

April 9, 2003

H 970. SCHOOL BUS MEDICAL EVALUATIONS. *TO REQUIRE SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS TO MEET THE SAME MEDICAL EVALUATION REQUIREMENTS AS HOLDERS OF COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES.* Amends GS 20-218 as title indicates. Effective July 1, 2003.

Intro. by K. Williams.

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April 23, 2003

H 970. SCHOOL BUS DRIVER MEDICAL EVALUATIONS. Intro. 4/3/03. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Provides that medical examiner's certificate must be submitted to superintendent of schools of county in which bus to be operated.

May 1, 2003

H 970. SCHOOL BUS DRIVER MEDICAL EVALUATIONS. Intro. 4/9/03. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Amends GS 20-218(a) to replace requirement that school bus drivers submit same medical examiner's certificate as is required for holders of commercial drivers licenses with requirement that every two years school bus drivers must submit medical information and undergo a blood pressure check, vision test, and a hearing test. Further provides that upon receipt of this information, school district may require a medical examination to ensure that person is competent to drive a school bus. Makes technical changes.

May 1, 2003

H 970. SCHOOL BUS DRIVER MEDICAL EVALUATIONS. Intro. 4/9/03. House amendment makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Amends GS 20-218(a) by deleting requirement that medical information be reviewed in order to for bus driver to retain certification and providing that blood pressure, vision and hearing tests may also be conducted by a licensed medical provider. Makes conforming changes.