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House Bill 4392 (Substitute H-2 as reported with amendment)
Sponsor: Representative Deborah Cherry
House Committee: Transportation
Senate Committee: Transportation and Tourism

CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Vehicle Code to prohibit an owner or operator from permitting a person ride in the open bed of a pickup truck on a highway, road or street in a city, village, or township at a speed greater than 15 miles per hour.

This prohibition would not apply to the owner or operator of any of the following:

- A motor vehicle operated as part of a parade pursuant to a permit issued by the governmental unit with jurisdiction over the highway or street.
- A military motor vehicle.
- An authorized emergency vehicle.
- A motor vehicle controlled or operated by an employer or an employee of a farm operation, construction business, or similar enterprise during the course of work activities.
- A motor vehicle used to transport a search and rescue team to and from the site of an emergency.

A person who violated the bill would be responsible for a civil infraction.

The bill would take effect December 31, 2000.

Proposed MCL 257.682b

Legislative Analyst: L. Arasim

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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