

1 *Senate* BILL NO. *321*
 2 INTRODUCED BY *Stoham*

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 5 75-7003, R.C.M. 1947, BY CHANGING THE AGE LIMIT FOR DRIVERS
 6 OF SCHOOL BUSES FROM 21 YEARS TO 18 YEARS OF AGE TO COMPLY
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- 17 age;
- 18 (2) he is of good moral character;
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