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HOUSE FILE 187

BY COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 60)

WITHDRAWN

Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date _____

Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____

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A BILL FOR

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12 habitation. If ~~any-such~~ the vehicle is used in this state as
13 a place of human habitation for more than ninety consecutive
14 days in one location it shall be classed as a mobile home
15 regardless of the size limitations ~~herein~~ provided in this
16 paragraph.

17 EXPLANATION

18 This bill conforms the statutory definition of travel
19 trailer to the statutorily authorized width for travel
20 trailers and certain other vehicles which is eight feet six
21 inches. Section 321.454 was amended in 1994 to provide that
22 travel trailers having a total outside width not exceeding
23 eight feet six inches are exempt from excessive size and
24 weight permitting requirements of chapter 321E and may be
25 operated on the roads of the state; however, the definition of
26 travel trailer in section 321.1 was not amended.

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NEISON, B, Chair
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HOUSE FILE 127

BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
TRANSPORTATION BILL BY
CHAIRPERSON WELTER)

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