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CHAPTER 226.

AN ACT to create 85.01 (4) (cr) of the statutes, relating to registration fees for school busses.

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

85.01 (4) (cr) of the statutes is created to read: 85.01 (4) (cr) School busses. For the registration of a vehicle operated exclusively as a school bus, the fee specified in paragraph (c) for motor trucks except that the gross weight shall be determined as provided in paragraph (d) for passenger carrying motor vehicles. A school bus may be registered for a year, quarterly or part-quarterly as re-quested in the application. The quarterly period shall begin July 1, October 1, January 1 and April 1 and the fee for any quarter shall be one-fourth the annual fee. Fees for partquarterly registration shall be computed on the basis of one-twelfth of the annual fee multiplied by the number of months of the current quarter which have not fully expired on the date of application, provided that, where the vehicle was not operated, an affidavit of nonoperation satisfactory to the department shall be filed with the application. The department shall provide means whereby the registration plates will show the period of registration. A "school bus" is any motor vehicle transporting, under written contract with any school, school district, or municipality, children to or from school, or used in transporting school groups on educational or recreational tours in conjunction with a school activity.

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