

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 3086

By: Hilbert of the House

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7 [ schools - authorizing school district to use  
8 portion of transportation funds for transportation  
9 grants - permitting distribution of grants for  
10 transporting students ]  
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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

14 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified  
15 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 9-120 of Title 70, unless there  
16 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

17 A. Beginning in the 2022-2023 school year, a school district  
18 may use a portion of the transportation funds allocated to the  
19 school district pursuant to Section 18-201.1 of Title 70 of the  
20 Oklahoma Statutes to provide transportation grants to parents or  
21 legal guardians of students who attend the school district. The  
22 school district shall develop and submit a plan to the State  
23 Department of Education for distribution of the transportation  
24 grants. Upon approval of the plan by the Department, school

1 districts may distribute transportation grants to support  
2 individuals or neighborhood carpools in transporting students to and  
3 from school.

4 B. The transportation funds allocated to the school district  
5 pursuant to Section 18-201.1 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes  
6 shall not be reduced or otherwise penalized if the school district  
7 awards transportation grants authorized in this section.

8 C. The State Department of Education shall promulgate rules for  
9 the transportation grants and develop procedures to account for  
10 expenditures as provided by this section, including requiring proof  
11 of attendance for students who are transported to and from school  
12 through transportation grant funds.

13 Passed the House of Representatives the 14th day of March, 2022.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

17 Passed the Senate the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

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