

State of Misconsin 1997 - 1998 LEGISLATURE

## **1997 ASSEMBLY BILL 131**

February 18, 1997 – Introduced by Representatives SCHNEIDER, RYBA, ZUKOWSKI, GOETSCH, GARD and HAHN. Referred to Committee on Highways and Transportation.

1 AN ACT to amend 341.266 (2) (e) 2. and 341.268 (2) (e) 2. of the statutes; relating 2 to: load weight limits on trucks registered with the department of 3 transportation as special interest, reconstructed, replica, street modified or 4 homemade vehicles.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, with certain restrictions, the owner may register as a special interest vehicle a vehicle that is at least 20 years old and has not been altered or modified from the original manufacturer's specifications and that, because of its historic interest, is being preserved by hobbyists. The owner may register a qualified vehicle as a reconstructed, replica, street modified or homemade vehicle. Any of these vehicles may be reregistered for no additional fee. A truck that is registered as one of these special vehicle types may not haul material weighing more than 500 pounds.

This bill exempts the weight of a camper, lid or cap that is mounted on a truck and the weight of the driver and any passengers from applying toward these weight limits.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

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

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1	<b>SECTION 1.</b> 341.266 (2) (e) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:
2	341.266 (2) (e) 2. Trucks may not haul material weighing more than 500
3	pounds <u>, not including the weight of a camper, lid or cap that is mounted on the truck</u>
4	or the weight of the truck's occupants.
5	SECTION 2. 341.268 (2) (e) 2. of the statutes is amended to read:
6	341.268 (2) (e) 2. Trucks may not haul material weighing more than 500
7	pounds <u>, not including the weight of a camper, lid or cap that is mounted on the truck</u>
8	or the weight of the truck's occupants.
9	(END)