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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 5375

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 5375 on page 1,  
3 immediately above line 4, by inserting the following:

4 "Section 3. The School Code is amended by changing Section  
5 29-6.3 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/29-6.3)

7 Sec. 29-6.3. Transportation to and from specified  
8 interscholastic or school-sponsored activities.

9 (a) Any school district transporting students in grade 12  
10 or below for an interscholastic, interscholastic athletic, or  
11 school-sponsored, noncurriculum-related activity that (i) does  
12 not require student participation as part of the educational  
13 services of the district and (ii) is not associated with the  
14 students' regular class-for-credit schedule or required 5  
15 clock hours of instruction under Section 10-19.05 shall  
16 transport the students only in a school bus, a vehicle

1 manufactured to transport not more than 10 persons, including  
2 the driver, or a multifunction school activity bus  
3 manufactured to transport not more than 15 persons, including  
4 the driver.

5 (a-5) A student in any of grades 9 through 12 may be  
6 transported in a multifunction school activity bus (MFSAB) as  
7 defined in Section 1-148.3a-5 of the Illinois Vehicle Code for  
8 any curriculum-related or career-related activity except for  
9 transportation on regular bus routes from home to school or  
10 from school to home, subject to the following conditions:

11 (i) A MFSAB may not be used to transport students  
12 under this Section unless the driver holds a valid school  
13 bus driver permit.

14 (ii) The use of a MFSAB under this Section is subject  
15 to the requirements of Sections 6-106.11, 6-106.12,  
16 12-707.01, 13-101, and 13-109 of the Illinois Vehicle  
17 Code.

18 (a-7) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, if the  
19 driver has obtained and currently holds a valid school bus  
20 permit, a MFSAB may be used for the purpose of transporting 15  
21 or less persons, including the driver, whose purposes do  
22 include transporting students to and from home or school bus  
23 stops. In such a case that a MFSAB is being used for  
24 transporting students to and from home or school bus stops, a  
25 MFSAB must meet the special requirements in Sections 12-801,  
26 12-803, and 12-805 and subsection (a) of Section 12-802 of the

1 Illinois Vehicle Code.

2 (b) Any school district furnishing transportation for  
3 students under the authority of this Section shall insure  
4 against any loss or liability of the district resulting from  
5 the maintenance, operation, or use of the vehicle.

6 (c) Vehicles used to transport students under this Section  
7 may claim a depreciation allowance of 20% over 5 years as  
8 provided in Section 29-5 of this Code.

9 (Source: P.A. 104-367, eff. 1-1-26.)".