

## General Assembly

## Proposed Bill No. 497

January Session, 2025



Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by: SEN. ANWAR, 3rd Dist.

## AN ACT AUTHORIZING MUNICIPALITIES TO MANAGE TRUCK TRAVEL.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 14-298 of the general statutes be amended to permit a
- 2 local traffic authority to make regulations respecting the use by through
- 3 truck traffic of streets and highways within the limits of, and under the
- 4 jurisdiction of, such local traffic authority without obtaining prior
- 5 approval from the Office of the State Traffic Administration provided
- 6 such local traffic authority meets criteria established by the office
- 7 concerning the protection of residential areas, air quality, proximity to
- 8 schools and other safety and environmental considerations.

## Statement of Purpose:

To support municipalities in managing local truck routes, protecting residential areas and addressing environmental and safety concerns.

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