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AN ACT to renumber and amend 348.07 (3) (b); and to create 348.07 (3) (b) 2 of the statutes, relating to the length of certain semitrailers operated as part of double bottom vehicle combinations.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 348.07(3) (b) of the statutes is renumbered 348.07(3) (b) 1 and amended to read:

348.07 (3) (b) 1. The Except as provided in subd. 2, the length of a semitrailer or trailer shall be measured from the front thereof to the rear of the semitrailer or trailer or cargo, whichever is longer, excluding bumpers, stake pockets, air deflectors and refrigeration units.

SECTION 2. 348.07 (3) (b) 2 of the statutes is created to read:

348.07 (3) (b) 2. The length of a semitrailer operated as the first trailing unit in a double bottom consisting of a truck tractor and 2 semitrailers does not include a frame extension bearing a fifth-wheel connection by which the 2nd trailing unit is drawn unless the frame extension is more than 8 feet in length. This subdivision does not affect the measurement of length from the front of the semitrailer to the rear of the cargo.