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## Bill Summary

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This bill creates an exemption from vehicle weight limits (and associated criminal penalties) imposed (1) by local units of government for roads under their respective jurisdiction, and (2) under spring load restrictions, which are established by MnDOT during spring thaw periods. The exemption applies to vehicles that exclusively service portable toilets, are in use only for liquid waste collection, and have a weight of up to 14,000 pounds per axle and 26,000 gross weight.

Under current law, similar exemptions exist for vehicles used exclusively in recycling and municipal solid waste pickup.