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April 26, 2017

The Honorable Tulensa W. Palik
Speaker
Eleventh Kosrae State Legislature
Tofol, Kosrae FM 96944

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Kulo nu sin God ke moul lasr. Paing kom a Honorable Members ke Sroasr Masap kewa.

Wangin pa pusra yok lasr nuka sripa lun L.B. 11-75. Oinge nga fulela bill se inge sun len ak 30 la, suc el inge putatyang nuke sie pusren Masap su orala Kosrae State Law No. 11-103.

"TO AMEND TITLE 13 OF THE KOSRAE STATE CODE, BY AMENDING SECTION 13.703 THEREOF, BY ADDING A NEW SUBSECTION (23) TO REQUIRE SCHOOL BUS DRIVER TO PARK IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PRIMARY ROAD DURING DISCHARGING OR RECEIVING OF STUDENTS, AND TO RENUMBER SUBSEQUENT SUBSECTION; AND FOR THE OTHER PURPOSES."

Certified copy ke masap se inge pa attached nuke letter luk.

Kulo ma lulap.

Lyndon H. Jackson
Governor, State of Kosrae

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Rolner L. Joe

Dear Governor Jackson,

MALEM
Jarinson M. Charley
Morgan S. Jonas
Sasaki L. George

I have the honor to transmit herewith for your consideration and action on **L.B. No. 11-75; TO AMEND TITLE 13 OF THE KOSRAE STATE CODE, BY AMENDING SECTION 13.703 THEREOF, BY ADDING A NEW SUBSECTION (23) TO REQUIRE SCHOOL BUS DRIVER TO PARK IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PRIMARY ROAD DURING DISCHARGING OR RECEIVING OF STUDENTS, AND TO RENUMBER SUBSEQUENT SUBSECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES;** which passed by the Legislature, Third Special Session, by two-thirds of the Members of the Legislature, a quorum being present.

UTWE
Josaiiah F. Waguk
Rinson H. Edmond

Respectfully yours,

Andy J. Andrew
Chief Clerk
Eleventh Kosrae State Legislature

Enclosures:

LEGISLATIVE BILL No. 11-75

ELEVENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE
THIRD SPECIAL SESSION

A BILL FOR AN ACT

TO AMEND TITLE 13 OF THE KOSRAE STATE CODE, BY AMENDING SECTION 13.703 THEREOF, BY ADDING A NEW SUBSECTION (23) TO REQUIRE SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS TO PARK IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PRIMARY ROAD DURING DISCHARGING OR RECEIVING OF STUDENTS, AND TO RENUMBER SUBSEQUENT SUBSECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

INTRODUCED BY: Senator

Alokoa Jb. Sigrah

DATE: October 18, 2015

ACTION BY THE LEGISLATURE

PASSED FIRST READING: February 10, 2016

REFERRED TO: SCR No. 11-156

PASSED SECOND READING: February 15, 2016



Andy J. Andrew
Chief Clerk
Kosrae State Legislature



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We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill has passed Second and Final Readings in the Legislature, Third Special Session, 2016, by two-thirds of the members of the Eleventh Kosrae State Legislature, a quorum is present.

Tulensa W. Palik
Speaker
Eleventh Kosrae State Legislature

Andy J. Andrew
Chief Clerk
Kosrae State Legislature

A BILL FOR AN ACT

To amend Title 13 of the Kosrae State Code, by amending Section 13.703 thereof, by adding a new subsection (23) to require school bus drivers to park in the middle of the primary road during discharging or receiving of students, and to renumber subsequent subsection; and for other purposes.

1 Section 1. Amendment. Section 13.703(23) of Title 13 of the Kosrae State Code
2 is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 “Section 13.703. Violating rules of the road.

4 Section 13.703. Violating rules of the road. Violating rules of the road is being
5 the driver of a vehicle and committing any of the following acts:

6 (1) Failing to obey a sign or marker erected pursuant to Section 17.703;

7 (2) Failing to drive on the right side of the road except when passing another
8 vehicle lawfully or when the right side of the road is impassable;

9 (3) Passing another vehicle traveling in the same direction on the right of the
10 vehicle or on the left of the vehicle when the left side of the road is not clearly visible
11 and free of oncoming traffic for a distance of three hundred feet;

12 (4) Following another vehicle more closely than is reasonable and prudent
13 considering the speed that the vehicle is traveling and the condition of the road;

14 (5) Entering an intersection and failing to yield the right-of-way to a vehicle
15 that has entered the intersection first;

16 (6) Entering an intersection at the same time as another vehicle and failing to
17 yield the right-of-way to the vehicle entering the intersection to the right;

18 (7) Turning left from within an intersection and failing to yield to a vehicle

1 approaching from the opposite direction which is within the intersection or so close
2 as to create an immediate hazard;

3 (8) Enacting a road from a driveway or private road and failing to yield the
4 the right-of-way to all motor vehicle approaching on the road;

5 (9) Driving on a road and failing to yield the right-of-way to emergency vehicle;

6 (10) Driving on a road and failing to yield the right-of-way to a pedestrian
7 crossing the road;

8 (11) Stopping on a road or turning while on a road and failing to signal the stop
9 or turn by the hand and arm in a manner required by regulations issued pursuant to
10 Section 5.202(1)(e) or by signal lamp or lamps or mechanical signal;

11 (12) Driving at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent considering the
12 traffic, surface and width of the road, weather, hazards, pedestrians and any other
13 condition existing;

14 (13) Driving at a speed greater than fifteen miles per hour when passing a
15 school or its grounds during the month school is in session;

16 (14) Driving at a speed greater than twenty miles per hour in any area used
17 primary for either businesses or residences;

18 (15) Driving at a speed greater than twenty-five miles per hour in any other areas;

19 (16) Parking a vehicle, whether attended or unattended, and failing to park as far
20 to the right of the road as is practicable;

21 (17) Stopping or parking a vehicle, whether attended or unattended, in any of the

1 following places:

2 (a) within fifteen feet of an intersection;

3 (b) on a crosswalk;

4 (c) within thirty feet of an official stop sign;

5 (d) within fifteen feet of the driveway entrance to any fire station;

6 (e) within fifteen feet of a fire hydrant or an areas so designated;

7 (f) in front of a private driveway;

8 (g) on a sidewalk;

9 (h) alongside or opposite any street or road excavation or obstruction when

10 such stopping, standing or parking would obstruct traffic;

11 (i) on the road side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the edge of a highway; or

12 (j) on the traffic base of any road.

13 (18) Having control of charge of a vehicle and allowing the vehicle to stand on a road

14 unattended without first effectively setting the brakes, stopping the motor and placing

15 it in gear or park;

16 (19) Driving a vehicle when the vehicle is so loaded as to obstruct the view of the driver

17 to the front or sides or to interfere with the driver's control over the driving mechanism of

18 the vehicle. This section is violated when more than two persons (including the driver)

19 are seated in the front seat of any jeep or when more than three persons (including the

20 driver) are seated in the front seat of any other type of vehicle, except that one child

21 under seven years of age may be seated in addition to the above;

1 (20) Driving a two-wheeled or three-wheeled motor vehicle and failing to wear a safety
2 helmet of a nature and in a manner required by regulations issued pursuant to Section
3 5.202(1)(e), or carrying any passenger who fails to wear such a helmet;

4 (21) Driving a two-wheeled or three-wheeled motor vehicle and carrying more than one
5 passenger, except that a person under the age of five years may sit on the passenger's lap;

6 (22) Passing a school bus which is discharging or receiving passengers;

7 (23) A driver of a school bus, who fails to stop or park in the middle of the primary road
8 and not proceed until all student passengers have been safely discharged or admitted onto
9 the bus.

10 (24) Being the driver of a school bus and failing to activate the bus' front and rear
11 warning lights before discharging or receiving passengers, or if the either set of lights
12 is inoperative or if the bus is not equipped with warning lights, failing to by manual
13 signal halt both lanes of traffic. A school bus driver does not allow a passenger to leave
14 the bus or approach a bus for admission until both lanes of traffic have halted;

15 (25) Being the driver of a pickup, flatbed or other open-bed truck while a passenger
16 of that truck rides on top of the pickup bed wall, on top of the tailgate, on the front or
17 rear bumper, on the hood, or on the roof of the cab;

18 (26) Driving any vehicle with a child on the driver's lap or standing or sitting at the
19 driver's window while the vehicle is running.

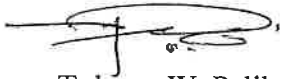
20 Section 2. Effective Date. This act shall become law upon approval by the
21 Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.

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2 PASSED BY THE ELEVENTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE ON THE 15TH
3 DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2016.

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6 Tulensa W. Palik
7 Speaker, Eleventh Kosrae State Legislature

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9 Attested by:



Chief Clerk

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12 Lyndon H. Jackson
13 Governor, State of Kosrae

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17 Date: _____