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HOUSE FILE 220

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BY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

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Glenn, Chairman
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Vote: Ayes 69 Nays 19 Vote: Ayes 41 Nays 6

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Passed House as amended by Senate
6-19-73 (2070)
74-7

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the operation of metal tracked and metal
2 tired vehicles on streets and roads.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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S-694

1 Amend House File 220, page 2, by striking all after the
2 period in line 7, and all of lines 8 through 10.

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SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE FILE 220

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Received from the Senate
June 18, 1973

House concurred 6/19

1 Section 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point four
2 hundred forty-one (321.441), Code 1973, is amended to read
3 as follows:

4 321.441 METAL TIRES PROHIBITED. No person shall operate
5 or move on any a paved highway any motor vehicle, trailer, or
6 semitrailer having any metal tire or metal track in contact
7 with the roadway. The provisions of this section shall not
8 apply to vehicles weighing less than five thousand pounds
9 gross weight which have movable tracks with transverse corruga-
10 gations upon the periphery of the movable tracks.

11 Sec. 2. Section three hundred twenty-one point four hun-
12 dred forty-three (321.443), Code 1973, is amended to read as
13 follows:

14 321.443 EXCEPTIONS. The state highway commission and
15 local authorities in their respective jurisdictions shall
16 review any application for a special permit and may, in their
17 discretion with good cause being shown, issue special permits
18 authorizing the operation upon a highway of traction engines
19 or tractors having movable tracks with transverse corruga-
20 tions upon the periphery of such movable tracks or farm trac-
21 tors or other farm machinery, the operation of which upon a
22 highway would otherwise be prohibited under this chapter.

23 EXPLANATION

24 This bill prohibits the operation of any motor vehicle,
25 trailer, or semitrailer with a metal track on a paved high-
26 way. The bill also allows the issuance of special permits
27 allowing the operation of traction engines and tractors
28 having movable tracks upon the highways.

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