

TANGIPAHOA PARISH SEMIANNUAL SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REPORT

OWNER'S NAME, ADDRESS, CITY _____ BUS NO. _____

LICENSE PLATE NO. _____ VIN NUMBER _____

YEAR/ MODEL/MAKE _____ NEW INSPECTION STICKER NO. _____

CURRENT PROOF OF INSURANCE: YES _____ NO _____ BUS PURCHASE DATE * : _____

*** LOUISIANA LAW REQUIRES ALL BUSES PURCHASED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1996 TO HAVE A CROSSING ARM AND A REAR MOTION SENSOR TYPE BACK UP ALARM.**

Inspect Bus Front		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
1	BUMPERS - Painted glossy black			
2	CROSS ARM- Operation & Condition? Required if Purchased after 1/1/96			
3	CROSS VIEW MIRROR - SECURE? ADJUSTABLE?			
4	FLASHING STOP LAMP WARNING SYSTEM 4 Yellow/4 Red			
5	FOUR-WAY HAZARD WARNING LIGHTS			
6	HEADLIGHTS - HIGH BEAM/LOW BEAM			
7	TURN SIGNALS-Amber in front			
8	Identification Lamps - 3 Amber on Front Roof			
9	PARKING LIGHTS			
10	HOOD LATCHES SECURELY			

Inspect Drivers Side of Bus		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
11	BATTERY SECURED? No bailing wire or bungee cords allowed.			
12	EXTERIOR SIDE VIEW MIRRORS SECURELY FASTENED/ADJUSTABLE?			
13	OWNER'S NAME - In 2"-4" letters located under the driver's window			
14	SIDE MARKER LAMPS -(Amber at Front/Red at Rear) Required on Buses Purchased Before July			
15	SIDE REFLECTORS Amber at Front / Red at Rear			
16	STOP ARM WORKING (Letters clearly legible?)			

Inspect Bus Rear		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
17	2 RED REFLECTORS ON REAR OF BUS			
18	BACK UP LIGHTS			
19	BRAKE, TURN, TAIL & RUNNING LIGHTS			
20	FLASHING STOP LAMP WARNING SYSTEM Yellow/4 Red			
21	FOUR-WAY HAZARD WARNING LIGHTS			
22	Identification Lamps - 3 Red on Rear Roof			
23	STROBE LIGHT -All Bus (Rear Roof Mounted, White Double Flash)			
24	REAR DOOR GASKET/SEAL -Must not allow exhaust fumes to enter			
25	EMERGENCY EXIT REFLECTIVE STRIPING All Emergency Exits 1995 and later			
26	REAR MUD FLAPS -Required 1979 and later			
27	TURN SIGNALS-Amber or Red in Rear			
28	"EMERGENCY EXITS" - Lettered exterior			
29	"STOP ON SIGNAL" LETTERING - REMOVED			

Inspect Passenger Side of Bus		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
30	ENTRANCE DOOR GASKETS & GLASS			
31	EXTERIOR SIDE VIEW MIRRORS SECURELY FASTENED? ADJUSTABLE?			
32	SIDE MARKER LAMPS - (Amber at Front/Red at Rear) Required on Buses Purchased Before July 1998.			
33	SIDE REFLECTORS Amber at Front / Red at Rear			

Walk-Around Inspection		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
34	2 FRONT TIRES 4/32" TREAD (no retreads)			
35	4 REAR TIRES WITH 2/32" TREAD MINIMUM			
36	CLEARANCE LIGHTS-1 Red on each Rear Corner/1 Amber on each Front Corner			
37	EXTERIOR PAINT			
38	5" MIN. BUS NUMBERS -Front Bumper in a contrasting color. Under Driver's Window, Under Right Rear Brake Light, Left Entry Door in black			
39	5" MIN. PARISH/SCHOOL LETTERING TANGIPAHOA PARISH SCHOOLS			
40	RIMS, STUDS AND LUGS			
41	WHEEL COLOR - Black or Grey Only			

Inspect Bus Interior		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
42	INTERIOR DOME LIGHTS / STEPWELL LIGHT			
43	3 SAFETY TRIANGLES			
44	6" AUXILIARY FAN -Required after 1979			
45	BEAM INDICATOR			
46	BUZZER - REAR DOOR			
47	DEFROSTER			
48	HEATER			
49	DRIVERS WINDOW-Opens & Closes Readily			
50	FIRE EXTINGUISHER 5 lbs ABC Type Charger & Mounted			
51	FIRST AID KIT & CONTENTS			
52	FLOOR PAN/GEAR SHIFT- All openings must be sealed!			
53	FLOOR/STEPWELL INTEGRITY & COVERING - No rust through. All holes & tears sealed!			
54	HORN			
55	INSTRUMENT PANEL LIGHT			
56	INTERIOR MIRROR - 6" X 30" Sealed Edges			
57	INTERIOR PAINT			
58	PASSENGER WINDOWS - Open & Close?			
59	SEAT BELT (DRIVER)			
60	SUN VISOR-6"X30" Adjustable & Transparent			
61	GAUGES / WARNING LIGHTS			
62	WHEELCHAIR LIFT (No Leaks, Lift 750 lbs.)			
63	WINDOWS/GLASS - No Cracks or breakage			
64	WINDSHIELD-Cracks, fogging, scratches			
65	WINDSHIELD WASHERS			
66	WINDSHIELD WIPERS, ARMS & BLADES			
67	WIRING & SWITCHES - No Hanging Wires			
68	"EMERGENCY EXITS" - Lettered Interior			
69	BENCH SEATS-Covers, Padding, Bottom Custom Attached to Frame?, Frame Securely Bolted			
70	GENERAL CLEANLINESS			

Inspect Underside of Bus		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
71	EXHAUST SYSTEM-Leaks?, Rot?, Broken Hangers? Leaking Gaskets? Must extend past passenger compartment but not more than 2".			
72	KING PINS (Front end must be lifted!)			
73	SPRINGS & SHOCKS - Leaking Oil, Broken Leaves/Coils, Shackles, Related Hardware			
74	STEERING COMPONENTS-Ball Joints, Drag Link, Missing Cotter Pins/Castle Nuts			

Inspect Under Hood		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
75	FLUID LEAKS- (Fuel, Oil, Bearing Grease, Water/Coolant, Steering, Transmission, or Brake Fluid)			
76	MASTER CYLINDER/ BOOSTER/ CHECK VALVE - Leaks?			

Inspect During Test Drive		GOOD	CAUTION	REPAIR
77	AIR BRAKES-STOPS WITHIN 30' AT 20 MPH (2 Reservoirs, Safety Valve on Reservoir #1, Air Gauge, Audible Low Pressure Alarm, Leaks?)			
78	HYDRAULIC BRAKES- STOPS BUS WITHIN 30' AT 20 MPH			
79	PARKING BRAKE MUST HOLD UNDER LOAD			
80	BACK UP ALARM - Must detect rearward motion in neutral gear. If Purchases after 1/96			
81	SPEEDOMETER/ODOMETER WORKING			
82	TRANSMISSION/CLUTCH			

INSPECTION STATION'S NAME AND IDENTIFICATION NUMBER _____ ADDRESS _____ CITY _____

CERTIFIED INSPECTOR'S NAME (PRINT CLEARLY) _____ DATE _____

CERTIFIED INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE _____ INSPECTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER _____

Circle One PASS FAIL PULL FROM SERVICE OTHER REMARKS: _____