

Draft CDL Legislation

HUMAN TRAFFICKING TRAINING FOR TRUCK DRIVERS

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SYNOPSIS: This bill would require any trade school or 10 junior college offering certain truck driving courses to offer training on the recognition, 12 prevention, and reporting of human trafficking.

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

Relating to trade schools and junior colleges; to require trade schools or junior colleges that offer certain truck driving courses to offer training on the recognition, prevention, and reporting of human trafficking.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. (a) Any trade school or junior college, as defined in Section 16-60-81, Code of Alabama 1975, offering instruction in the operation of commercial motor vehicles as part of the driver training school shall offer, as part of the commercial motor vehicle driving course curriculum, industry specific training on the recognition, prevention, and reporting of human trafficking.

(b) The Board of Trustees of the Alabama Community College System shall be responsible for ensuring the instruction requirements in subsection (a) are met. The board, in conjunction with organizations that specialize in the recognition and prevention of human trafficking, shall annually review and update the training to include changes and trends in human trafficking.

Section 2. This act shall become effective on January 1, 2020, following its passage and approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.