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| 02/17/2011 | 262 | Introduction and first reading Referred to Transportation |

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A bill for an act

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relating to transportation; permitting gross weight seasonal increases for

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transportation of sweet corn; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section

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169.826, subdivision 1a.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 169.826, subdivision 1a, is amended to

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read:

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Subd. 1a. **Harvest season increase amount; permit.** The limitations provided in

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sections 169.823 to 169.829 are increased by ten percent from the beginning of harvest to

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November 30 each year for the movement of sugar beets, carrots, sweet corn, and potatoes

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from the field of harvest to the point of the first unloading. Transfer of the product

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from a farm vehicle or small farm trailer, within the meaning of chapter 168, to another

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vehicle is not considered to be the first unloading. A permit issued under section 169.86,

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subdivision 1, paragraph (a), is required. The commissioner shall not issue permits under

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this subdivision if to do so will result in a loss of federal highway funding to the state.

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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.