- 4.21 The drivers of a student activity vehicle should participate in a basic defensive driving skills training.
- 4.22 Care should be taken to ensure that tires are the proper size for the vehicle. Tires should be inspected on a regular basis to ensure that they are in good condition. The use of snow tires during the winter months is recommended.
- 4.23 Where possible it should be made apparent to motorists that the vehicle is transporting students; for example, by inscribing the school name on the side and back of the vehicle or by using reflective lettering to indicate "students on board".
- 4.24 Prior to adding or modifying a device (e.g. adding a set of lights) on a vehicle, it is recommended that the local motor vehicle registrar office be contacted to confirm legality.

5.0 REFERENCES

The Educational Facilities and Pupil Transportation Branch website contains additional information and reference material:

http://www.gnb.ca/0000/transport-e.asp

Related legislation:

Education Act Section 53 – Conveyance and lodging of pupils
Pupil Transportation Regulation (2001-51) under the Education Act

Related Department of Education policy and guideline:

Policy 107 - Purchasing

Guideline 513 - Transportation To and From Off-Site School-Related Activities

Information regarding incorporation:

Forms, information and service packages for registering a business can be found on the Service New Brunswick website at:

https://www.web11.snb.ca/snb7001/e/2000/2101e.asp

Not for Profit Organization – A Legal Guide can be found on the Public Legal Education and Information Service of New Brunswick website at http://www.legal-info-legale.nb.ca/showpub.asp?id=14&langid=1

6.0 CONTACTS FOR MORE INFORMATION

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