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SYNOPSIS

Requires newly-manufactured school buses to be equipped with global positioning system.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



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1 **AN ACT** concerning school buses and supplementing Title 39 of the
2 Revised Statutes.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. Each school bus as defined in R.S.39:1-1 shall be equipped
8 with a global positioning system that provides information about the
9 location and speed of each school bus in real time.

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11 2. The State Board of Education, in consultation with the New
12 Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission, shall promulgate, pursuant to
13 the “Administrative Procedure Act,” P.L.1968, c.410 (C.52:14B-1
14 et seq.), rules and regulations concerning the installation of global
15 positioning systems on school buses and the use of data collected
16 from the global positioning systems.

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18 3. This act shall take effect immediately and shall be applicable
19 to school buses manufactured on or after the 180th day following
20 enactment.

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STATEMENT

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25 This bill requires school buses manufactured on or after the
26 180th day after the bill is enacted to be equipped with a global
27 positioning system (GPS). A GPS that is installed on a school bus
28 is to provide information about the location and speed of the school
29 bus in real time.