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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to transportation of ground limestone.  
2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 321.460, Code 1995, is amended to read  
2 as follows:

3 321.460 SPILLING LOADS ON HIGHWAYS.

4 A vehicle shall not be driven or moved on any highway by  
5 any person unless such vehicle is so constructed or loaded or  
6 the load securely covered as to prevent any of its load from  
7 dropping, sifting, leaking, or otherwise escaping or its load  
8 covering from dropping from the vehicle, except that sand may  
9 be dropped for the purpose of securing traction, or water or  
10 other substance may be sprinkled on a roadway in cleaning or  
11 maintaining such roadway. The provisions of this section shall  
12 not apply to vehicles loaded with hay or stover or the  
13 products listed in section 321.466, subsections 5 and 6,  
14 except for ground limestone.

15 EXPLANATION

16 Current law requires that when transporting a substance in  
17 a vehicle, the vehicle must be constructed or loaded or the  
18 load securely covered so as to prevent any of the load from  
19 dropping, sifting, leaking, or escaping. There is an  
20 exception for the transportation of hay or stover and certain  
21 other products, including ground limestone. This bill removes  
22 the exception for the transportation of ground limestone, thus  
23 requiring that the load be securely covered.

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