

SENATE FILE NO. SF0126

Large vehicle speed limit.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Larson, Coe and Jennings and
Representative(s) Bucholz, Jones and Luthi

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; establishing a separate
2 speed limit for large vehicles on interstate highways as
3 specified; and providing for an effective date.

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

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 31-5-301(b)(iii)(intro) is amended to
8 read:

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10 **31-5-301. Maximum speed limits.**

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12 (b) Except when a special hazard exists that requires
13 lower speed for compliance with subsection (a) of this
14 section, the limits specified in this subsection or
15 established as otherwise authorized shall be maximum lawful

1 speeds and no person shall drive a vehicle on a highway at
2 a speed in excess of maximum limits:

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4 (iii) On interstate highways, seventy-five (75)
5 miles per hour ~~on interstate highways~~ for vehicles with an
6 empty weight of less than twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds
7 and sixty-five (65) miles per hour for vehicles with an empty
8 weight of twenty-six thousand (26,000) pounds or more.

9 Nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to:

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11 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2005.

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13 (END)