

**Department of Motor Vehicles**  
**2002 Fiscal Impact Statement**  
**Revised**

**1. Bill Number** SB597ER

<b>House of Origin</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/> Engrossed
<b>Second House</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enrolled

**2. Patron** Norment

**3. Committee** Education and Health

**4. Title** Driver education.

**5. Summary/Purpose:**

Driver Education. Adds instruction concerning distracted driving to the requirements for driver education in the public schools and requires the Department of Motor Vehicles' driver improvement clinic program to include instruction concerning alcohol and drug abuse, aggressive driving, distracted driving, and motorcycle awareness.

**6. No Fiscal Impact**

**7. Budget amendment necessary:** No

**8. Fiscal implications:** None

**9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected:** Department of Education, public schools, driver improvement clinics

**10. Technical amendment necessary:** None

**11. Other comments:**

This bill poses no significant impact to DMV systems or services. DMV currently enters into a contractual agreement with driver improvement clinic (DDC) providers. This agreement outlines curriculum requirements for the DDC providers. Safety organizations (i.e. National Safety Council, AAA, etc.) who are under contract with DMV to sponsor driver improvement clinics would be required to develop curriculum that specifically address distracted driving.

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