

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 303

BY REPRESENTATIVE HENSGENS

MTR VEHICLE/TRUCK REGS: Provides with respect to overhang for trucks and trailers hauling heavy equipment

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 32:386.1, relative to blanket oversize yearly permits; to provide
3 for an increase to the overhang of trucks and trailers hauling loads; and to provide
4 for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 32:386.1 is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §386.1. Blanket oversize yearly permit; fees

8 Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Department
9 of Transportation and Development shall establish a blanket oversize yearly permit
10 for vehicles the width of which does not exceed twelve feet, the height of which does
11 not exceed fourteen feet and four inches, a length not to exceed ninety feet, and the
12 front and rear overhang of which does not exceed twenty-five feet. The fee for this
13 yearly permit shall be five hundred dollars. The secretary shall promulgate rules and
14 regulations to provide for the implementation of this Section.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for the front and rear overhang of vehicles transporting heavy equipment.

Present law provides for oversize dimensions for vehicles not to exceed 12 feet in width, 14 feet and 4 inches in height, 90 feet in length, and an overhang of 25 feet.

Proposed law retains present law, but clarifies the oversize dimensions of a front and rear overhang which is not to exceed 25 feet.

(Amends R.S. 32:386.1)