

TURKEYFOOT VALLEY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: OPERATIONS

TITLE TRANSPORTATION –
PRIVATE CONTRACTS

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810-AR 4 TRANSPORTATION – PRIVATE CONTRACTS

1. The Board shall enter into contracts with private persons or organizations in order to provide the necessary pupil transportation within the District or as provided by law.
2. Contracts for privately-owned transportation services will be awarded on a competitive basis except that an extension of a contract currently held may be negotiated for an extension of time and/or a change in the daily rate.
3. All contracts for transportation shall be legally executed, the provisions of which are entered on a form approved by the school Solicitor.
4. Extra Compensation for transporting pupils unlawful; School Bus Driver Employment Applications. See School Laws of Pennsylvania, Section 1365.
5. All vehicles used to transport pupils by the District shall meet the minimum standards as approved by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
6. Kinds of Transportation, Liability Insurance. See School Laws of Pennsylvania, Section 1362
7. All private motor vehicles employed in transporting pupils for hire shall be adequately covered by liability insurance in such amounts as the Board of School Directors shall require. Currently \$1,000,000.00 and certificate must be on file in the office.
8. School buses ten years old or older shall not be used to transport students.
9. Replacement buses shall not be more than eight years old.
10. All private motor vehicles used in transporting pupils shall be adequately covered by liability insurance in such amounts as the Board of School Directors shall require. (It shall be the Superintendents responsibility to see that adequate coverage is provided.)

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