

104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2025 and 2026 HB3228

Introduced 2/18/2025, by Rep. Tom Weber

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-819

from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-819

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Eliminates the flat weight tax for all owners of trailers that are not farm trailers and that weigh 3,000 pounds or less.

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing Section 3-819 as follows:
- 6 (625 ILCS 5/3-819) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-819)
- 7 Sec. 3-819. Trailer; tax.
- (a) Farm Trailer. Any farm trailer drawn by a motor 8 9 vehicle of the second division registered under paragraph (a) or (c) of Section 3-815 and used exclusively by the owner for 10 his own agricultural, horticultural or livestock raising 11 12 operations and not used for hire, or any farm trailer utilized 13 only in the transportation for-hire of seasonal, fresh, 14 perishable fruit or vegetables from farm to the point of first processing, and any trailer used with a farm tractor that is 15 16 not an implement of husbandry may be registered under this 17 paragraph in lieu of registration under paragraph (b) of this Section upon the filing of a proper application and the 18 19 payment of the \$10 registration fee and the highway use tax herein for use of the public highways of this State, at the 20 21 following rates which include the \$10 registration fee:
- 22 SCHEDULE OF FEES AND TAXES
- 23 Gross Weight in Lbs. Class

1	Including Vehicle	each				
2	and Maximum Load	Fiscal Year				
3	10,000 lbs. or less VDD	\$160				
4	10,001 to 14,000 lbs. VDE	206				
5	14,001 to 20,000 lbs. VDG	266				
6	20,001 to 28,000 lbs. VDJ	478				
7	28,001 to 36,000 lbs. VDL	750				
8	An owner may only apply	for and receive 2 farm trailer				
9	registrations.					
10	(b) All other owners of trailers, other than apportionable					
11	trailers registered under Section 3-402.1 of this Code, used					
12	with a motor vehicle on the p	ublic highways, shall pay to the				
13	Secretary of State for each	registration year a flat weight				
14	tax, for the use of the public highways of this State, at the					
15	following rates (which includes the registration fee of \$10					
16	required by Section 3-813):					
17	SCHEDULE OF TRAILER FLAT					
18	WEIGHT TAX REQUIRED					
19	B	/ LAW				
20	Gross Weight in Lbs.	Total Fees				
21	Including Vehicle and	each				
22	Maximum Load	Class Fiscal Year				
23	2,000 lbs. and less	UT \$36				
24	3,000 lbs. and less	TA \$36				
25	5,000 lbs. and more than 3,000	TB 154				
26	8,000 lbs. and more than 5,000	TC 158				

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1	10,000	lbs.	and more	than	8,000	TD	206
2	14,000	lbs.	and more	than	10,000	TE	270
3	20,000	lbs.	and more	than	14,000	TG	358
4	32,000	lbs.	and more	than	20,000	TK	822
5	36,000	lbs.	and more	than	32,000	TL	1,182
6	40,000	lbs.	and more	than	36,000	TN	1,602

Of the fees collected under this subsection, other than the fee collected for a Class UT or TA trailer, \$1 of the fees shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special Services Fund and \$99 of the fees shall be deposited into the Road Fund.

- 12 (c) The number of axles necessary to carry the maximum
 13 load provided shall be determined from Chapter 15 of this
 14 Code.
- 15 (Source: P.A. 101-32, eff. 6-28-19; 102-353, eff. 1-1-22.)