388.1674a Statewide school bus driver safety program; requirements.

Sec. 74a. (1) From the funds appropriated in section 11, there is allocated an amount not to exceed $810,000.00 for 2018-2019 to an eligible intermediate district to implement a statewide school bus driver safety program.

(2) An intermediate district is eligible to receive funds under this section if the intermediate district meets all of the following:

(a) The total combined membership of its constituent districts is at least 7,000 and not more than 8,000.
(b) The intermediate district is located in prosperity region 4.
(c) The intermediate district consists of 2 formerly independent intermediate districts that consolidated into 1 intermediate district.

(3) A statewide school bus driver safety program funded under this section must provide transportation staff training on how to respond to acts of violence by using the model known as proactive response training for school bus drivers.

(4) Notwithstanding section 17b, the department shall make payments under this section to an eligible intermediate district not later than March 1, 2019.


Compiler's note: Former MCL 388.1674a, which pertained to conversion of buses from diesel fuel to natural gas, was repealed by Act 85 of 2015, Eff. Oct. 1, 2015.