

SCHOOL-OWNED BUSES

The School Division shall provide pupil transportation in buses owned by the Division according to the appropriate sections of the Public Schools Act, and in accordance with Manitoba Regulation 170/71 which reads:

- "12. Notwithstanding section 11, a board of trustees may authorize the use of a school bus
- (a) to transport pupils for the purpose of participating in or attending extra curricular activities within the province;
 - (b) to transport trustees and administrative officers employed by the school division, school district or school area while carrying out their regular duties within the province;
 - (c) with the consent of the minister or a person authorized by him, to transport pupils, trustees, and administrative officers outside the province for the purposes outline in clauses (a) and (b); and
 - (d) to transport the vehicle as may be required for the purpose of repairing or servicing the vehicle.
13. A school bus shall not be used for the purposes outlined in clauses (a) and (b) of section 12 unless
- (a) the use has been approved by the board of trustees or a person designated by the board;
 - (b) there is at all times in full force and effect, insurance coverage in an amount satisfactory to the minister, providing for the payment of damages for the injury to, or the death of, one or more persons, including any passengers, and those persons set out in section 12, and for the payment of damages arising from loss or damage to property;
 - (c) it is driven by a qualified driver in accordance with The Highway Traffic Act and these regulations; and
 - (d) where pupils are to be transported, they are accompanied in the school bus by a person designated by the board of trustees."