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**INCREASE GAS TAX**

**House Bill 4944**

**Sponsor: Rep. Walter J. DeLange**

**Committee: Transportation**

**Complete to 6-13-95**

**A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4944 AS INTRODUCED 6-8-95**

Under the motor fuel tax act, gasoline and diesel fuel are taxed at 15 cents per gallon. However, purchasers of diesel fuel used in certain commercial vehicles receive a 6-cent per gallon discount. House Bill 4944 would amend the act to increase the tax rate to 22 cents per gallon, and decrease the diesel fuel discount to 3 cents per gallon. (The bill would not affect the formula for distributing gas tax revenues between the state and local units of government.)

MCL 207.102 and 207.122

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