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**TITLE 575 STATE SCHOOL BUS COMMITTEE**

**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule**

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Under [IC 4-22-2-23](#), the State School Bus Committee intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

**OVERVIEW:** Amends [575 IAC 1-9-16](#) to require each new school bus operated by or on behalf of a school corporation to bear the name of the school district on the back of the school bus and to provide the specifications for the lettering. Amends [575 IAC 1-9-60](#) to require each school bus placed into service for the first time by a school corporation or nonpublic school to have a decal on the back of the school bus indicating that the school bus is required to stop at all railroad crossings and to provide the specifications for the decal. Statutory authority: [IC 20-27-3-5](#).

For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule is:

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For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Ombudsman designated by [IC 4-4-35-8](#) is:

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Resources available to regulated entities through the small business ombudsman include the ombudsman's duties stated in [IC 4-4-35-8](#), specifically [IC 4-4-35-8\(9\)](#), investigating and attempting to resolve any matter regarding compliance by a small business with a law, rule, or policy administered by a state agency, either as a party to a proceeding or as a mediator.

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