



# *State of Tennessee*

## **PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 462**

**SENATE BILL NO. 815**

**By Gardenhire**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1144

By Vital, Russell, Whitson, Greg Martin, Moon, Hakeem, Helton-Haynes, Ragan

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 21 and Title 55, Chapter 4, relative to school buses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-112, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(d) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the registration fee for one (1) school bus owned by a person under contract with a local education agency (LEA), as defined in § 49-1-103, for the provision of transportation services pursuant to § 49-6-2101, is equal to the fee charged for a school bus owned by an LEA. This subsection (d) does not prohibit a person under contract with an LEA for the provision of transportation services from registering more than one (1) school bus. The registration fee for each additional school bus owned by a person under contract with an LEA for the provision of transportation services pursuant to § 49-6-2101, is the respective fee specified in subsection (a).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.


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PASSED: April 21, 2023

  
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RANDY McNALLY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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CAMERON SEXTON, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 2023

  
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BILL LEE, GOVERNOR