

**281A.205 Operation of school bus while using cellular telephone prohibited --  
Exceptions.**

- (1) As used in this section, "cellular telephone" means a cellular, analog, wireless, or digital telephone.
- (2) A person shall not operate a school bus, as defined in KRS 281A.010, on any highway while using a cellular telephone while the bus is in motion and transporting one (1) or more children, except for communications made to and from a central dispatch, school transportation department, or its equivalent when the bus is not equipped with a functioning two (2) way radio.
- (3) Notwithstanding subsection (2) of this section, a person operating a school bus shall be allowed to use a cellular telephone in the event of a bona fide emergency.

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