

By Senator Joyner

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to speed zones at K-12 schools;
3 amending s. 316.1895, F.S.; requiring the installation
4 of traffic and pedestrian control devices at certain
5 K-12 schools unless a traffic engineering analysis
6 determines that the devices are not necessary;
7 providing an effective date.

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

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11 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 316.1895, Florida
12 Statutes, is amended to read:

13 316.1895 Establishment of school speed zones, enforcement;
14 designation.—

15 (1) (a) The Department of Transportation, pursuant to the
16 authority granted under s. 316.0745, shall adopt a uniform
17 system of traffic control devices and pedestrian control devices
18 for use on the streets and highways in the state surrounding all
19 schools, public and private.

20 (b) The Department of Transportation shall compile,
21 publish, and transmit a manual containing all specifications and
22 requirements with respect to the system of devices established
23 pursuant to paragraph (a) to the governing body of each county
24 and municipality in the state, and the Department of
25 Transportation and each county and municipality in the state
26 shall install and maintain such traffic and pedestrian control
27 devices in conformity with such uniform system. Traffic and
28 pedestrian control devices shall be installed at all public or
29 private K-12 schools located on state roads unless a traffic

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30 engineering analysis, conducted according to standards developed
31 by the Department of Transportation, determines that such
32 devices are not necessary.

33 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.