

SENATE BILL NO. 163

BY SENATOR CORTEZ

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

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AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 32:387(B)(2), relative to special permits; to provide relative to issuance of special permits on the interstate highway system in Louisiana; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 32:387(B)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§387. Special permits

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B.(1)

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(2) Subject to the provisions of Paragraphs (3) and (4) of this Subsection, the secretary may issue special permits to permit movement along the interstate highway system within Louisiana of vehicles and loads ~~up to sixteen feet in width~~ **that do not meet the requirements of R.S. 32:380 through 386**. The request for a permit may be denied, if the secretary determines that the vehicle or load traveling along the proposed route would endanger the public due to construction, highway conditions, or traffic along the proposed route. Any vehicle traveling under a special permit

1 issued pursuant to the provisions of this Paragraph shall not exceed a speed of fifty-
2 five miles per hour.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____