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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to physical and medical qualifications for  
2 certain motor carrier drivers.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. Section 321.449, subsection 5, paragraph a,  
2 Code 2003, is amended to read as follows:

3 5. a. Notwithstanding other provisions of this section,  
4 rules adopted under this section concerning physical and  
5 medical qualifications for drivers of commercial vehicles  
6 engaged in intrastate commerce shall not be construed as  
7 disqualifying any individual who was employed as a driver of  
8 commercial vehicles engaged in intrastate commerce whose  
9 physical or medical condition existed prior to ~~July-29-1996~~  
10 June 30, 1999.

11 EXPLANATION

12 This bill amends a provision requiring the state department  
13 of transportation to adopt certain motor carrier safety rules.  
14 The bill establishes June 30, 1999, as the most recent date on  
15 which a physical or medical condition of a driver of a  
16 commercial vehicle engaged in intrastate commerce could be  
17 identified and still not disqualify the driver for a  
18 commercial driver's license.

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