File: EEAEA

## BUS COMMUNICATIONS/BUS DRIVER EXAMINATION AND TRAINING

The School Committee reserves the right to approve or disapprove persons employed by any bus contractor to drive school transportation vehicles. The School Committee will require the following of all of the District's and contract bus drivers:

- 1. Courteous and careful drivers will be required.
- 2. Each driver will file with the school officials a medical certificate, and complete a C.O.R.I. check and a driving history with the Registry of Motor Vehicles.
- 3. Only persons who are properly licensed by the state and have completed the driver training program will be permitted to drive school buses.
- 4. Drivers will have training for behavior management of students to accommodate the special needs of students.

LEGAL REFS.: Highway Safety Program Standard No. 17

M.G.L. 90:7B; 90:8A; 90:8A ½