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## HOUSE DRH30112-ML-25B (01/08)

Short Title:	Weight Limits/Animal Feed Trucks.	(Public)
Sponsors:	Representatives Dixon, Brisson, J. Bell, and L. Bell (Primary Sponsors).	
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 WHE	N TRA	VELING WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FIFTY MILES OF THE	
5	POINT OF ORIGIN	TO CE	RTAIN LOCATIONS.	
6	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:			
7	SECTION 1	• G.S. 2	20-118(c)(12) reads as rewritten:	
8	"(12) Subse	ections (	(b) and (e) of this section do not apply to a vehicle or vehicle	
9	comb	ination	that meets all of the conditions set out below:	
10	a.	Is tra	nsporting 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		<u>3a.</u>	Feed that is used in the feeding of poultry or livestock and	
20			transported from a storage facility, holding facility, or mill to	
21			<u>a farm.</u>	
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.	-	aled by Session Laws 1993 (Reg. Sess., 1994), c. 761, s. 13.	
31	b1.		not operate on an interstate highway or exceed any posted	
32		-	e weight limits during transportation or hauling of agricultural	
33		produ		
34	с.	Meets	any of the following vehicle configurations:	



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1	1.	Does not exceed a single-axle weight of 22,000 pounds, a		
2		tandem-axle weight of 42,000 pounds, or a gross weight of		
3		90,000 pounds.		
4	2.	Consists of a five or more axle combination vehicle that does		
5		not exceed a single-axle weight of 26,000 pounds, a		
6		tandem-axle weight of 44,000 pounds and a gross weight of		
7		90,000 pounds, with a length of at least 48 feet between the		
8		center of axle one and the center of the last axle of the vehicle		
9		and a minimum of 11 feet between the center of axle one and		
10		the center of axle two of the vehicle.		
11	3.	Consists of a two-axle vehicle that does not exceed a gross		
12		weight of 37,000 pounds and a single-axle weight of no more		
13		than 27,000 pounds, with a length of at least 14 feet between		
14		the center of axle one and the center of axle two of the		
15		vehicle.		
16	d. Re	pealed by Session Laws 2012-78, s. 6, effective June 26, 2012."		
17	SECTION 2. Th	is act becomes effective July 1, 2013.		