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1 AN ACT Relating to advertising on school buses; amending RCW  
2 28A.160.130; and adding a new section to chapter 46.61 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 46.61 RCW  
5 to read as follows:

6 (1) The rules of the state superintendent of public instruction  
7 under RCW 46.61.380 governing the marking of school buses shall allow  
8 school districts to place advertising on the side of school buses if  
9 such advertising is approved by the school district board of directors.

10 (2) Revenue received by the school district for the advertising  
11 shall be deposited into the school district's transportation vehicle  
12 fund in RCW 28A.160.130.

13 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28A.160.130 and 1991 c 114 s 2 are each amended to  
14 read as follows:

15 (1) There is created a fund on deposit with each county treasurer  
16 for each school district of the county, which shall be known as the  
17 transportation vehicle fund. Money to be deposited into the

1 transportation vehicle fund shall include, but is not limited to, the  
2 following:

3 (a) The balance of accounts held in the general fund of each school  
4 district for the purchase of approved transportation equipment and for  
5 major transportation equipment repairs under RCW 28A.150.280. The  
6 amount transferred shall be the balance of the account as of September  
7 1, 1982;

8 (b) Reimbursement payments provided for in RCW 28A.160.200 except  
9 those provided under RCW 28A.160.200(~~(4)~~)(3) that are necessary for  
10 contracted payments to private carriers;

11 (c) Earnings from transportation vehicle fund investments as  
12 authorized in RCW 28A.320.300; (~~and~~)

13 (d) The district's share of the proceeds from the sale of  
14 transportation vehicles, as determined by the superintendent of public  
15 instruction; and

16 (e) The revenue generated from advertising on the side of school  
17 buses in accordance with section 1 of this act.

18 (2) Funds in the transportation vehicle fund may be used for the  
19 following purposes:

20 (a) Purchase of pupil transportation vehicles pursuant to RCW  
21 28A.160.200 and 28A.150.280;

22 (b) Payment of conditional sales contracts as authorized in RCW  
23 28A.335.200 or payment of obligations authorized in RCW 28A.530.080,  
24 entered into or issued for the purpose of pupil transportation  
25 vehicles;

26 (c) Major repairs to pupil transportation vehicles.

27 The superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules which  
28 shall establish the standards, conditions, and procedures governing the  
29 establishment and use of the transportation vehicle fund. The rules  
30 shall not permit the transfer of funds from the transportation vehicle  
31 fund to any other fund of the district.

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