

## Amendment No. 74

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 52

(BDR 43-972)

**Proposed by:** Committee on Transportation**Amendment Box:****Resolves Conflicts with:** N/A**Amends:** Summary: No Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes

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Amend sec. 2, page 3, by deleting lines 9 through 15 and inserting:

***“2. If a course described in paragraph (a) of subsection 1 is not offered within a 30-mile radius of a person’s residence, the person may, in lieu of completing such a course as required by that paragraph, complete an additional 50 hours of supervised experience in driving a motor vehicle in accordance with paragraph (b) of subsection 1.”.***

Amend sec. 3, page 3, by deleting lines 18 through 32 and inserting:

***“this act shall not operate a motor vehicle in which more than one person who is under 18 years of age is a passenger.***

***2. A person to whom a driver’s license is issued pursuant to section 2 of this act may operate a motor vehicle in which two or more persons who are under 18 years of age are passengers if:***

***(a) Each of those passengers are members of the immediate family of the person; or***

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*(b) The parent or legal guardian of the person has provided to the person a written statement signed by the parent or legal guardian evidencing the approval of the parent or legal guardian for the person to operate a motor vehicle in which two or more persons who are under 18 years of age are passengers.”.*

Amend sec. 4, page 3, line 35, by deleting “A” and inserting:

*“Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, a”.*

Amend sec. 4, page 3, line 39, after “2.” by inserting:

*“A peace officer shall not issue a citation to a person for operating a motor vehicle in violation of section 3 of this act if the person provides to the peace officer a written statement signed by the parent or legal guardian of the person evidencing the approval of the parent or legal guardian for the person to operate a motor vehicle in which two or more persons who are under 18 years of age are passengers.*

*3.”.*

Amend sec. 10, pages 6 and 7, by deleting lines 41 through 45 on page 6 and lines 1 through 6 on page 7, and inserting:

*“484.466 1. A person ~~[shall not operate a motor vehicle in a jurisdiction during any time when he is in violation of a curfew in the jurisdiction.]~~ to whom a driver’s license has been issued pursuant to section 2 of this act shall not operate a motor vehicle between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. unless he is operating the vehicle to drive to or from a scheduled event. A peace officer shall not issue a citation to a person for operating a vehicle in violation of this section if the person provides evidence satisfactory to the peace officer that the reason that the person is*

*operating the vehicle between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. is because he is driving to or from a scheduled event.*

*2. A peace officer shall not stop a motor vehicle for the sole purpose of determining whether the driver of the vehicle is violating subsection 1. A citation may be issued for a violation of subsection 1 only if the violation is discovered when the vehicle is halted or its driver is arrested for another violation or offense.”.*

Amend the title of the bill by deleting the sixth through eleventh lines and inserting:  
“revising provisions governing automobile”.

**If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative  
Counsel's Digest will be changed to read as follows:**

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

Existing law sets forth the circumstances under which a driver's license may be issued to a person who is between 15 3/4 and 18 years of age. (NRS 483.250)

This bill prohibits a person who is under 16 years of age from obtaining a driver's license. This bill requires a person who is 16 or 17 years of age to hold an instruction permit for at least 6 months before applying for a license. The person also must not have been responsible for a motor vehicle accident or convicted of driving under the influence during the 6 months before applying for the license.

Existing law restricts a driver who is under 18 years of age from transporting passengers who are under 18 years of age for the first 30 to 90 days after the license is issued depending upon the age of the driver at the time of issuance, unless the passenger is a member of the driver's immediate family. (NRS 483.253)

This bill prohibits a driver who is 16 or 17 years of age from transporting more than one passenger who is under 18 years of age unless the driver has written permission from his parent or legal guardian to transport more than one passenger who is under 18 years of age or the passengers who are under 18 years of age are members of the driver's immediate family. Violating this provision is not a moving traffic violation or grounds for the suspension or revocation of the driver's license. Peace officers are specifically prohibited from stopping a motor vehicle solely to determine whether the driver is unlawfully transporting passengers who are under 18 years of age, however,

they may issue a citation for such a violation if the vehicle is halted or the driver is arrested for another alleged violation or offense.

Existing law prohibits a person from operating a motor vehicle in a jurisdiction when doing so would violate a curfew in that jurisdiction. (NRS 484.466)

This bill prohibits a driver who is 16 or 17 years of age from operating a motor vehicle between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. unless the driver is driving to or from a scheduled event. Peace officers are specifically prohibited from stopping a motor vehicle solely to determine whether the driver is unlawfully driving a motor vehicle between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m., however, they may issue a citation for such a violation if the vehicle is halted or the driver is arrested for another alleged violation or offense.

This bill further requires that a driver's education course offered in the public schools include a component of training conducted in the classroom.