

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 1098

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by striking out "enforcement"
2 where it occurs the first time and inserting
3 rules of the road in general

4 Amend Bill, page 1, line 9, by striking out "6314" and
5 inserting
6 3345.1

7 Amend Bill, page 1, by inserting between lines 10 and 11

8 (a) Meeting or overtaking school bus.--

9 (1) Except as provided in paragraph (5), the driver of a
10 vehicle meeting or overtaking any school bus stopped on a
11 highway or trafficway shall stop at least ten feet before
12 reaching the school bus when the red signal lights on the
13 school bus are flashing and the side stop signal arms are
14 activated under section 4552(b.1) (relating to general
15 requirements for school buses). The driver shall not proceed
16 until the flashing red signal lights are no longer actuated.
17 In no event shall a driver of a vehicle resume motion of the
18 vehicle until the school children who may have alighted from
19 the school bus have reached a place of safety. The driver of
20 a vehicle approaching an intersection at which a school bus
21 is stopped shall stop his vehicle at that intersection until
22 the flashing red signal lights are no longer actuated.

23 (2) The operator of a school bus who observes a
24 violation of paragraph (1) may prepare a report as provided
25 under section 3345(a.1) (relating to meeting or overtaking
26 school bus).

27 (3) The driver of a vehicle meeting or overtaking any
28 school bus shall proceed past the school bus with caution and
29 shall be prepared to stop when the amber signal lights are
30 flashing.

31 (4) Whenever a school bus is being used upon a highway
32 or trafficway for the transportation of disabled persons
33 exclusively and the school bus is equipped with red signal
34 lights, the driver of the school bus may actuate the signal
35 lights in the same manner as set forth in this section

1 regarding the transportation of school children. The driver
2 of a vehicle approaching the school bus shall have the same
3 duties regarding stopping, passing and overtaking as he does
4 with respect to a school bus carrying school children.

5 (5) The driver of a vehicle upon a highway or trafficway
6 with separate roadways need not stop upon meeting or passing
7 a school bus with actuated red signal lights which is on a
8 different roadway.

9 Amend Bill, page 1, line 11, by striking out "(a)" and
10 inserting

11 (a.1)

12 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 13 and 14, by striking out "the
13 provisions of section 3345(a) (relating to meeting or overtaking
14 school bus)" and inserting

15 subsection (a)(1)

16 Amend Bill, page 2, line 3, by striking out "section 3345(a)
17 and (f.1)" and inserting

18 subsection (a)(1) and (5)

19 Amend Bill, page 2, line 8, by inserting after "(d)"

20 (relating to meeting or overtaking school bus)

21 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 9 and 10, by striking out "section
22 3345(a)" and inserting

23 subsection (a)(1)

24 Amend Bill, page 2, line 13, by striking out "section" and
25 inserting

26 sections 1535(a) (relating to schedule of convictions
27 and points) and

28 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 14 through 17, by striking out all
29 of lines 14 through 16 and "(3)" in line 17 and inserting

30 (2)

31 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 21 through 23, by striking out all
32 of said lines

33 Amend Bill, page 2, lines 28 and 29, by striking out "city of
34 the first class" and inserting

1 school district or contracted company

2 Amend Bill, page 3, line 14, by striking out "traffic"

3 Amend Bill, page 3, line 14, by inserting after "violations"
4 of this section

5 Amend Bill, page 3, line 27, by striking out "notice of
6 liability" and inserting
7 citation

8 Amend Bill, page 4, line 6, by inserting after "the" where it
9 occurs the first time

10 police

11 Amend Bill, page 4, line 29, by striking out "department" and
12 inserting

13 school district

14 Amend Bill, page 5, lines 8 through 30; page 6, lines 1
15 through 30; page 7, lines 1 through 28; by striking out all of
16 lines 8 through 30 on page 5, all of lines 1 through 30 on page
17 6, all of lines 1 through 27 and "(g)" in line 28 on page 7 and
18 inserting

19 (f)

20 Amend Bill, page 8, lines 10 through 30; page 9, lines 1
21 through 17; by striking out all of lines 10 through 30 on page
22 8, all of lines 1 through 16 and "(j)" in line 17 on page 9 and
23 inserting

24 (g)

25 Amend Bill, page 9, lines 19 through 30; pages 10 and 11,
26 lines 1 through 30; page 12, lines 1 through 10; by striking out
27 the colon in line 19, all of lines 20 through 30 on page 9, all
28 of lines 1 through 30 on pages 10 and 11 and all of lines 1
29 through 10 on page 12 and inserting

30 submit the following information to the police
31 department with primary jurisdiction over the area where a

1 violation of this section occurred:
2 (1) A copy of the recorded image showing the vehicle.
3 (2) The license plate number and state of issuance of
4 the motor vehicle.
5 (3) The date, time and place of the alleged violation.

6 Amend Bill, page 12, line 11, by striking out "(o)" and
7 inserting

8 (h)

9 Amend Bill, page 12, lines 19 through 30; pages 13 and 14,
10 lines 1 through 30; by striking out all of said lines on said
11 pages and inserting

12 (i) Enforcement.--Upon receipt of notice of conviction of
13 the violation, the department shall suspend the operating
14 privileges of the person determined to have responsibility for
15 the violation of this section and assess points to the driving
16 record as provided under section 1535(a).

17 Amend Bill, page 15, line 1, by striking out "(q)" and
18 inserting

19 (j)

20 Amend Bill, page 15, line 3, by striking out "Fines" and
21 inserting

22 Fifty percent of the fines

23 Amend Bill, page 15, line 8, by inserting after

24 "Commonwealth."

25 The department shall award school bus safety grants on a
26 competitive basis. The department may pay any actual
27 administrative costs arising from the administration of this
28 section out of the fines deposited into the fund.

29 Amend Bill, page 15, line 9, by inserting after "contractors"
30 and school districts

31 Amend Bill, page 15, line 12, by striking out "(r)" and
32 inserting

33 (k)

34 Amend Bill, page 16, line 1, by striking out "(s)" and
35 inserting

1 (1)

2 Amend Bill, page 16, lines 12 through 14, by striking out all
3 of said lines

4 Amend Bill, page 16, lines 22 through 27, by striking out all
5 of said lines