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VEHICLE WEIGHT LIMITATION EXEMPTION

House Bill 5825
Sponsor: Rep. Terry London
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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5825 AS INTRODUCED 5-5-98

House Bill 5825 would amend the Michigan Vehicle Code to allow a garbage or refuse hauler whose vehicle exceeds weight limitations to operate on a highway over which there is local authority, if the local authority adopts an ordinance or resolution that allows it.

Under current law local authorities are not allowed to alter the state's vehicle size and weight limitations unless granted that authority by law or rule. Rules that permit and regulate the operation of a vehicle that exceeds size and weight limitations are promulgated by the state transportation department under the Administrative Procedures Act.

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