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(E) IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED IN SUBSECTIONS (A), (B), AND (C) OF THIS SECTION, AN OPERATOR MUST OBTAIN STATE-ISSUED ENDORSEMENTS OF AN OPERATOR'S COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE TO OPERATE COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES WHICH ARE:

- (1) DOUBLE/TRIPLE TRAILERS;
- (2) VEHICLES DESIGNED TO TRANSPORT 16 OR MORE PASSENGERS INCLUDING THE DRIVER (PASSENGER VEHICLES);
- (3) TANK VEHICLES; OR
- (4) REQUIRED TO BE PLACARDED FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.

16-816.

(A) AN INDIVIDUAL MAY NOT DRIVE A SCHOOL VEHICLE (SCHOOL BUS) ON ANY HIGHWAY IN THIS STATE UNLESS THE INDIVIDUAL:

- (1) PASSES THE---REQUIRED AN APPROPRIATE MEDICAL EXAMINATION; AND
- (2) HAS BEEN ISSUED:

(I) A COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE ENDORSED PASSENGER VEHICLE; OR

(II) A CLASS A, B, OR C DRIVER'S LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 16-104 OF THIS ARTICLE AND WAS EMPLOYED AS A SCHOOL VEHICLE DRIVER BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1990.

(B) WITH THE ADVICE OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, THE ADMINISTRATION MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS OF SCHOOL VEHICLE DRIVERS.

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(A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTIONS (B), (C), AND (D) OF THIS SECTION, THE ADMINISTRATION MAY NOT ISSUE A COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE OR A COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S INSTRUCTIONAL PERMIT TO ANY INDIVIDUAL:

- (1) WHO IS NOT A RESIDENT OF MARYLAND; AND
- (2) WHO IS NOT AT LEAST 21 YEARS OF AGE.

(B) (1) THE ADMINISTRATION MAY ISSUE A CLASS A, B, OR C COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE OR A COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S INSTRUCTIONAL PERMIT TO AN INDIVIDUAL UNDER THE AGE OF 21, IF THE INDIVIDUAL IS AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE. THE LICENSE:

(I) MAY NOT INCLUDE A HAZARDOUS MATERIALS ENDORSEMENT;