

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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At the end of subtitle D of title I of division A, add
the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . EXEMPTIONS FROM REQUIREMENTS FOR CER-**
2 **TAIN WELDING TRUCKS USED IN PIPELINE**
3 **INDUSTRY.**

4 (a) COVERED MOTOR VEHICLE DEFINED.—In this
5 section, the term “covered motor vehicle” means a motor
6 vehicle that—

7 (1) is traveling in the State in which the vehicle
8 is registered or another State;

9 (2) is owned by a welder;

10 (3) is a pick-up style truck;

11 (4) is equipped with a welding rig that is used
12 in the construction or maintenance of pipelines; and

13 (5) has a gross vehicle weight and combination
14 weight rating and weight of 15,000 pounds or less.

15 (b) FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS.—A covered motor ve-
16 hicle, including the individual operating such vehicle and
17 the employer of such individual, shall be exempt from the
18 following:

1 (1) Any requirement relating to registration as
2 a motor carrier, including the requirement to obtain
3 and display a Department of Transportation num-
4 ber, established under chapters 139 and 311 of title
5 49, United States Code.

6 (2) Any requirement relating to driver qualifica-
7 tions established under chapter 311 of title 49,
8 United States Code.

9 (3) Any requirement relating to driving of com-
10 mercial motor vehicles established under chapter 311
11 of title 49, United States Code.

12 (4) Any requirement relating to parts and ac-
13 cessories and inspection, repair, and maintenance of
14 commercial motor vehicles established under chapter
15 311 of title 49, United States Code.

16 (5) Any requirement relating to hours of service
17 of drivers, including maximum driving and on duty
18 time, established under chapter 315 of title 49,
19 United States Code.

