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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1855

5 By: Representative Hillman
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PERMITS FOR THE
9 HAULING OF AGRONOMIC OR HORTICULTURAL CROPS IN THEIR
10 NATURAL STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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14 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PERMITS FOR
15 THE HAULING OF AGRONOMIC OR HORTICULTURAL
16 CROPS IN THEIR NATURAL STATE.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-35-210(q), concerning permits for
22 special cargoes, is amended to read as follows:

23 *(q)(1) The commission may issue a special permit valid for one (1)*
24 *year authorizing the movement of a truck tractor and semi-trailer*
25 *combination, or a truck tractor and semi-trailer-trailer combination, with a*
26 *minimum of five (5) axles hauling agronomic or horticultural crops in their*
27 *natural state that exceed the maximum gross weight as provided in § 27-35-203*
28 *but do not exceed a total gross weight of one hundred thousand pounds*
29 *(100,000 lbs.).*

30 *(2) A truck tractor and semi-trailer combination, or a truck*
31 *tractor and semi-trailer-trailer combination, issued a permit under*
32 *subdivision (q)(1) of this section shall not exceed the height, length, or*
33 *width restrictions required under this chapter.*

34 *(3) The Arkansas Department of Transportation in coordination*
35 *with the Arkansas Agriculture Department shall promulgate rules necessary to*
36 *implement this subsection, including without limitation the criteria required*



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