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SEAT BELTS FOR CHILDREN IN BACK SEAT

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House Bill 4220

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4220 AS INTRODUCED 2-16-89

The Michigan Vehicle Code currently requires the driver of a motor vehicle transporting a child between 4 and 16 years of age in the front seat of a vehicle to secure the child in a seat belt. The bill would amend the act to require that, regardless of where a child was sitting in a vehicle, the vehicle's driver would have to secure the child in a seat belt. Also, the bill would specify that the act's provisions requiring the use of a child restraint system for children under four years old would apply to a nonresident driver transporting a child in the state.

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