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VISIBILITY OF CERT. VEHICLES

House Bill 4665

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Committee: Transportation

Complete to 5-1-95

A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4665 AS INTRODUCED 3-28-95

The Michigan Vehicle Code currently requires certain slow-moving vehicles to be equipped with at least one "lamp or lantern" on the front that emits a white light visible 500 feet from a vehicle's front and a lamp or lantern on the rear that emits a red light visible from 300 feet to its back. These lights must be lit only during darkness or other times of low visibility. Under the bill, the red lamp used on the back of such vehicles would have to be visible from at least 500 feet from behind the vehicle.

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