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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 985 Session of  
2015

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INTRODUCED BY WOZNIAK, COSTA AND WHITE, SEPTEMBER 8, 2015

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REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, SEPTEMBER 8, 2015

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in fees, further providing for annual hauling  
3 permits; and, in size, weight and load, further providing for  
4 permit for movement of bulk refined oil.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Sections 1943(m) and 4979.1 of Title 75 of the  
8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

9 § 1943. Annual hauling permits.

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11 (m) Bulk refined oil and ethanol.--The annual fee for  
12 movement of bulk refined oil or ethanol, as provided for in  
13 section 4979.1 (relating to permit for movement of bulk refined  
14 oil and ethanol), shall be:

15 (1) \$1,130 for a distance up to 50 miles.

16 (2) \$1,690 for a distance of more than 50 miles up to  
17 125 miles.

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19 § 4979.1. Permit for movement of bulk refined oil and ethanol.

1 An annual permit may be issued authorizing the movement on  
2 specified highways of refined oil or ethanol in bulk between a  
3 refinery and a distribution facility or an ethanol processing  
4 facility and distribution facility which exceeds the maximum  
5 vehicle gross weight specified in Subchapter C (relating to  
6 maximum weights of vehicles). Permits issued under this section  
7 shall not exceed a distance of 125 miles. The weight of any  
8 vehicle permitted under this section may not exceed 107,000  
9 pounds overall gross weight and shall have the following maximum  
10 axle weight limits for all nonsteering axles:

11	Single axle	21,000 pounds
12	Tandem axles	42,000 pounds
13	Tridem axles	53,000 pounds
14	Quad axles	63,000 pounds

15 No permit may be issued for this type of movement upon an  
16 interstate highway.

17 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.