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Representative Nate Shannon, Chair House Committee on Transportation, Mobility, and Infrastructure PO Box 30014 Lansing, MI 48909-7514

Re: Navistar, Inc. Support for Michigan Senate Bill 0501

## Dear Representative Shannon:

I write to you today on behalf of Navistar, Inc. regarding our support of Senate Bill 0501 which would increase weight limits in Michigan for electric trucks and bring the state into alignment with existing federal law.

Based in Lisle, Illinois, Navistar or its subsidiaries and affiliates produce International® brand commercial trucks and engines, IC Bus® brand school and commercial buses, all-makes OnCommand® Connection advanced connectivity services, and Fleetrite®, ReNEWeD® and Diamond Advantage® brand aftermarket parts. With a history of innovation dating back to 1831, Navistar has more than 14,500 employees worldwide and is part of TRATON SE, a global champion of the truck and transport services industry.

In Michigan, Navistar operates a facility in Rochester Hills where we employ over 50 people in high skill jobs focused on eMobility solutions for our electric truck and school bus offerings.

Navistar supports this legislation which would increase weight limits for battery electric heavy duty vehicles to align with federal law. We support this bill because it recognizes and adjusts for changes to vehicles as electrification becomes increasingly common in the marketplace. State alignment with this federal law is a crucial accelerator of the transformation of the transportation industry in the United States as we move towards a zero emissions future.

Navistar appreciates your interest in this important issue for our industry and for the transportation of goods throughout Michigan and the United States.

Thank you for your consideration of our support for this legislation, and please feel free to contact us with any questions at <a href="mailto:owen.morgan@navistar.com">owen.morgan@navistar.com</a> or at 276-620-3316.

Sincerely,

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