

HB 1247

2004

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to traffic control; amending s. 316.1945,
 3 F.S.; prohibiting stopping a vehicle in a school safety
 4 zone during school hours, except in a designated loading
 5 or unloading area; permitting parking in school safety
 6 zones; providing a definition of school hours; providing a
 7 definition of school safety zone; providing an effective
 8 date.

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10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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12 Section 1. Paragraph (d) is added to subsection (1) of
 13 section 316.1945, Florida Statutes, to read:

14 316.1945 Stopping, standing, or parking prohibited in
 15 specified places.--

16 (1) Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other
 17 traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police
 18 officer or official traffic control device, no person shall:

19 (d) Stop a vehicle to load or unload any passenger in a
 20 school safety zone during school hours, except in a designated
 21 loading or unloading area. Parking is not prohibited by this
 22 paragraph. For purposes of this paragraph, the term "school
 23 hours" means all times during which the school is open and is
 24 staffed by instructional personnel, administrative personnel, or
 25 educational support employees, and the term "school safety zone"
 26 means in, on, or within 500 feet of any real property owned by
 27 or leased to any public or private elementary school and used
 28 for elementary school education.

29 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.