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IN THE SENATE
SENATE AMENDMENT TO H.B. NO. 571

AMENDMENT TO THE BILL

On page 1 of the printed bill, delete lines 6 through 16, and insert:

"SECTION 1. That Section 33-1508, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

33-1508. OPERATION OF SCHOOL BUSES. (1) All school buses shall at all times be operated in conformity with law and with rules of the Idaho state police and the state board of education.

(2) No school bus shall:

(a) Cross any railroad track, or enter or cross any arterial highway without first coming to a full stop. If any such crossing, intersection or access be obscured by trees, buildings or other objects, or because of wind, storm or fog, the school bus driver shall open such windows and doors as will permit him to determine when it is safe to proceed;

(b) Be operated at any time for the transportation of pupils by any person who does not have a current commercial driver's license (CDL) as specified in section 49-105, Idaho Code, and the minimum training for bus drivers as prescribed by the state board of education;

(c) Be operated at any time in excess of its maximum occupancy as determined by the manufacturer. Occupancy at no time shall exceed three (3) persons in a seat.

(3) Notwithstanding any provision of law or rule to the contrary, a school bus may travel up to seventy (70) miles per hour on an interstate highway, provided the bus does not exceed the posted speed limit as provided in section 49-654, Idaho Code."

CORRECTION TO TITLE

On page 1, in line 2, delete "1504" and insert: "1508"; and in line 3, delete "AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION".