

# SENATE BILL NO. 374

April 21, 2021, Introduced by Senator NESBITT and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A bill to amend 1990 PA 187, entitled "The pupil transportation act," by amending section 5 (MCL 257.1805), as amended by 2006 PA 107, and by adding section 32.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 5. (1) "Law enforcement agency" means that term as  
2 defined in section 682 of the Michigan vehicle code, 1949 PA 300,  
3 MCL 257.682.

4           (2) "Motor bus" means bus and "motor carrier of passengers"

1 ~~mean~~**means motor carrier as** those terms ~~as~~**are** defined in section 3  
2 of the motor bus transportation act, 1982 PA 432, MCL 474.103.

3 (3) ~~(2)~~"Nonpublic school" means that term as defined in  
4 section 5 of the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.5.

5 (4) ~~(3)~~"Public school" means that term as defined in section  
6 5 of the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.5.

7 (5) ~~(4)~~"Rule" means a rule promulgated pursuant to the  
8 administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to  
9 24.328.

10 (6) ~~(5)~~"School" means either a public school or a nonpublic  
11 school, or both.

12 (7) "School district" means that term as defined in section 6  
13 of the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.6.

14 (8) "Stop-arm camera system" means a system of 2 or more  
15 cameras affixed to a school bus that meets all of the following  
16 requirements:

17 (a) Is synchronized to automatically record video or 1 or more  
18 sequenced photographs of a vehicle that fails to stop for a school  
19 bus or passes a school bus in violation of section 682(1) of the  
20 Michigan vehicle code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.682.

21 (b) Is capable of capturing images of all of the following:

22 (i) The vehicle.

23 (ii) The registration plate on the rear of the vehicle.

24 (iii) A distance of not less than 200 feet in front of the  
25 school bus.

26 (c) Records the date, time, and location on an image produced  
27 by the system.

28 Sec. 32. (1) A school bus may be equipped with a stop-arm  
29 camera system in accordance with this section.

1 (2) A school district may do any of the following:

2 (a) Install and operate a stop-arm camera system on a school  
3 bus.

4 (b) Enter into an agreement with a law enforcement agency to  
5 report a violation of section 682(1) of the Michigan vehicle code,  
6 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.682, and to provide the photograph captured or  
7 video recorded by the stop-arm camera system to the law enforcement  
8 agency.

9 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect October  
10 1, 2021.

11 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect  
12 unless all of the following bills of the 101st Legislature are  
13 enacted into law:

14 (a) Senate Bill No 376.

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16 (b) Senate Bill No. 377.

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