

2015 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 203

BY SENATOR CROWE

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS. Redefines "mileage one-way" for purposes of the bus driver operational schedule. (gov sig)

AN ACT

To amend and reenact R.S. 17:497(C), relative to school bus drivers; to provide for operational schedules; to provide for rates of compensation; to amend the definition of the term "mileage one-way"; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 17:497(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§497. School bus drivers; operational schedules

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C. The term "mileage one-way" as used in this Section shall mean the distance the bus travels after picking up its first ~~child~~ **authorized passenger** and until it reaches the final destination or school of said route or routes officially designated by each school board.

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Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Alan Miller.

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Present law defines the term "mileage one-way" as the distance the bus travels after picking up its first child and until it reaches the final destination or school of said route or routes officially designated by each school board.

Proposed law redefines "mileage one-way" to mean the distance the bus travels after picking up its first authorized passenger and until it reaches the final destination or school of the route or routes officially designated by each school board.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 17:497(C))