

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 497



Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by: SEN. ANWAR, 3rd Dist.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING MUNICIPALITIES TO MANAGE TRUCK TRAVEL.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 That section 14-298 of the general statutes be amended to permit a 2 local traffic authority to make regulations respecting the use by through 3 truck traffic of streets and highways within the limits of, and under the 4 jurisdiction of, such local traffic authority without obtaining prior 5 approval from the Office of the State Traffic Administration provided 6 such local traffic authority meets criteria established by the office 7 concerning the protection of residential areas, air quality, proximity to 8 schools and other safety and environmental considerations.

Statement of Purpose:

To support municipalities in managing local truck routes, protecting residential areas and addressing environmental and safety concerns.