

BY: Commerce and Government Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 294

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “increasing” in line 4 down through the first “with” in line 5 and substitute “modifying length limitations applicable to”; in line 5, after “semitrailer” insert “operated in combination with a power unit”; in the same line, strike “truck tractor” and substitute “power unit”; in line 7, strike “defining a term;”; strike in their entirety lines 9 through 13, inclusive; in line 16, strike “and (j)”; and after line 18, insert:

“BY adding to

Article - Transportation

Section 24-104.1(j-1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 23 on page 1 through line 15 on page 2, inclusive.

On pages 2 and 3, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 21 on page 2 through line 27 on page 3, inclusive, and substitute:

“(J-1) NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (J) OF THIS SECTION, WHEN A SEMITRAILER IS BEING OPERATED IN COMBINATION WITH A POWER UNIT THAT IS EQUIPPED WITH A DROMEDARY BOX BEING USED TO TRANSPORT EXPLOSIVES AND MUNITIONS CLASSIFIED UNDER 49 C.F.R. PART 173.50 THAT ARE INTENDED FOR USE BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, THE COMBINATION OF VEHICLES IS NOT SUBJECT TO AN OVERALL LENGTH LIMIT, BUT THE SEMITRAILER MAY NOT EXCEED 48 FEET IN LENGTH.”.