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This legislation allows JOBZ businesses to obtain “specific service signs” on trunk highways.

Specific service signs are blue informational signs, with white lettering or a logo, that identify a service provided to the traveling public. The signs are allowed on trunk highways in rural areas that have at-grade intersections (as opposed to interchanges with on and off ramps). Services that are eligible for a sign under current law include agricultural and tourist oriented business, motels, restaurants, gas stations, camping areas, resorts, and places of worship. Certain requirements apply for different types of services.