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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 5328

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 5328 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
5 changing Sections 11-605 and 11-605.3 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/11-605) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 11-605)

7 Sec. 11-605. Special speed limit while passing schools.

8 (a) For the purpose of this Section, "school" means the  
9 following entities:

10 (1) A public or private primary or secondary school.

11 (2) A primary or secondary school operated by a  
12 religious institution.

13 (3) A public, private, or religious nursery school.

14 On a school day when school children are present and so  
15 close thereto that a potential hazard exists because of the  
16 close proximity of the motorized traffic, no person shall

1 drive a motor vehicle at a speed in excess of 20 miles per hour  
2 while passing a school zone or while traveling on a local,  
3 county, or State roadway on public school property or upon any  
4 public thoroughfare where children pass going to and from  
5 school.

6 For the purpose of this Section, a school day begins at  
7 6:30 a.m. and concludes at 4 p.m.

8 This Section shall not be applicable unless appropriate  
9 signs are posted upon streets and highways under their  
10 respective jurisdiction and maintained by the Department,  
11 township, county, park district, city, village or incorporated  
12 town wherein the school zone is located. With regard to the  
13 special speed limit while passing schools, such signs shall  
14 give proper due warning that a school zone is being approached  
15 and shall indicate the school zone and the maximum speed limit  
16 in effect during school days when school children are present.

17 (b) (Blank).

18 (c) Nothing in this Chapter shall prohibit the use of  
19 electronic speed-detecting devices within 500 feet of signs  
20 within a special school speed zone indicating such zone, as  
21 defined in this Section, nor shall evidence obtained thereby  
22 be inadmissible in any prosecution for speeding provided the  
23 use of such device shall apply only to the enforcement of the  
24 speed limit in such special school speed zone.

25 (d) (Blank).

26 (e) Except as provided in subsection (e-5), a person who

1 violates this Section is guilty of a petty offense. Violations  
2 of this Section are punishable with a minimum fine of \$150 for  
3 the first violation and a minimum fine of \$300 for the second  
4 or subsequent violation.

5 (e-5) A person committing a violation of this Section is  
6 guilty of aggravated special speed limit while passing schools  
7 when he or she drives a motor vehicle at a speed that is:

8 (1) 26 miles per hour or more but less than 35 miles  
9 per hour in excess of the applicable special speed limit  
10 established under this Section or a similar provision of a  
11 local ordinance and is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor; or

12 (2) 35 miles per hour or more in excess of the  
13 applicable special speed limit established under this  
14 Section or a similar provision of a local ordinance and is  
15 guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

16 (f) (Blank).

17 (g) (Blank).

18 (h) (Blank).

19 (Source: P.A. 102-58, eff. 7-9-21.)

20 (625 ILCS 5/11-605.3)

21 Sec. 11-605.3. Special traffic protections while passing  
22 parks and recreation facilities and areas.

23 (a) As used in this Section:

24 (1) "Park district" means the following entities:

25 (A) any park district organized under the Park

1 District Code;

2 (B) any park district organized under the Chicago  
3 Park District Act; and

4 (C) any municipality, county, forest district,  
5 school district, township, or other unit of local  
6 government that operates a public recreation  
7 department or public recreation facilities that has  
8 recreation facilities that are not on land owned by  
9 any park district listed in subparagraphs (A) and (B)  
10 of this subdivision (a)(1).

11 (2) "Park zone" means the recreation facilities and  
12 areas on any land owned or operated by a park district that  
13 are used for recreational purposes, including but not  
14 limited to: parks; playgrounds; swimming pools; hiking  
15 trails; bicycle paths; picnic areas; roads and streets;  
16 and parking lots.

17 (3) "Park zone street" means that portion of any State  
18 or local street or intersection under the control of a  
19 local unit of government, adjacent to a park zone, where  
20 the local unit of government has, by ordinance or  
21 resolution, designated and approved the street or  
22 intersection as a park zone street. If, before the  
23 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General  
24 Assembly, a street already had a posted speed limit lower  
25 than 20 miles per hour, then the lower limit may be used  
26 for that park zone street.

1           (4) "Safety purposes" means the costs associated with:  
2           park zone safety education; the purchase, installation,  
3           and maintenance of signs, roadway painting, and caution  
4           lights mounted on park zone signs; and any other expense  
5           associated with park zones and park zone streets.

6           (b) On any day when children are present and within 50 feet  
7           of motorized traffic, a person may not drive a motor vehicle at  
8           a speed in excess of 20 miles per hour or any lower posted  
9           speed while traveling on a park zone street that has been  
10          designated for the posted reduced speed.

11          (c) On any day when children are present and within 50 feet  
12          of motorized traffic, any driver traveling on a park zone  
13          street who fails to come to a complete stop at a stop sign or  
14          red light, including a driver who fails to come to a complete  
15          stop at a red light before turning right onto a park zone  
16          street, is in violation of this Section.

17          (d) This Section does not apply unless appropriate signs  
18          are posted upon park zone streets maintained by the Department  
19          or by the unit of local government in which the park zone is  
20          located. With regard to the special speed limit on park zone  
21          streets, the signs must give proper due warning that a park  
22          zone is being approached and must indicate the maximum speed  
23          limit on the park zone street.

24          (e) A first violation of this Section is a petty offense  
25          with a minimum fine of \$250. A second or subsequent violation  
26          of this Section is a petty offense with a minimum fine of \$500.

1 (f) (Blank).

2 (g) The Department shall, within 6 months of the effective  
3 date of this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly,  
4 design a set of standardized traffic signs for park zones and  
5 park zone streets, including but not limited to: "park zone",  
6 "park zone speed limit", and "warning: approaching a park  
7 zone". The design of these signs shall be made available to all  
8 units of local government or manufacturers at no charge,  
9 except for reproduction and postage.

10 (Source: P.A. 100-987, eff. 7-1-19.)".