
DIGEST

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HB No. 491

Abstract: Provides the issuance of a special permit for hay hauling under certain circumstances.

Present law authorizes the secretary to issue a special permit for the operation of vehicles or combination thereof having dimensions or weights in excess of the limits imposed by present law if the shipment is not readily divided, broken, dismantled, or otherwise prohibited by law.

Proposed law provides for the issuance of a special permit to those vehicles transporting hay due to a disaster or emergency, including but not limited to severe and extended drought conditions. The secretary may promulgate such rules and regulations, in accordance with administrative procedures, as may be necessary to implement proposed law.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 32:387(C)(2); Adds R.S. 32:387(B)(6))