

109<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 1044

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 2, 2005

Mrs. CAPITO introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. VEHICLE WEIGHT LIMITATIONS—INTERSTATE**  
4 **SYSTEM.**

5 Section 127(a) of title 23, United States Code, is  
6 amended by adding at the end the following: “The State  
7 of West Virginia may allow, by special permit, the oper-  
8 ation of vehicles with a gross vehicle weight of up to

1 126,000 pounds, and with loads conforming to such single  
2 axle, tandem axle, and bridge formula limits as may be  
3 established by the State, for the hauling of coal and coal  
4 by-products on Interstate Route 77 in Kanawha County,  
5 West Virginia, between Exits 85 and 97.”.

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