

KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT FORM
2026 REGULAR SESSION
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Amend printed copy of **SB 46/HCS 1**

On page 2, line 26, to page 3, line 15, delete all language and insert the following in lieu thereof:

- "3. **a.** Minimum qualifications, training, and drug testing requirements for any~~an~~ individual, **including a school district employee, contractor, or volunteer,** to be authorized to transport any student ~~to and from school~~ using a non-school bus passenger vehicle **owned, leased, or contracted by a school district.**
- b.** **The minimum qualifications shall require an individual to possess a valid driver's license and identify any moving violations that would disqualify an individual from being authorized to transport any student in a non-school bus passenger vehicle.**
- c.** **The drug testing requirements shall be**~~The drug testing requirements shall require an individual to submit to drug testing~~ consistent, **to the greatest extent practicable,** with the requirements of 49 C.F.R. pt. 40 ~~to be authorized to transport students to and from school using a non-school bus passenger vehicle~~.
- d.** **A local board of education may establish additional qualifications, training, and drug testing requirements for an individual to be**

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Rep. Rep. Emily Callaway

Committee Amendment _____

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authorized to transport any student in a non-school bus passenger vehicle; and "; and

On page 9, line 6, after "require", insert "any"; and

On page 9, line 6, bracket and strike through "the"; and

On page 9, line 18, after "provide" insert "a copy of a valid driver's license and "; and

On page 9, line 19, after "Cabinet" insert "that does not include a disqualifying moving violation"; and

On page 9, line 26 to page 10, line 14, delete all language and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"(f) The superintendent shall require any driver of any non-school bus passenger vehicle authorized to transport students to and from approved school activities who does not have a valid commercial driver's license with an "S" endorsement issued in accordance with KRS Chapter 281A to:

1. Submit to a state criminal records check from the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet or the Administrative Office of the Courts, or both, in accordance with KRS 17.160(1) prior to being authorized and annually thereafter;
2. Submit to drug testing consistent with the administrative regulations promulgated in accordance with Section 1 of this Act;
3. Provide a copy of a valid driver's license and a driving history record check performed by the Transportation Cabinet that does not include a disqualifying moving violation prior to being authorized and in accordance with school district policy thereafter;
4. Immediately notify the superintendent of any conviction for a violation under KRS Chapter 189 for which penalty points are assessed; and
5. Immediately notify the superintendent of any citation or arrest for a violation

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**of any provision of KRS Chapter 189A. The superintendent shall inform the
Kentucky Department of Education of the notification."**