MICHIGAN VEHICLE CODE (EXCERPT)
Act 300 of 1949

257.6 "Chauffeur" defined.

Sec. 6. (1) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (3), "chauffeur" means any of the following:
(a) A person who operates a motor vehicle as a motor carrier under the motor carrier act, 1933 PA 254, MCL 475.1 to 479.42, or a motor carrier of passengers as defined in section 3 of the motor bus transportation act, 1982 PA 432, MCL 474.103.
(b) A person who is employed for the principal purpose of operating a motor vehicle with a GVWR of 10,000 pounds or more.
(c) A person who operates a bus or school bus.
(2) For purposes of subsection (1)(b), a person shall be considered to be employed for the principal purpose of operating a motor vehicle when the person's employment customarily involves transporting for gain or hire any merchandise for display, sale, or delivery.
(3) "Chauffeur" does not include any of the following:
(a) A farmer or an employee of a farmer operating a vehicle exclusively in connection with the farming operations of the farmer.
(b) A fire fighter or a member of a fire department operating an ambulance.
(c) A person operating a motor vehicle for a volunteer program who only receives reimbursement for the costs of operating the motor vehicle.
(d) A person who operates a motor home for personal pleasure.
(e) A parent or parent's designee for the purpose of transporting pupils to or from school and school related events.
(f) A transportation network company driver.
(g) A limousine driver.
(h) A taxi cab driver.