

(KEYWORD, SUMMARY, AND DIGEST as amended by Senate committee amendments)

MTR VEHICLE/COMPULS INS. Creates a penalty for school bus drivers operating buses without insurance.

DIGEST

Proposed law provides that a school bus driver knowingly operating a school bus without the required insurance shall be fined not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000.

Proposed law provides that if the owner of a school bus knowingly allows the school bus to be operated without the security required by proposed law he shall be fined not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000.

Proposed law provides that if a school bus operating without the security required by proposed law is involved in an accident, the owner shall be fined not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000, the vehicle's registration will be revoked for 60 days, and the school bus driver's commercial driver's license shall be suspended for 1 year, if he had knowledge that the bus was uninsured.

(Adds R.S. 32:865.1)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to the original bill.

- 1. Changed "motor vehicle" to "school bus" for clarification.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Transportation, Highways, and Public Works to the reengrossed bill

- 1. Adds minimum penalty of \$500 for operation of a school bus without insurance.