PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §§1-3, NRS 385.080, 392.400 and 392.410.

Section 1. Chapter 392 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

- 1. The Nevada School Bus Standards established by the department of education are hereby adopted by reference as those standards existed on October 22, 2000.
- 2. A copy of the Nevada School Bus Standards may be obtained free of charge from the Department of Education, 700 East Fifth Street, Carson City, Nevada 89701-5096.
- 3. The department of education shall provide a copy of the Nevada School Bus Standards free of charge to each school district in this state.
 - **Sec. 2.** NAC 392.500 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 392.500 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 392.400, [and NAC 392.595 and 392.667,] a school bus manufactured:
- (a) After February 10, 1972, and before [March 1, 1996,] *October 22, 2000*, may be used for the transportation of pupils only if it conforms to the minimum national standards for school buses established by the Secretary of Transportation pursuant to the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966, 49 U.S.C. §§ 30101 et seq., and any more stringent standards

adopted by the state board of education that were in effect at the time the school bus was manufactured; or

- (b) On or after [March 1, 1996,] October 22, 2000, may be used for the transportation of pupils only if it conforms to the national standards for school buses set forth in 49 C.F.R. Part 571 and the [National Standards for School Transportation, 1995 edition, and the more stringent standards set forth in NAC 392.501 to 392.689, inclusive.] standards set forth in the Nevada School Bus Standards adopted pursuant to section 1 of this regulation.
- 2. This section does not prevent the Federal Government or the government of any state or political subdivision thereof from establishing a safety requirement applicable to motor vehicles or motor vehicle equipment procured for its own use if such requirement imposes a higher standard of performance than that required to comply with the otherwise applicable federal standard.
- **Sec. 3.** NAC 392.501, 392.503, 392.513, 392.559, 392.564, 392.565, 392.569, 392.571, 392.581, 392.583, 392.584, 392.593, 392.595, 392.611, 392.621, 392.647, 392.649, 392.651, 392.653, 392.655, 392.657, 392.659, 392.661, 392.662, 392.665, 392.667, 392.669, 392.671, 392.673, 392.677, 392.683, 392.685, 392.687 and 392.689 are hereby repealed.

LEADLINES OF REPEALED SECTIONS

- **392.501** Applicability of regulations. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.503 Adoption of standards and specifications by reference. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.513 Front bumper. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.559 Undercoating. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.564 Warning devices. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.565 Alarm warning when bus is in reverse. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.569 Rear bumper. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.571 Paint. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.581 Fire extinguisher. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.583 Kit for first aid. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.584 Kit for cleanup of bodily fluids. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.593 Insulation. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.595 Interior. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.611 Rub rails. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.621 Tread of steps. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.647 Definitions. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.649 "Strap" defined. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.651 "Webbing" defined. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.653 "Wheelchair" defined. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.655 Power lift or ramp required. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410)
- 392.657 Width of aisles. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)
- 392.659 Electronic system for two-way communication required. (NRS 385.080, 392.400)

392.661 Seat belt assemblies and securement systems for wheelchairs. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.662 Instrument for cutting strap or webbing; oxygen bottles; other equipment for safety, mobility assistance or health support. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410) Display of international symbol of accessibility required. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410) 392.667 Standards for power lift. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.669 Standards for ramp. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.671 Restraining devices. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.673 Seats. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.677 Tinted glass. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.683 Standards for step well. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410) 392.685 Standards for special service entrance. (NRS 385.080, 392.400, 392.410) 392.687 Standards for doors for special service entrance. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) Determination of passenger capacity. (NRS 385.080, 392.400) 392.689