
HOUSE BILL 2981

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1 AN ACT Relating to operation of overweight loads; and amending RCW
2 46.44.0941.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 46.44.0941 and 1990 c 42 s 107 are each amended to
5 read as follows:

6 The following fees, in addition to the regular license and tonnage
7 fees, shall be paid for all movements under special permit made upon
8 state highways. All funds collected, except the amount retained by
9 authorized agents of the department as provided in RCW 46.44.096, shall
10 be forwarded to the state treasury and shall be deposited in the motor
11 vehicle fund:

12 All overlegal loads, except overweight, single trip . . . \$ 10.00
13 Continuous operation of overlegal loads having either

1	overwidth or overheight features only, for a period	
2	not to exceed thirty days	\$ 20.00
3	<u>Continuous operation of overlegal loads consisting only</u>	
4	<u>of empty fruit bins and having overheight</u>	
5	<u>features only, for a three-month period</u>	<u>\$ 60.00</u>
6	<u>Continuous operation of overlegal loads consisting only</u>	
7	<u>of empty fruit bins and having overheight</u>	
8	<u>features only, for a period of one year</u>	<u>\$ 240.00</u>
9	Continuous operations of overlegal loads having overlength	
10	features only, for a period not to exceed thirty	
11	days	\$ 10.00
12	Continuous operation of a combination of vehicles having	
13	one trailing unit that exceeds forty-eight feet and	
14	is not more than fifty-six feet in length, for a	
15	period of one year	\$100.00
16	Continuous operation of a combination of vehicles having	
17	two trailing units which together exceed sixty feet	
18	and are not more than sixty-eight feet in length,	
19	for a period of one year	\$100.00
20	Continuous operation of a three-axle fixed load vehicle	
21	having less than 65,000 pounds gross weight, for a	
22	period not to exceed thirty days	\$ 70.00
23	Continuous operation of overlegal loads having	
24	nonreducible features not to exceed eighty-five feet	
25	in length and fourteen feet in width, for a period	
26	of one year	\$150.00
27	Continuous operation of farm implements under a permit issued as	
28	authorized by RCW 46.44.140 by:	

1	(1) Farmers in the course of farming activities, for any	
2	three-month period	\$ 10.00
3	(2) Farmers in the course of farming activities, for a	
4	period not to exceed one year	\$ 25.00
5	(3) Persons engaged in the business of the sale, repair,	
6	or maintenance of such farm implements, for any	
7	three-month period	\$ 25.00
8	(4) Persons engaged in the business of the sale, repair,	
9	or maintenance of such farm implements, for a period	
10	not to exceed one year	\$100.00

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Overweight Fee Schedule

13 Weight over total registered
14 gross weight plus additional
15 gross weight purchased under
16 RCW 46.44.095 or
17 46.44.047, or any
18 other statute authorizing the state
19 department of transportation to issue
20 annual overweight permits.

Fee per
mile on
state
highways

21	1- 5,999 pounds	\$.07
22	6,000-11,999 pounds	\$.14
23	12,000-17,999 pounds	\$.21
24	18,000-23,999 pounds	\$.35
25	24,000-29,999 pounds	\$.49
26	30,000-35,999 pounds	\$.63
27	36,000-41,999 pounds	\$.84
28	42,000-47,999 pounds	\$	1.05

1	48,000-53,999 pounds	\$	1.26
2	54,000-59,999 pounds	\$	1.47
3	60,000-65,999 pounds	\$	1.68
4	66,000-71,999 pounds	\$	2.03
5	72,000-79,999 pounds	\$	2.38
6	80,000 pounds or more	\$	2.80

7 PROVIDED: (a) The minimum fee for any overweight permit shall be
8 \$ 14.00, (b) the fee for issuance of a duplicate permit shall be
9 \$ 14.00, (c) when computing overweight fees that result in an amount
10 less than even dollars the fee shall be carried to the next full dollar
11 if fifty cents or over and shall be reduced to the next full dollar if
12 forty-nine cents or under.