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House Bill 4879 (as passed by the House)
Sponsor: Representative Cameron Brown
House Committee: Agriculture and Resource Management
Senate Committee: Farming, Agribusiness and Food Systems

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Pupil Transportation Act to permit a bus to be painted as a school bus if it were leased seasonally for transporting agricultural workers to and from a field for agricultural operations. The Act requires school buses to be painted in a certain manner and prohibits a bus, other than a school bus, from being painted in the specified colors and design. The bill would make an exception to that prohibition.

The Act defines "school bus" as "a motor vehicle...with a manufacturer's rated seating capacity of 11 or more passengers used for the transportation of school pupils to and from school...".

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Legislative Analyst: C. Layman

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

Fiscal Analyst: B. Baker

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