

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul W. Mark

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act reducing truck trips and emissions.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Paul W. Mark

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Berkshire, Hampden, Franklin and
Hampshire*

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**

An Act reducing truck trips and emissions.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws, as so appearing in the 2022
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following in alphabetical order to the list of
3 definitions:

4 “Truck-trailer unit”, a motor unit composed of a motor vehicle designed to carry a load
5 and having a minimum of three axles, such as a dump truck, log truck, or other truck, paired with
6 a trailer having a minimum of two axles.

7 SECTION 2. Section 30A of Chapter 85 of the General Laws, as so appearing in the 2022
8 official edition, is hereby amended by replacing “motor vehicle, trailer, semi-trailer or semi-
9 trailer unit” with “motor vehicle, trailer, semi-trailer, semi-trailer unit, or truck-trailer unit” in
10 each instance of this section.