

CHAPTER 1

[Substitute Senate Bill No. 2037]

STATE HIGHWAYS--OVERSIZE FARM VEHICLE
MOVEMENTS--REGULATION

AN ACT Relating to the movement of farm vehicles and implements on state highways; amending section 2, chapter 137, Laws of 1965 as last amended by section 3, chapter 248, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 46.44.0941; adding new sections to chapter 46.44 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 46.44 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The limitations of RCW 46.44.010, 46.44.020 and 46.44.040 shall not apply to the movement of farm implements of less than forty-five thousand pounds gross weight and a total outside width of fourteen feet or less when being moved while patrolled, flagged, lighted, signed and at a time of day in accordance with rules hereby authorized to be adopted by the highway commission and the statutes. Violation of a rule adopted by the highway commission as authorized by this section or a term of this section is a misdemeanor.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. There is added to chapter 46.44 RCW a new section to read as as follows:

In addition to any other special permits authorized by law, special permits may be issued by the highway commission for a quarterly or annual period upon such terms and conditions as it shall find proper for the movement of (1) farm implements used for the cutting or threshing of mature crops; or (2) other farm implements as may be identified by rule of the highway commission. Any farm implement moved under this section must have a gross weight less than forty-five thousand pounds and a total outside width of less than twenty feet while being moved and such movement must be patrolled, flagged, lighted, signed, at a time of day and otherwise in accordance with rules hereby authorized to be adopted by the highway commission for the control of such movements.

Applications for and permits issued under this section shall provide for a description of the farm implements to be moved, the approximate dates of movement and the routes of movement so far as they are reasonably known to the applicant at the time of application, but the permit shall not be limited to these circumstances but shall be general in its application except as limited by the statutes and rules adopted by the highway commission.

A copy of the governing permit shall be carried on the farm implement being moved during the period of its movement. The highway commission shall collect a fee as provided in RCW 46.44.0941.

Violation of a term or condition under which a permit was issued, or a rule adopted by the highway commission as authorized by this section or a term of this section is a misdemeanor.

Sec. 3. Section 2, chapter 137, Laws of 1965 as last amended by section 3, chapter 248, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 46.44.0941 are each amended to read as follows:

The following fees, in addition to the regular license and tonnage fees, shall be paid for all movements under special permit made upon state ((primary or secondary)) highways. All funds collected shall be forwarded to the state treasury and shall be deposited in the motor vehicle fund:

- All overlegal loads, except overweight, single trip\$5.00
- Continuous operation of overlegal loads having
 - either overwidth or overheight features only for a period not to exceed thirty days\$ 20.00
- Continuous operations of overlegal loads having
 - overlength only for a period not to exceed thirty days..\$ 10.00
- Continuous operation of a vehicle having a
 - maximum height not to exceed fourteen feet for a period of one year\$150.00
- Continuous operation of a combination of vehicles
 - not to exceed seventy-three feet overall length for a period of one year\$ 60.00
- Continuous operation of farm implements under a permit issued as authorized by section 2 of this 1973 amendatory act by:
 - (1) Farmers in the course of farming activities
 - for any three-month period\$ 10.00
 - (2) Farmers in the course of farming activities
 - for a period not to exceed one year\$ 25.00
 - (3) Persons engaged in the business of the sale,
 - repair or maintenance of such farm
 - implements for any three-month period\$ 25.00
 - (4) Persons engaged in the business of the sale,
 - repair or maintenance of such farm implements
 - for a period not to exceed one year\$100.00

Overweight Fee Schedule

Weight over total registered gross weight plus additional gross weight purchased under provisions of RCW 46.44.095, 46.44.047, 46.44.037 as now or hereafter amended, or any other statute authorizing the state highway commission to issue annual overweight permits.

	Fee per mile on state highways
1- 5,999 pounds.....	\$.05
6,000-11,999 pounds.....	\$.10
12,000-17,999 pounds.....	\$.15

18,000-23,999 pounds.....	\$.25
24,000-29,999 pounds.....	\$.35
30,000-35,999 pounds.....	\$.45
36,000-41,999 pounds.....	\$.60
42,000-47,999 pounds.....	\$.75
48,000-53,999 pounds.....	\$.90
54,000-59,999 pounds.....	\$ 1.05
60,000-65,999 pounds.....	\$ 1.20
66,000-71,999 pounds.....	\$ 1.45
72,000-77,999 pounds.....	\$ 1.70
80,000 pounds or more.....	\$ 2.00

PROVIDED: (1) the minimum fee for any overweight permit shall be \$5.00, (2) when computing overweight fees which result in an amount less than even dollars the fee shall be carried to the next full dollar if fifty cents or over and shall be reduced to the next full dollar if forty-nine cents or under.

((This section shall become effective July 1, 1967))

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CHAPTER 2
[House Bill No. 137]
SAFETY GLASS--HAZARDOUS LOCATIONS--
MANDATORY USE

AN ACT Relating to safety glass; amending section 1, chapter 128, Laws of 1963 and RCW 70.89.010; amending section 4, chapter 128, Laws of 1963 and RCW 70.89.040; adding new sections to chapter 128, Laws of 1963 and to chapter 70.89 RCW; repealing section 2, chapter 128, Laws of 1963 and RCW 70.89.020; repealing section 3, chapter 128, Laws of 1963, section 1, chapter 45, Laws of 1965 and RCW 70.89.030; prescribing penalties; and establishing an effective date.

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. There is added to chapter 128, Laws of 1963 and to chapter 70.89 RCW a new section to read as follows:

The purpose of this chapter is to protect the consumer by reducing the high incidence of accidental injuries and deaths resulting from the use of ordinary annealed glass or substitutes therefor in hazardous locations. The legislature intends to provide to the homeowner, his family and guests, and to the general public,