By: Guillen H.B. No. 4535

Substitute the following for H.B. No. 4535:

By: Martinez C.S.H.B. No. 4535

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 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.