

HR 2904

To amend title 49, United States Code, to clarify the use of a towaway trailer transportation combination, and for other purposes.

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

Introduced: Jun 25, 2015

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit. (Jun 26, 2015)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** KS • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. DesJarlais, Scott [R-TN-4]	R · TN		Jun 25, 2015
Rep. Stivers, Steve [R-OH-15]	R · OH		Jun 25, 2015
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Jul 14, 2015
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Jul 21, 2015
Rep. Rouzer, David [R-NC-7]	R · NC		Sep 10, 2015
Rep. Barletta, Lou [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Oct 1, 2015

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 26, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HR 22	Related bill	Dec 4, 2015: Became Public Law No: 114-94.
114 S 1692	Related bill	Jun 25, 2015: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Summary (as of Jun 25, 2015)

This bill revises federal vehicle length limitations to prohibit states from prescribing or enforcing a regulation that imposes an overall length limitation of less than 82 feet on a towaway trailer transporter combination operating on any segment of the Dwight D. Eisenhower System of Interstate and Defense Highways and qualifying federal-aid primary system highways.

The bill defines "trailer transporter towing unit" as a power unit not used to carry property when operating in a towaway trailer transporter combination.

The bill defines "towaway trailer transporter combination" as a combination of vehicles consisting of a trailer transporter towing unit and two trailers or semitrailers:

- with a total weight not exceeding 26,000 pounds; and
- which carry no property and constitute inventory property of a manufacturer, distributor or dealer of such trailers or semitrailers.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 26, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit.
- **Jun 25, 2015:** Introduced in House
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