

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Consent Item
November 13, 2025

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-3.0141, Employment of School Bus Operators

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Sections 316.615(3), 1001.02(1), 1006.22, 1012.45, F.S.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This amendment revises the current rule to allow class E driver's license holders to operate small school buses and multifunction school activity buses (MFSAB) with a gross vehicle weight rating under 26,001 pounds and a seating capacity of 15 persons or fewer, including the driver, expanding transportation options for school districts to provide transportation services pursuant to section 1006.21, F.S.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed rule 6A-3.0141, F.A.C.

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