



**MASSACHUSETTS REGISTRY OF MOTOR VEHICLES
SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION FORM (10/2007)**

Date _____

Operator: _____ Location: _____

VIN: _____ Reg. #: _____ Odometer _____

Body Manufacturer: _____ Body Year: _____ Body Type: A B C D Lift Equipped: Y N

Chassis Manufacturer: _____ Chassis Year: _____ Bus Number: _____ Reinspection?: Y N

COMMENTS required for all fails and equipment defects: _____

BODY INTERIOR

- BUS IDENTIFICATION** 1. []
registration, plates, VIN, inspection sticker,
- SAFETY EQUIPMENT** - fire ext., first aid kit, 2. []
body fluid clean up kit, reflectors, chock blocks,
belt cutter
- DRIVER'S SEAT** - adjust, seat belt 3. []
- STEERING** 4. []
wheel, column, horn, directional indicator, 4-way
- BRAKE, CLUTCH** 5. []
brake operation, starter interlock
- GAUGES** - speedometer, oil, air, vacuum, volt, 6. []
amp, brake warning, school bus monitor board
- WINDSHIELD** - glass, wipers, washers, sun shield 7. []
- MIRROR** - interior, sun shield 8. []
- SERVICE DOOR** - operation, seals, padding 9. []
- INTERIOR LIGHTS** 10. []
- HEATER, DEFROSTER** 11. []
- FLOOR COVERING, AISLE** - steps, step well, 12. []
nosing, hand rail
- SEATS , RESTRAINING BARRIERS** 13. []
secured, proper tape repairs, upholstery, seat belt
operation if equipped
- EMERGENCY DOOR** - operation, locking device, 14. []
seals, alarm, decals, light, padding
- EMERGENCY WINDOWS, ROOF HATCHES** 15. []
operation, buzzer, decals
- WINDOWS** 16. []
operation, sash, frames, glass, latches
- INTERIOR BODY PANELS** - ceiling, side, 17. []
wheel housing, any sharp edges
- CLEANLINESS** - trash receptacle & broom 18. []

BODY EXTERIOR

- LIGHTS** - head, marker, stop, tail, directional, 19. []
reflectors, backup light/alarm
- FRONT WHEEL** - bearings, kingpins, lugs, seals 20. []
- FRONT TIRES** 21. []
- MIRRORS AND BRACKETS** 22. []
rear view, cross view
- SCHOOL SIGNS** 23. []
- SCHOOL LIGHT SYSTEM** 24. []
- STOP ARM** - if equipped crossing arm 25. []
- BODY** - panels, rub rail, bumpers 26. []
- HOOD, LOCK, BATTERY** 27. []
- STIRRUP STEPS** 28. []
- REAR WHEELS** 29. []
lugs, flange bolts, leaks
- REAR TIRES** - including mud flaps 30. []
- LETTERING** - vehicle markings, owner, operator, 31. []
bus number, roof number, unlawful to pass,
R/R crossing, 100'

CHASSIS

- STEERING** - gearbox, pump, hoses, leaks 32. []

CHASSIS (Con't)

- pitman arm, draglink, tie-rod ends
- EXHAUST SYSTEM** - leaks, hangers 33. []
- FRONT AXLE** - springs, shackles, U-bolts, 34. []
shock absorbers, air suspension
- HYD BRAKES** - brake lines, connectors, leaks 35. []
wheel cylinders, hydrovacs, drums
- AIR BRAKES** - valves, cams, chambers, lines, 36. []
linings, drums, leaks, adjustments
- TRANSMISSION** - leaks, mountings 37. []
- EMERGENCY BRAKE SYSTEM** - operation, 38. []
low air warning, adjustment
- DRIVE SHAFT** - universal joints, guards 39. []
- REAR AXLE** - differential leaks, leaks, springs, 40. []
shackles, U-bolts, shock absorbers, seals,
air suspension
- FRAME** - cross members, outrigger, unibody 41. []
- FUEL SYSTEM** - lines, brackets, leaks, fuel 42. []
tank cage
- ENGINE COMPARTMENT**
- AIR CLEANER** 43. []
- ELECTRICAL SYSTEM** - secured, wiring. 44. []
- BELTS** 45. []
- HEATER VALVES** 46. []
- ENGINE** - leaks, critical components 47. []
- SPECIALLY EQUIPPED SCHOOL BUSES**
- WHEELCHAIR LIFT/RAMP** 48. []
wheelchair securement, door open signal, restraint system

INSPECTED BY:

Inspector Signature and Badge Number

Copy Received by

Equipment Defects Have Been Corrected (authorized signature)*

Title/Date

****Must mail within (7) days to: RMV, Vehicle Safety & Compliance Services, ATTN: School Bus Compliance, P.O. Box 55892, Boston, MA 02205-5892.***

INDICATES PASS
 INDICATES FAIL (Do NOT sign and return form. You must call RMV for reinspection of bus after repairs are made)

E] EQUIPMENT DEFECT # _____ (repair defects and return signed form to RMV)

ER] EQUIPMENT DEFECT [FR] FAIL
 (same day repair) (same day repair)

STICKER # ISSUED: _____

OUT OF SERVICE DECAL ISSUED - YES [] NO []

