

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

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1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 881, Page 11,
2 Section 71.015, Line 148, by inserting after all of said section and line the following:
3 "162.064. 1. Each school district shall have on file a statement from a medical examiner
4 which indicates that the driver is physically qualified to operate a school bus for the purpose of
5 transporting pupils. Such statement shall be made on an annual basis, unless a statement is issued
6 by a department of transportation certified medical examiner, in which case such examiner may
7 issue a statement for up to a two-year duration, subject to rules promulgated by the department of
8 transportation. The term "medical examiner" includes, but is not limited to, doctors of medicine,
9 doctors of osteopathy, physician assistants, advanced practice nurses, and doctors of chiropractic.
10 For new drivers, such statement shall be on file prior to the driver's initial operation of a school bus.
11 This section shall apply to drivers employed by the school district or under contract with the school
12 district.

13 2. The director of the department of transportation may promulgate all necessary rules and
14 regulations for the administration of this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is
15 defined in section 536.010, that is created under the authority delegated in this section shall become
16 effective only if it complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if
17 applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are nonseverable, and if any of the
18 powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective
19 date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional, then the grant of
20 rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after August 28, 2018, shall be invalid and
21 void."; and
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23 Further amend said bill, Page 32, Section 302.170, Line 163, by inserting immediately after said
24 line the following:

25 "302.272. 1. No person shall operate any school bus owned by or under contract with a
26 public school or the state board of education unless such driver has qualified for a school bus
27 endorsement under this section and complied with the pertinent rules and regulations of the
28 department of revenue and any final rule issued by the secretary of the United States Department of
29 Transportation or has a valid school bus endorsement on a valid commercial driver's license issued
30 by another state. A school bus endorsement shall be issued to any applicant who meets the

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1 following qualifications:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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