

**Bill Summary**  
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**Bill Analysis**

SB 61 authorizes towaway trailer transporters to be up to 82 feet in length. A trailer transport unit as defined by the bill is a power unit that is not used to carry property when operating in a towaway trailer transporter combination. The measure also defines a towaway trailer transporter combination as a combination of vehicles consisting of a trailer transporter towing unit and 2 trailers or semitrailers with a total weight that does not exceed 26,000 pounds. The combination unit may not carry any property.

Under the measure, stinger-steered automobile transporters may have an overall length up to 80 feet. The extension of the load may not exceed 4 feet in the front and 6 feet beyond the rear. The measure also states that an automobile transporter shall not be prohibited from the transport of cargo or general freight on a backhaul if it complies with weight limitations for a truck tractor and semitrailer combination.

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