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Repeals the July 1, 2005, sunset date on the provision of law that allows recycling vehicles engaged in mandated curbside pickup and vehicles collecting mixed solid waste to exceed seasonal weight limits if axle weight does not exceed 14,000 lbs. Under prior law the maximum weight for recycling vehicles exempt from seasonal weight limits would have reverted to 20,000 lbs. on that date.