## TITLE 575 STATE SCHOOL BUS COMMITTEE

## **Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule**

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Under IC 4-22-2-3, the State School Bus Committee intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

**OVERVIEW:** Amends 575 IAC 1-9-7 for new location requirement and fastening method for seat belt cutters and clarification of language specifying an additional seat belt cutter on a bus equipped with a lift. Amends 575 IAC 1-9-49 to add an option for an additional brake light and two additional backup lights. Statutory authority: IC 20-27-3-4.

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:

Katelyn Colclazier, Small Business Ombudsman Indiana Economic Development Corporation One North Capitol, Suite 700 Indianapolis, IN 46204 (317) 431-1560 kcolclazier@iedc.in.gov

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.