

# NOTICE OF INTENT

## Board of Elementary and Secondary Education

### Bulletin 1191.School Transportation Handbook (LAC 28:I.915)

In accordance with R.S. 49:950 et seq., the Administrative Procedure Act, notice is hereby given that the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education approved for advertisement, Revised Bulletin 1191, School Transportation Handbook.

Bulletin 1191 is referenced in the Administrative Code, Title 28 as noted below. Complete text of the revised bulletin may be viewed at the Department of Education, Bureau of Migrant Education/School Transportation, at the office of the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education located in the Education Building in Baton Rouge, LA, or at the Office of the State Register, located on the Fifth Floor of the Capitol Annex. The full text can be obtained at a cost of \$16.25 by contacting the Office of the State Register. Please reference document number 9606#053.

#### Title 28 EDUCATION

#### Part I. Board of Elementary and Secondary Education

#### Chapter 9. Bulletins, Regulations, and State Plans

#### §915. Bus Transportation Standards and Regulations

A. Bulletin 1191, School Transportation Handbook, is adopted as revised, 1996. This bulletin sets forth policies, rules and regulations for providing pupil transportation services to regular and special education students. Staff and parental responsibilities at the local level are delineated. Eligibility requirements, instructional programs, and removal procedure for bus drivers are established. Regulations are included for the operation of vehicles (for example, loading and unloading of buses, and speed limits) and for the maintenance and inspections of vehicles. Procedures are given for the determination of bus routes and for claiming state reimbursements. Student eligibility requirements and instructions for those riding the buses are given. Evaluation procedures are established. Definition of terms and summaries of relevant state laws are included as parts of the bulletin.

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AUTHORITY NOTE: R.S. 17:158; R.S. 160-161; R.S. 17:164-166.

Interested persons may submit written comments on the proposed revisions until 4:30 p.m., August 9, 1996 to: Jeannie Stokes, Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, Box 94064, Capitol Station, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9064.

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#### FISCAL AND ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT FOR ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

#### RULE TITLE: Bulletin 1191.School Transportation Handbook

- I. ESTIMATED IMPLEMENTATION COSTS (SAVINGS) TO STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNITS (Summary)  
The estimated implementation cost to print 166 copies of the revised 1996 School Transportation Handbook, Bulletin 1191 is \$640.  
BESE's estimated cost for printing this policy change and first page of fiscal and economic impact statement in the *Louisiana Register* is approximately \$100. Funds are available.
- II. ESTIMATED EFFECT ON REVENUE COLLECTIONS OF STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL UNITS (Summary)  
There would be no effect on revenue collections after giving two copies to each school system.
- III. ESTIMATED COSTS AND/OR ECONOMIC BENEFITS TO DIRECTLY AFFECTED PERSONS OR NONGOVERNMENTAL GROUPS (Summary)  
There would be no estimated cost and/or economic benefit, in that individual copies will be given to all consumers without cost.
- IV. ESTIMATED EFFECT ON COMPETITION AND EMPLOYMENT (Summary)  
There would be no estimated effect on competition and employment.

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