Exempting Municipal Motor Grader Operators from CDL Requirements; HB 2295

HB 2295 exempts municipal motor grader vehicles from requirements of the Kansas Uniform Commercial Driver's License Act.

Under current law, five types of vehicles are listed as exempt from the Act: farm vehicles, vehicles operated by firefighters, military vehicles operated by military personnel, commercial vehicles used solely for private noncommercial use, and certain farm tractors moved by implement dealers. The bill adds a sixth exemption for motor grader vehicles operated by an employee of a municipality, if such employee is operating the motor grader vehicle within the boundaries of such municipality.

"Municipality" is defined under continuing law referenced by the bill to mean any county, township, city, school district, or other political or taxing subdivision of the state, or any agency, authority, institution, or other instrumentality thereof.