

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By _____

1 AMEND Senate Bill No. 757, Page 5, Section 70.370, Line 128, by inserting immediately after all of said
2 section and line the following:

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4 "302.272. 1. No person shall operate any school bus owned by or under contract with a public
5 school or the state board of education unless such driver has qualified for a school bus endorsement under
6 this section and complied with the pertinent rules and regulations of the department of revenue and any final
7 rule issued by the secretary of the United States Department of Transportation or has a valid school bus
8 endorsement on a valid commercial driver's license issued by another state. A school bus endorsement shall
9 be issued to any applicant who meets the following qualifications:

10 (1) The applicant has a valid state license issued under this chapter;

11 (2) The applicant is at least twenty-one years of age; and

12 (3) The applicant has successfully passed an examination for the operation of a school bus as
13 prescribed by the director of revenue. The examination shall include any examinations prescribed by the
14 secretary of the United States Department of Transportation, and a driving test in the type of vehicle to be
15 operated. The test shall be completed in the appropriate class of vehicle to be driven. For purposes of this
16 section classes of school buses shall comply with the Commercial Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1986 (Title
17 XII of Pub. Law 99-570). For drivers who are at least seventy years of age, such examination, excluding the
18 pre-trip inspection portion of the commercial driver's license skills test, shall be completed annually to retain
19 the school bus endorsement.

20 2. The director of revenue, to the best of the director's knowledge, shall not issue or renew a school
21 bus endorsement to any applicant whose driving record shows that such applicant's privilege to operate a
22 motor vehicle has been suspended, revoked or disqualified or whose driving record shows a history of
23 moving vehicle violations.

24 3. The director may adopt any rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of this
25 section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created under the
26 authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the
27 provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable
28 and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the
29 effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of
30 rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2004, shall be invalid and void.

31 4. Notwithstanding the requirements of this section, an applicant who resides in another state and
32 possesses a valid driver's license from his or her state of residence with a valid school bus endorsement for
33 the type of vehicle being operated shall not be required to obtain a Missouri driver's license with a school bus
34 endorsement."; and

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36 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____