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OUT-OF-STATE PHYSICIANS TO AUTHORIZE DISABLED PARKING PERMITS

**House Bill 4550** 

**Sponsor: Rep. Gene DeRossett Committee: Transportation** 

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## A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4550 AS INTRODUCED 3-29-01

House Bill 4550 would amend the Michigan Vehicle Code to allow the secretary of state to accept an application for a windshield placard, special registration plate, or free parking sticker from a disabled person, if that application was signed by a physician licensed to practice in another state. However, the application would have to be accompanied by a copy of that physician's current medical license. Currently, the law specifies that an application must be certified by a physician licensed to practice in this state (with certain exceptions). That physician attests to the nature and estimated duration of the applicant's disabling condition, and verifies that the applicant qualifies.

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