movers.

"This Kenworth will manage almost any equipment & machinery we're asked to carry: skidsteer loaders, rollers, compactors, mini-excavators, containers, mobile generators, A/C units, forklift trucks, scissor lifts, boom lifts, you name it. It's a great truck. " says Serguei, a truck driver entrusted with operating the bright red T300.

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