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House Bill 5206

Sponsor: Rep. John Bennett

Committee: Agriculture

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5206 AS INTRODUCED 10-18-89

The bill would create a new law to prohibit the sale of milk products from cows that had been given the growth hormone called bovine somatotropin (BST). The bill also would impose a civil fine of at least \$5,000 for each violation and would allow the Department of Agriculture to confiscate and destroy any milk products that were from cows treated with BST and that were distributed or offered for sale in Michigan.

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