

Legislative Analysis



MAXIMUM TRUCK LENGTH ON HIGHWAY: AGRICULTURAL DRAINAGE TUBING

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House Bill 4167 as introduced
Sponsor: Rep. Ben Frederick
Committee: Agriculture
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SUMMARY:

House Bill 4167 amends Section 2 of the Michigan Vehicle Code, which sets the maximum length of vehicles and combinations of vehicles operated on a highway. The bill adds an additional subsection to apply only to trucks and trailers transporting agricultural drainage tubing, and restricts them to a maximum length of 75 feet.

Specifically, the bill adds subsection (j) to restrict truck and trailer combinations designed and used to transport agricultural drainage tubing to a maximum length of 75 feet, and exempts such vehicles from subsection (e), which provides a maximum length for a truck and semitrailer or trailer of 59 feet.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The bill appears to have no direct fiscal impact.

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