

Subject Third-party testing for school bus drivers

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Overview

This bill allows school districts and school bus companies to be certified as third-party testing programs to administer road tests and skill tests to drivers for other school districts and school bus companies.

Summary

| Section | Description |
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| 1 | Third-party tester. Defines “third-party tester” as a person certified by the commissioner of public safety to conduct road tests and skill tests. |
| 2 | Third-party testing program. Defines “third-party testing program” as program authorized by the commissioner of public safety to conduct road tests and skills tests. |
| 3 | Third-party testing of school bus drivers. Allows school districts and school bus companies that have third-party testing programs to administer road tests and skill tests to drivers for other school districts or school bus companies, respectively. Requires the program to employ a certified third-party tester. Allows for reimbursement. Requires any agreement for testing services between school districts or between school bus companies be submitted to the commissioner of public safety for approval. |