

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **First Extraordinary Session, 1992**
4 **By: Senator Scott**

A Bill

Call Item
SENATE BILL

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE §27-35-203(i), AS AMENDED
9 BY ACT 1139 OF 1991, TO PROVIDE THAT ALL VEHICLES WITH
10 FIVE (5) AXLES HAULING UNFINISHED AND UNPROCESSED FARM
11 PRODUCTS, FOREST PRODUCTS AND OTHER PRODUCTS OF THE SOIL
12 SHALL HAVE A MAXIMUM WEIGHT LIMIT OF 36,500 POUNDS (lbs.)
13 WHEN OPERATED ON NON-INTERSTATE HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE; AND
14 FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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18 SECTION 1. Subsection (i) of Arkansas Code §27-35-203, as amended by
19 Act 1139 of 1991, is hereby amended to read as follows:

20 "(i)(1) Vehicles, or combinations of vehicles, with five (5) axles
21 hauling sand, gravel, rock, or crushed stone and vehicles or combinations of
22 vehicles with five (5) axles hauling unfinished and unprocessed farm products,
23 forest products or other products of the soil shall be exempt from the federal
24 bridge formula found in subsection (e) of this section on non-interstate
25 highways in this state.

26 (2) Vehicles, or combinations of vehicles, with five (5) axles hauling
27 sand, gravel, rock, or crushed stone shall comply with a tandem axle limit of
28 thirty-four thousand pounds (34,000 lbs.) and a single axle limit of twenty
29 thousand pounds (20,000 lbs.). Vehicles, or combinations of vehicles, with
30 five (5) axles hauling unfinished and unprocessed farm products, forest
31 products, or other products of the soil shall comply with a tandem axle limit
32 of thirty-six thousand five hundred pounds (36,500 lbs.) and a single axle
33 limit of twenty thousand pounds (20,000 lbs.)."

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35 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature

1 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
2 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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4 SECTION 3. Severability. In the event any provision of this act is
5 declared or adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration or
6 adjudication shall not affect the remaining portions of this act which can be
7 given effect without the invalid or unconstitutional provision. The remaining
8 portions of this act shall remain in full force and effect as if the portion
9 declared or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional was not originally a part of
10 the act.

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12 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
13 hereby repealed.

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