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H.B. No. 4535

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to axle weight limitations for certain vehicles
3 transporting aggregates.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section [621.101](#), Transportation Code, is amended
6 by adding Subsection (b-2) to read as follows:

7 (b-2) Notwithstanding Subsections (a)(1) and (2), a vehicle
8 or combination of vehicles that is transporting aggregates, as
9 defined by Section [28A.001](#), Water Code, may operate at an axle
10 weight that is not heavier than the weight equal to the maximum
11 allowable axle weight provided by those subsections plus a
12 tolerance allowance of 15 percent of that allowable weight.

13 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
14 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
15 provided by Section [39](#), Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
16 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
17 Act takes effect September 1, 2021.