

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By

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:

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4 "162.064. Each school district shall have on file a statement from a medical examiner which  
5 indicates that the driver is physically qualified to operate a school bus for the purpose of  
6 transporting pupils. Such statement shall be made on [~~an annual~~] a biennial basis. The term  
7 "medical examiner" includes, but is not limited to, doctors of medicine, doctors of osteopathy,  
8 physician assistants, advanced practice nurses, and doctors of chiropractic. For new drivers, such  
9 statement shall be on file prior to the driver's initial operation of a school bus. This section shall  
10 apply to drivers employed by the school district or under contract with the school district."; and

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12 Further amend said bill, Page 32, Section 302.170, Line 163, by inserting immediately after said  
13 line the following:

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15 "302.272. 1. No person shall operate any school bus owned by or under contract with a  
16 public school or the state board of education unless such driver has qualified for a school bus  
17 endorsement under this section and complied with the pertinent rules and regulations of the  
18 department of revenue and any final rule issued by the secretary of the United States Department of  
19 Transportation or has a valid school bus endorsement on a valid commercial driver's license issued  
20 by another state. A school bus endorsement shall be issued to any applicant who meets the  
21 following qualifications:

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

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

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

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

36 3. The director may adopt any rules and regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of

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1 this section. Any rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in section 536.010, that is created  
2 under the authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it complies with and is  
3 subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This section and  
4 chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to  
5 chapter 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently  
6 held unconstitutional, then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or adopted after  
7 August 28, 2004, shall be invalid and void.

8 4. Notwithstanding the requirements of this section, an applicant who resides in another  
9 state and possesses a valid driver's license from his or her state of residence with a valid school bus  
10 endorsement for the type of vehicle being operated shall not be required to obtain a Missouri  
11 driver's license with a school bus endorsement."; and  
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13 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
14 accordingly.