

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
ADOPTED AS AMENDED \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
FAILED TO ADOPT \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
WITHDRAWN \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Judiciary Committee  
2 Representative Slosberg offered the following:

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4 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

5 Between lines 438 and 439, insert:

6 Section 8. Subsection (1) of section 1012.45, Florida  
7 Statutes, is amended to read:

8 1012.45 School bus drivers; requirements and duties.—

9 (1) Each school bus driver must be of good moral  
10 character, of good vision and hearing, able-bodied, free from  
11 communicable disease, mentally alert, and sufficiently strong  
12 physically to handle the bus with ease, and he or she must  
13 possess other qualifications prescribed by the Commissioner of  
14 Education, including those qualifications described in 49 C.F.R.  
15 s. 391, relating to physical qualifications and examinations,  
16 and 49 C.F.R. part 40 and part 382, relating to controlled

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17 substance and alcohol use and testing, and he or she must hold a  
18 valid commercial driver license with a passenger endorsement. A  
19 person who has elected a driver improvement course pursuant to  
20 s. 318.14(9) four or more times may not serve as a school bus  
21 driver.

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24 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

25 Remove line 31 and insert:  
26 disqualifies such persons from employment; amending s.  
27 1012.45, F.S.; prohibiting a person who has elected a  
28 driver improvement course more than a certain number of  
29 times from serving as a school bus driver; amending s.