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TEST ALL LIVESTOCK MOVED TO THE U.P. FOR BOVINE TB

House Bill 5539 Sponsor: Rep. Paul Tesanovich Committee: Agriculture and Resource Management

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5539 AS INTRODUCED 4-25-00

The bill would amend the Animal Industry Act of 1987 to require that all livestock, including live captive elk and white-tailed deer ("captive cervidae"), capable of contracting bovine tuberculosis have a negative official test for bovine TB within 60 days before being moved from the Lower Peninsula to the Upper Peninsula.

MCL 287.708 and 287.730b

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