Overweight and oversize vehicles.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Schiffer and Von Flatern and Representative(s) Zwonitzer, Dv.

A BILL

for

AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; providing for designation of highways to carry overweight and oversize vehicles as specified; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 31-18-804(n)(intro) and (i) and by creating a new subsection (u) is amended to read:

31-18-804. Permits for and certain highways to carry, overweight and oversize vehicles; government vehicles.

(n) Certain highways may be designated to carry vehicles of greater weight, length and number of vehicles than given in this section if it has been determined by the governor or director that a situation of
economic hardship exists or that the general welfare of the state of Wyoming or another state would benefit from the operation designation. Vehicles operating on the designated highways shall pay permit fees obtain a permit under this section in accordance with rules adopted by the director. Provisions for the operations designation may be made if the director has determined:

(i) That the operation of the combinations of vehicles under this subsection would relieve a situation that is detrimental to the economy or general welfare of the state or another state; and

(u) Nothing in this article shall be interpreted to authorize the operation of triple trailers as prohibited by W.S. 31-5-1009.

Section 2. This act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.