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## OUIL: DEFINE CERTAIN INJURIES

House Bill 4586  
Sponsor: Rep. John Llewellyn  
Committee: Judiciary

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### A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4586 AS INTRODUCED 4-1-93

The Michigan Vehicle Code provides special felony penalties (up to five years in prison and/or a fine of between \$1,000 and \$5,000) for drunk driving that causes a long-term incapacitating injury to another. "Long-term incapacitating injury" is at present defined as an injury that has caused a comatose state, quadriplegic state, hemiplegic state, or paraplegic state that is likely to continue for one year or more.

The bill would expand the definition of long-term incapacitating injury to include the loss of an arm, hand, leg, foot, eye, or ear, or the loss of the use of any of these, that was likely to continue for one year or more.

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