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AN ACT relating to the transportation of pupils; requiring the Nevada Association of School Boards to study the feasibility and necessity of safety restraints for use by pupils on school buses; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Section 1. 1. The Nevada Association of School Boards shall study the feasibility and necessity of the use of safety restraints by pupils on school buses. The study must include, without limitation:

(a) A determination whether safety restraints are necessary to enhance the safety of pupils on school buses;

(b) A plan for the installation of appropriate safety restraints in school buses and the implementation of requirements for pupils to wear the safety restraints, including, without limitation, a time frame for carrying out the plan;

(c) The costs of implementing the plan described in paragraph (b);

(d) The manner by which the school districts in this State may enforce the use of safety restraints by pupils; and

(e) Recommendations for appropriate disciplinary action for pupils who refuse to wear the safety restraints or who use the safety restraints in an unsafe manner.

2. On or before February 1, 2007, the Nevada Association of School Boards shall submit a written report of the results of the study conducted pursuant to subsection 1, including, without limitation, any recommendations for legislation to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmission to the 74th Session of the Nevada Legislature.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2005.

