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*1 Mr. Ralph M. Hendrix
Director
Office of Transportation
Department of Education
1429 Senate Street
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Dear Mr. Hendrix:

Your letter requesting information concerning the possibility of amending the law to prevent civil action from being brought against school bus drivers was referred to me for consideration and reply.

Please be advised that many states have enacted on called 'save harmless' provisions whereby school bands are required to save individual employees harmless from financial loss and expense, including legal fees and costs arising out of any demand, claim, suit or judgment by reason of alleged negligence. For your information, I am sending a copy of a summary of such laws prepared by the NEA Research Division.

Very truly yours,

Charles A. Taylor, III
Assistant Attorney General

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