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Senate Bill 788 (Substitute S-2 as reported by the Committee of the Whole)  
Sponsor: Senator Ron Jelinek  
Committee: Agriculture, Forestry and Tourism

### **CONTENT**

The bill would amend the Michigan Vehicle Code to require an implement of husbandry manufactured on or after January 1, 2007, to comply with the following standards approved by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) and the American Society of Agricultural Engineers (ASAE):

- ANSI/ASAE S276.6 JAN2005: Slow-Moving Vehicle Identification Emblem (which establishes specifications that define a unique identification emblem to be used only for slow-moving vehicles when operated or traveling on highways).
- ANSI/ASAE S279.12 DEC02: Lighting and Marking of Agricultural Equipment on Highways (which provides specifications for lighting and marking of agricultural equipment whenever it is operating or is traveling on a highway.)

The standards would be incorporated by reference. The Secretary of State would have to post the incorporated standards on its website within 30 days after the bill went into effect.

Beginning January 1, 2007, the bill would prohibit a person from selling an implement of husbandry that did not comply with the bill, unless it were manufactured before that date.

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### **FISCAL IMPACT**

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

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