

1-1 By: Brimer S.B. No. 737  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed February 24, 2005; March 2, 2005,  
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Transportation and  
1-4 Homeland Security; April 18, 2005, reported favorably by the  
1-5 following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 0; April 18, 2005, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to the prosecution of offenses involving the operating or  
1-9 loading of an overweight vehicle in violation of certain laws.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Subsection (f), Section 621.506, Transportation  
1-12 Code, is amended to read as follows:

1-13 (f) A justice or municipal court has jurisdiction of an  
1-14 offense under this section. [~~A municipal court has jurisdiction of~~  
1-15 ~~an offense under this section for which the fine does not exceed~~  
1-16 ~~\$500.~~]

1-17 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives  
1-18 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as  
1-19 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this  
1-20 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this  
1-21 Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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