

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 124—ASSEMBLYMEN MANENDO, WILLIAMS,  
CHOWNING, PRICE, CLABORN, ANDERSON, BERMAN, BUCKLEY,  
COLLINS, DE BRAGA, FREEMAN, GIBBONS, GOLDWATER,  
KOIVISTO, LESLIE, MCCLAIN, MORTENSON, NOLAN, PARKS,  
SMITH AND TIFFANY

FEBRUARY 13, 2001

Referred to Concurrent Committees on Education  
and Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Requires boards of trustees of certain school districts to provide transportation  
for certain pupils. (BDR 34-37)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: Yes.  
Effect on the State: No.

CONTAINS UNFUNDED MANDATE (§ 1)  
(NOT REQUESTED BY AFFECTED LOCAL GOVERNMENT)

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the transportation of pupils; requiring the boards of trustees of certain  
school districts to provide transportation for elementary school pupils who reside  
a certain distance from school; and providing other matters properly relating  
thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN  
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- 1     **Section 1.** NRS 392.300 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
2     392.300 1. As provided in this Title, the board of trustees of any  
3     school district may , *subject to the requirements of subsection 2*, furnish  
4     transportation for all resident children of school age in the school district  
5     attending a public school, including pupils assigned to special schools or  
6     programs pursuant to NRS 388.440 to 388.520, inclusive:  
7     (a) Who are not excused from school attendance by the provisions of  
8     this Title; and  
9     (b) Who reside within the school district at such a distance from the  
10    school as to make transportation necessary and desirable.  
11    2. ~~When~~ *If the board of trustees of a school district in a county*  
12    *whose population is 100,000 or more furnishes transportation pursuant*  
13    *to subsection 1, the board of trustees shall provide transportation for all*  
14    *the pupils attending public elementary schools within the school district*



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1 *who reside 1.5 miles or more from their school of attendance. This*  
2 *subsection does not prohibit the board of trustees from providing*  
3 *transportation for pupils who reside less than 1.5 miles from their school*  
4 *of attendance.*  
5 **3.** *If* the board of trustees of a school district *in a county* whose  
6 population is less than 100,000 furnishes transportation for pupils attending  
7 public schools pursuant to subsection 1, the board *of trustees* may also  
8 provide transportation for all resident children of school age in the school  
9 district attending private schools not operated for profit, over bus routes  
10 established for pupils attending public schools. If such transportation is  
11 provided, the pupils attending such private schools must be transported, if  
12 space is available, to and from the points on the established routes nearest  
13 to the schools which they attend.  
14 ~~3-1~~ **4.** The board of trustees of any school district may:  
15 (a) Establish bus routes.  
16 (b) Make regulations governing the conduct of pupils while being  
17 transported.  
18 (c) For the safety of pupils being transported, govern the conduct of  
19 drivers by making and enforcing regulations not inconsistent with  
20 regulations of the state board ~~of education~~ or with law.  
21 **Sec. 2.** The provisions of subsection 1 of NRS 354.599 do not apply  
22 to any additional expenses of a local government that are related to the  
23 provisions of this act.  
24 **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.

