

**ACT 140**

**S. B. NO. 1005**

**A Bill for an Act Relating to the Transportation of School Children.**

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*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:*

SECTION 1. Section 296-45, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

**“Section 296-45 Transportation of school children.** The department of education may provide suitable transportation to and from school and for educational field trips for all children in grades kindergarten to twelve and in special education classes. The department shall adopt such policy, procedure, and program as it deems necessary to provide suitable transportation. In formulating the policy, procedure, and program, the department shall consider the school district, the school attendance area in which a school child normally resides, the distance the school child lives from the school, the availability of public carriers or other means of transportation, the frequency, regularity, and availability of public transportation, and the grade level, physical handicap, or special learning disability of a school child, and it may also consider such conditions and circumstances unique or peculiar to a county or area.

The department shall, in the manner provided in chapter 91, promulgate rules and regulations governing the supervision and administration of the transportation of school children under sections 296-45 and 296-46.”

SECTION 2. Statutory material to be added is underscored. In printing this Act, the revisor of statutes need not include the underscoring.\*

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved May 28, 1971.)

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\* Edited accordingly.