Legislative Analysis



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DRIVER RESPONSIBILITY FEE: EXEMPT CERTAIN YOUNG DRIVERS

House Bill 5170

Sponsor: Rep. Neal Nitz Committee: Transportation

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5170 AS INTRODUCED 9-13-05

The bill would amend the Michigan Vehicle Code to exempt from being assessed a "driver responsibility fee" an individual who is under 18 years old and who has not begun or enrolled in a driver education course. Public Act 165 of 2003 imposed driver responsibility fees as additional amounts to be paid by drivers who had accumulated a seven or more points on a driving record over a two-year period for certain offenses or who had committed certain specified driving offenses. The fees are distributed between the General Fund and the Fire Protection Fund.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The fiscal impact is indeterminate.

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