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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Prohibits regulations by any local government that create differing standards for fuel used in agricultural machinery from other fuel or agricultural machinery.

Proposed law provides for a short title and definitions. Defines "agricultural machinery" as any machine or equipment, including a leaf blower, designed for agricultural use or landscaping that is used in accordance with traditional farm practices and is powered by an engine or a motor.

Proposed law defines "fuel used in agricultural machinery" to include motor fuel, petroleum products, blended fuel, diesel fuel, and gasoline.

Proposed law prohibits regulations by a local governmental subdivision regarding the use, disposition, or sale or any imposition of a restriction, fee, or tax on fuel used in agricultural machinery.

Proposed law prohibits regulations by a local governmental subdivision that create differing standards for or distinguish fuel used in agricultural machinery from other fuels or machinery.

Proposed law exempts the use of agricultural machinery owned by a parish or municipality.

(Adds R.S. 33:5091-5093)