

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0067

School zone traffic control device.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Filer, Throne and
Zwonitzer, Dv. and Senator(s) Hastert and
Rothfuss

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to school districts; requiring traffic
2 control devices or signs in school zones as specified; and
3 providing for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 21-3-132 is created to read:

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9 **21-3-132. School zones.**

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11 Each district shall ensure that any school zone or other
12 area in the vicinity of a school requiring reduced speed as
13 provided under W.S. 31-5-301(b)(i) is marked with an
14 appropriate traffic control device or sign. For each
15 direction of traffic affected by the reduced speed there
16 shall be at least one (1) sign or other traffic control

1 device which indicates the beginning of the reduced speed
2 zone and at least one (1) sign or other traffic control
3 device which indicates the end of the reduced speed zone.

4 A traffic control device or sign marking the beginning of a
5 reduced speed zone under this section shall include at
6 least one (1) flashing amber light.

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8 **Section 2.** W.S. 31-5-401 is amended to read:

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10 **31-5-401. Duty of local authorities to place and**
11 **maintain.**

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13 Except as otherwise provided in this section, local
14 authorities in their respective jurisdictions shall place
15 and maintain such traffic-control devices upon highways
16 under their jurisdiction as they deem necessary to indicate
17 and to carry out the provisions of this act or local
18 traffic ordinances or to regulate, warn or guide traffic.
19 All traffic-control devices hereafter erected shall conform
20 to the state manual and specifications. School districts
21 shall place and maintain signs or other traffic control
22 devices for reduced speed zones pursuant to W.S. 21-3-132.

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