

1979 Assembly Bill 972

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AN ACT to amend 347.25 (2) of the statutes, relating to shielding a strobe light on a school bus.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 347.25 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

347.25 (2) No person may operate a school bus which is painted as provided in s. 347.44 unless it is equipped with flashing red signals. In addition to the flashing red signals, the school bus may be equipped with a 360-degree flashing white strobe light with a flashrate of 60 to 120 per minute ~~and shielded so that the strobe cannot be seen directly by the driver of an automobile on a level plane with and within 500 feet of the school bus.~~ The secretary shall prescribe rules for the type, installation, operation and light output brilliance of the signals and lights required or permitted under this subsection. No vehi-

cle may be equipped with such flashing red signals or flashing red signals and a strobe light unless it also is painted as provided in s. 347.44.
