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Senate Bill 760 (as introduced 11-28-95) Sponsor: Senator Philip E. Hoffman Committee: Agriculture and Forestry

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Penal Code to repeal a provision that makes it a misdemeanor to defraud a livery stable keeper, and requires the owner of a livery stable to post the prohibition, in the barn or stable, in large English type.

MCL 750.281 Legislative Analyst: G. Towne

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State government, and likely little impact on local government.

The current penalty for defrauding a livery owner is a misdemeanor. While there are no data available on how many annual convictions there are under this section, the cost as a result of these convictions is not expected to be significant. In addition, defrauding a livery owner could be charged under other existing general fraud statutes.

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