

Department of Planning and Budget 2020 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB490

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Marshall

3. Committee: Transportation

4. Title: Farm vehicles; use

5. Summary: This bill prohibits the nonfarm use of vehicles registered as a farm motor vehicle. Current law permits the use of such vehicles (i) by the owner or his immediate family for attending church or school, securing medical treatment or supplies, and securing other household or family necessities and (ii) by volunteer emergency medical services personnel and volunteer firefighters for responding to calls, reporting for duty, or attending meetings or drills.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary. See Item #8.

8. Fiscal Implications: The Department of Motor Vehicles does not anticipate a fiscal impact from this bill. The proposal does not change which vehicles are exempt from registration or permitted to pay reduced registration fees and will not impact the agency's registration process.

Current law exempts certain motor vehicles used only for agricultural purposes and used on the highways for limited purposes from registration and grants other vehicles used only for agricultural purposes and used on the highways for limited purposes reduced registration fees. This bill would restrict some of the currently acceptable travel uses for those vehicles.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Motor Vehicles, law enforcement agencies.

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: None.