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SENATE DRS75184-ML-25D* (01/08)

Short Title: Weight Limits/Animal Feed Trucks. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Jackson (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO MODIFY THE WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS APPLICABLE TO VEHICLES
3 TRANSPORTING FEED THAT IS USED IN THE FEEDING OF POULTRY OR
4 LIVESTOCK WHEN TRAVELING WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FIFTY MILES OF THE
5 POINT OF ORIGIN TO CERTAIN LOCATIONS.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-118(c)(12) reads as rewritten:

8 "(12) Subsections (b) and (e) of this section do not apply to a vehicle or vehicle
9 combination that meets all of the conditions set out below:

10 a. Is transporting any of the following items within 150 miles of the
11 point of origination:

12 1. Agriculture crop products transported from a farm to a
13 processing plant or market.

14 2. Water, fertilizer, pesticides, seeds, fuel, or animal waste
15 transported to or from a farm by a farm vehicle as defined in
16 G.S. 20-37.16(e)(3).

17 3. Meats, livestock, or live poultry transported from the farm
18 where they were raised to a processing plant or market.

19 3a. Feed that is used in the feeding of poultry or livestock and
20 transported from a storage facility, holding facility, or mill to
21 a farm.

22 4. Forest products originating and transported from a farm or
23 woodlands to market with delay interruption or delay for
24 further packaging or processing after initiating transport.

25 5. Wood residuals, including wood chips, sawdust, mulch, or
26 tree bark from any site.

27 6. Raw logs to market.

28 7. Trees grown as Christmas trees from field, farm, stand, or
29 grove to a processing point.

30 b. Repealed by Session Laws 1993 (Reg. Sess., 1994), c. 761, s. 13.

31 b1. Does not operate on an interstate highway or exceed any posted
32 bridge weight limits during transportation or hauling of agricultural
33 products.

34 c. Meets any of the following vehicle configurations:



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