

1987 Assembly Bill 634

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AN ACT to renumber and amend 343.21 (1) (g); to amend 343.21 (1) (intro.); and to create 121.555 (2) (cm) and 343.21 (2) (b) of the statutes, relating to the requirements of operators of certain vehicles used to provide pupil transportation.

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

SECTION 1. 121.555 (2) (cm) of the statutes is created to read:

121.555 (2) (cm) *Waiver of operator requirement.* Notwithstanding par. (c) 3, with respect to the operator of a vehicle under sub. (1) (a), a school board or the governing body of a private school may waive the requirement that an operator have sufficient use of both hands if the operator has sufficient use of one hand to safely operate the vehicle which the school board or governing body of the private school proposes the operator use, as substantiated by a special driving examination conducted by the department of transportation. The department of transportation shall conduct the special examination under this paragraph upon the request of a school board, the governing body of a private school or the operator.

SECTION 2. 343.21 (1) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:

343.21 (1) (intro.) The following fees shall be paid to the department ~~for conducting examinations and~~ for the issuance, renewal, validation and reinstatement of licenses and instruction permits:

SECTION 3. 343.21 (1) (g) of the statutes is renumbered 343.21 (2) (a) and amended to read:

343.21 (2) (a) In addition to the fees set for the issuance of the licenses enumerated under ~~pars. sub. (1)~~ (b), (ba), (bm) and (e), there shall be paid to the department an examination fee of \$5. Payment of the examination fee entitles the applicant to not more than 3 tests of the applicant's ability to exercise reasonable control in the operation of a motor vehicle. If the applicant does not qualify for issuance of a license in 3 such tests, then a 2nd examination fee of \$5 shall be paid, which payment entitles the applicant to not more than 3 additional tests.

SECTION 4. 343.21 (2) (b) of the statutes is created to read:

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343.21 (2) (b) The operator shall pay to the department an examination fee of \$5 for conducting the special examination requested under s. 121.555 (2) (cm). Payment of the examination fee entitles the person to not more than 3 tests of the person's ability to safely operate the vehicle proposed to be used under s.

121.555 (1) (a). If the applicant does not pass the examination for safe operation of the vehicle in 3 such tests, then a 2nd examination fee of \$5 shall be paid, which payment entitles the person to not more than 3 additional tests.
