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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Transportation Finance Division

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to traffic regulations; providing for civil penalty for violation of truck
1.3 weight limits by motor carriers; amending Minnesota Statutes 2006, section
1.4 169.871, subdivision 1b.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2006, section 169.871, subdivision 1b, is amended to
1.7 read:

1.8 Subd. 1b. **Civil penalty for first two violations.** Notwithstanding subdivision 1,
1.9 paragraph (a), clauses (1) to (5), a civil penalty under subdivision 1 for a violation in a
1.10 motor vehicle in the course of a first haul as defined in section 168.013, subdivision 3,
1.11 paragraph (d)(3), of a weight limit imposed under sections 169.822 to 169.829, 169.832
1.12 to 169.851, and 169.87 that is not preceded by ~~two or more violations~~ more than one
1.13 violation by the carrier of the gross weight limits in those sections ~~in that motor vehicle~~
1.14 within the previous 12 months, may not exceed \$150.