

Fifty-seventh
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2054

Introduced by

Senators Solberg, O'Connell, Wanzek

Representatives Aarsvold, Nelson, Rennerfeldt

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subsection to section 39-12-05.3 of the North
2 Dakota Century Code, relating to weight limitations on highways.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1.** A new subsection to section 39-12-05.3 of the 1999 Supplement to the
5 North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

6 The gross weight limitations in subsections 1 and 2 do not apply to movement of a
7 self-propelled fertilizer spreader or self-propelled agricultural chemical applicator if
8 the gross weight does not exceed eighty thousand pounds [38287.39 kilograms] or
9 if the weight does not exceed five hundred fifty pounds [249.48 kilograms] per inch
10 of width. The highway patrol shall issue a seasonal permit for the movement of
11 vehicles exempted by this subsection. The seasonal permit issued under this
12 subsection or under subdivision d of subsection 1 of section 39-12-04 entitles an
13 individual with the permit to operate a vehicle as allowed by either of these
14 provisions. A seasonal permit issued under this subsection is subject to the
15 requirements of subdivision d of subsection 1 of section 39-12-04, except a vehicle
16 exempted by this subsection which is an implement of husbandry is not required to
17 have proof of financial responsibility and does not have to be operated by a
18 commercial entity.