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Amends the law that allows utility vehicles up to 20,000 pounds single axle, 36,000 pounds for 2 axles, and 48,000 pounds for 3 axles to be exempt from certain seasonal weight limits. Under existing law the exemption is from seasonal weight limits posted by the commissioner of transportation. Under this bill the exemption would also be from the statutory spring limit of 5 tons per axles on county, city, and town asphalt and gravel roads.

The exemption would continue to apply only to utility vehicles performing service restoration or preventing loss of service.

Effective immediately.