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Senate Bill 940 (as introduced 5-15-14)
Sponsor: Senator Jim Ananich
Committee: Transportation

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Vehicle Code to increase the load width limit for a vehicle hauling steel pipe.

The Code specifies that the total outside width of a vehicle or a load on a vehicle must not exceed 96 inches, unless otherwise provided. An exception to this provision is that the total outside width of a vehicle hauling concrete pipe, agricultural products, or unprocessed logs, pulpwood, or wood bolts must not exceed 108 inches. The bill would extend the 108-inch load width limit to a vehicle hauling steel pipes.

A person who violates the vehicle width limits is responsible for a civil infraction.

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Legislative Analyst: Jeff Mann

FISCAL IMPACT

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

Fiscal Analyst: Glenn Steffens

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