2024 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 880

BY REPRESENTATIVE SCHAMERHORN

MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES: Provides with respect to the renewal of truck registrations

1	AN ACT			
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 47:462(B)(6) and 508(A)(3) and to enact R.S. 47:508(A)(4),			
3	relative to the registration of certain commercial vehicles; to provide an exception			
4	to annual registration renewals for trucks weighing ten thousand to sixteen thousand			
5	pounds; and to provide for related matters.			
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:			
7	Section 1. R.S. 47:462(B)(6) and 508(A)(3) are hereby amended and reenacted and			
8	R.S. 47:508(A)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:			
9	§462. Trucks and trailers			
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11	B. Rates			
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13	(6) Provided further that the registration or license tax for each motor truck			
14	and tandem truck having a gross vehicle weight per load carrying axle rating up to			
15	and including ten sixteen thousand pounds or less shall be paid and shall expire four			
16	years from the date of issuance and thereafter shall be renewed quadrennially. and			
17	The registration or license tax for motorcycles may be paid; every four years;			
18	pursuant to a staggered registration system as shall be adopted by the commissioner.			
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1	§508. Registration; commercial vehicles; exemption
2	А.
3	* * *
4	(3) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, every
5	registration of a truck in excess of ten sixteen thousand pounds or trailer licensed
6	pursuant to R.S. 47:462, except those trailers provided in R.S. 47:462(B)(1)(b), shall
7	expire one year from the date of issuance and thereafter shall be renewed annually.
8	(4) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, every
9	registration of a truck between ten thousand pounds and sixteen thousand pounds
10	shall expire four years from the date of issuance and thereafter shall be renewed
1	quadrennially.
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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides an exception to annual registration renewals for trucks weighing ten thousand to sixteen thousand pounds, which must be renewed quadrennially.

<u>Present law</u> provides every registration of a truck in excess of 10,000 pounds or trailer licensed pursuant to <u>present law</u> expires one year from the date of issuance and thereafter must be renewed annually.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides an exception to the annual registration requirement in <u>present law</u> for trucks weighing 10,000 to 16,000 pounds to renew every four years.

(Amends R.S. 47:462(B)(6) and 508(A)(3); Adds R.S. 47:508(A)(4))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Transportation</u>, <u>Highways and Public Works</u> to the <u>original</u> bill:

- 1. Conform language in <u>present law</u> (R.S. 47:462(B)(6)) to match language in <u>proposed law</u> which provides an exception to the annual registration requirement in <u>present law</u> for trucks weighing 10,000 to 16,000 pounds to renew every four years.
- 2. Make technical changes.