

HOUSE BILL NO. 4930

August 23, 2023, Introduced by Reps. Tyrone Carter and Filler and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1990 PA 187, entitled "The pupil transportation act," by amending sections 5 and 20 (MCL 257.1805 and 257.1820), section 5 as amended by 2006 PA 107 and section 20 as added by 2021 PA 52.

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"
5 ~~mean~~ means motor carrier as those terms as ~~are~~ defined in section 3

1 of the motor bus transportation act, 1982 PA 432, MCL 474.103.

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

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

6 (5) ~~(4)~~—"Rule" means a rule promulgated pursuant to the
7 administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to
8 24.328.

9 (6) ~~(5)~~—"School" means either a public school or a nonpublic
10 school, or both.

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

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

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

20 (b) Is capable of capturing images of both of the following:

21 (i) The vehicle.

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

23 (c) Records the date, time, and location on a video recorded
24 or photograph captured by the system.

25 Sec. 20. (1) A school bus may be equipped with a stop-arm
26 camera system in accordance with this section.

27 (2) A school **district** may do ~~either~~ **any** of the following:

28 (a) Install and operate a stop-arm camera system on a school
29 bus.

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

7 (c) ~~(b)~~ Enter into a contract with a private vendor to ~~install~~
8 ~~and do 1 or more of the following:~~

9 (i) **Install, operate, and provide support to** a stop-arm camera
10 system on a school bus.

11 ~~(3) As used in this section, "stop-arm camera system" means a~~
12 ~~system of 2 or more cameras affixed to a school bus that meets all~~
13 ~~of the following requirements:~~

14 ~~(a) Is synchronized to automatically record video or 1 or more~~
15 ~~sequenced photographs of a vehicle failing to stop for a school bus~~
16 ~~or passing a school bus in violation of section 682(1) of the~~
17 ~~Michigan vehicle code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.682.~~

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

19 ~~(i) The vehicle.~~

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

21 ~~(iii) A distance of not less than 200 feet in front of the~~
22 ~~school bus.~~

23 ~~(c) Records the date, time, and location on an image produced~~
24 ~~by the system.~~

25 (ii) **Perform the school district's obligations under an**
26 **agreement described in subdivision (b) on behalf of the school**
27 **district.**

28 (3) If required by a contract entered into under subsection
29 (2), a private vendor operating a stop-arm camera system shall

1 provide all of the following information to a law enforcement
2 agency authorized to enforce section 682(1) of the Michigan vehicle
3 code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.682, if the stop-arm camera system
4 captures a photograph or records video showing an alleged violation
5 of section 682(1) of the Michigan vehicle code, 1949 PA 300, MCL
6 257.682:

7 (a) A copy of the photograph captured or video recorded
8 showing the motor vehicle.

9 (b) The registration plate number and state of issuance of the
10 registration plate.

11 (c) The date, time, and place of the alleged violation.

12 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect
13 unless all of the following bills of the 102nd Legislature are
14 enacted into law:

15 (a) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4928 (request no.
16 01534'23 *).

17 (b) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4929 (request no.
18 01535'23 *).