

AMENDMENT
OFFERED BY MR. WIED OF WISCONSIN

At the end of title I, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 1___ . VEHICLE WEIGHT EXEMPTIONS.**

2 Section 127 of title 23, United States Code, is further
3 amended by adding at the end the following:

4 “(dd) CERTAIN LOGGING VEHICLES.—

5 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall waive,
6 with respect to a covered logging vehicle, the appli-
7 cation of any vehicle weight limit established under
8 this section.

9 “(2) COVERED LOGGING VEHICLE DEFINED.—
10 In this subsection, the term ‘covered logging vehicle’
11 means a vehicle that—

12 “(A) is transporting raw or unfinished for-
13 est products, including logs, pulpwood, biomass,
14 or wood chips;

15 “(B) is traveling a distance not greater
16 than 150 air miles on the Interstate from origin
17 to a storage or processing facility; and

18 “(C) meets State legal weight tolerances
19 and vehicle configurations for transporting raw

1 or unfinished forest products within the State
2 boundaries in which the vehicle is operating.

3 “(3) APPLICATION OF WEIGHT TOLERANCES.—

4 The waiver in this subsection shall only apply with
5 respect to a State legal weight tolerance in effect on
6 the date of enactment of this subsection.”.

