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## SPECIAL USE OF SCHOOL BUSES

All school buses and transportation equipment purchased by the school district shall be used for school purposes only. This policy is in keeping with the definition of "school bus" as provided in Section 301.010 (42), RSMo, which states:

School Bus -- Any motor vehicle used solely to transport students to or from school or to transport students to or from any place for educational purposes.

School buses shall not be used by or on behalf of private, commercial or religious organizations.

Any bus purchased after August 28, 1996, used to transport children to or from a federal Head Start program shall bear signs indicating that it is a Head Start school bus. Any bus that was used to transport children to or from a Head Start program prior to August 28, 1996, which continues to transport these children may also bear Head Start signs.

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Legal Refs: §§ 301.010, 304.076, RSMo

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