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**STATE OF MICHIGAN
88TH LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION OF 1995**

Introduced by Reps. Rhead, Hill, Bush, DeLange, Llewellyn and Voorhees

ENROLLED HOUSE BILL No. 4572

AN ACT to amend section 33 of Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, entitled as amended "An act to provide for the registration, titling, sale, transfer, and regulation of certain vehicles operated upon the public highways of this state or any other place open to the general public or generally accessible to motor vehicles and distressed vehicles; to provide for the licensing of dealers; to provide for the examination, licensing, and control of operators and chauffeurs; to provide for the giving of proof of financial responsibility and security by owners and operators of vehicles; to provide for the imposition, levy, and collection of specific taxes on vehicles, and the levy and collection of sales and use taxes, license fees, and permit fees; to provide for the regulation and use of streets and highways; to create certain funds; to provide penalties and sanctions for a violation of this act; to provide for civil liability of owners and operators of vehicles and service of process on residents and nonresidents; to provide for the levy of certain assessments; to provide for the enforcement of this act; to provide for the creation of and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies; to repeal all other acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act or contrary to this act; and to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date," as amended by Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1993, being section 257.33 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

Section 1. Section 33 of Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, as amended by Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1993, being section 257.33 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 33. "Motor vehicle" means every vehicle that is self-propelled, but for purposes of chapter 4 of this act motor vehicle does not include industrial equipment such as a forklift, a front-end loader, or other construction equipment that is not subject to registration under this act.

Section 2. This amendatory act is curative, expressing the original intent of the legislature that the term "motor vehicle" as defined in section 33 of the Michigan vehicle code, Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, being section 257.33 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, does not include industrial equipment such as a forklift, a front-end loader, or other construction equipment that is not subject to registration under this act. This amendatory act applies to all disputes currently pending within the courts as of the date of enactment of this amendatory act.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Secretary of the Senate.

Approved -----

Governor.

