

## State of Misconsin 2017 - 2018 LEGISLATURE

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## **2017 SENATE BILL 547**

November 20, 2017 - Introduced by Senators Moulton, Marklein and Olsen, cosponsored by Representatives Kulp, Bernier, Horlacher, Mursau, Petersen, Steffen, Subeck and Thiesfeldt. Referred to Committee on Transportation and Veterans Affairs.

- 1 AN ACT relating to: modifying Department of Transportation rules relating to
- 2 human services vehicles.

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#### Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current rules promulgated by the Department of Transportation, no human services vehicle driver may require or allow any passenger to stand while the vehicle is in motion and may not move the vehicle until all passengers are seated. Under this bill, these restrictions do not apply to a passenger with a medical condition that prevents sitting as certified by a medical practitioner.

# The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Trans 301.05 (11) of the administrative code is amended to read:

Trans 301.05 (11) No driver may require or allow any passenger to stand while the vehicle is in motion. The driver may not move or start the HSV until all passengers are seated. The driver may not permit a passenger to get up from a seated position until the HSV has come to a complete stop. The driver may not permit any passengers to sit anywhere except in seats provided. This subsection does not apply

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- to chaperones or monitors in the performance of their duties or to a passenger with
- 2 <u>a medical condition that prevents sitting as certified by a medical practitioner.</u>
- 3 (END)