SAFETY COMPLIANCE TESTING FOR FMVSS NO. 111 SCHOOL BUS REARVIEW MIRRORS

> U.S. Bus Corporation 2006 US BUS School Bus NHTSA No. C60900

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SECTION 1 PURPOSE OF COMPLIANCE TEST

Tests were conducted on a 2006 US BUS School Bus, NHTSA No. C60900, in accordance with the specifications of the Office of Vehicle Safety Compliance (OVSC) Test Procedure TP-111SB-00 to determine compliance to the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 111, "School Bus Rearview Mirrors."

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SECTION 2

TEST DATA SUMMARY

Based on the tests performed, the MY2006 US BUS School Bus, NHTSA No. C60900, appears to meet all of the requirements of FMVSS 111, except as noted. See Test Summary Data Sheets on the following pages.

There was one non-compliance issue:

 Title 49 CFR part 571.111 Paragraph S.9.3(c): "Each school bus which has a mirror installed...that has an average radius of curvature of less that 889 mm...shall have a label visible to the seated driver... The label shall state the following: USE CROSS VIEW MIRRORS TO VIEW PEDESTRIANS WHILE THE BUS IS STOPPED. DO NOT USE THESE MIRRORS TO VIEW TRAFFIC..."

The required label indicating that the cross view mirrors are not to be used while driving is not visible to the seated driver.

FMVSS 111SB, SCHOOL BUS REARVIEW MIRRORS TEST SUMMARY DATA SHEET

Test Vehicle:2006 US BUS School BusTest Lab:MGA Research-Wisconsin Operations

NHTSA No.: **C60900** Test Date: **9/27/06**

System A Mirrors

A. Driver Side Mirror #3 - Unit Magnification

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	PASS	
Field of View	PASS	
Surface Area	PASS	
Reflectance	PASS	
Unit Magnification	PASS	

B. Passenger Side Mirror #4 - Unit Magnification

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	PASS	
Field of View	PASS	
Surface Area	PASS	
Reflectance	PASS	
Unit Magnification	PASS	

C. Driver Side Mirror #5 - Convex

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	PASS	
Field of View	PASS	
Reflectance	PASS	

D. Passenger Side Mirror #6 - Convex

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	PASS	
Field of View	PASS	
Reflectance	PASS	

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TEST SUMMARY DATA SHEET...continued

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System B Mirrors

E. Driver Side Front Mirror #1 - Cross View

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	PASS	
Field of View	PASS	
Overlap with System A	PASS	
Distance to Eye Point	PASS	
No Surface Discontinuities	PASS	
Surface Area	PASS	
If Convex – Radius of Curvature	PASS	
Radius of Curvature Label	FAIL	Label is not visible to the
		driver.
Arc Separation	PASS	
Reflectance	PASS	

F. Passenger Side Front Mirror #2 - Cross View

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	PASS	
Field of View	PASS	
Overlap with System A	PASS	
Distance to Eye Point	PASS	
No Surface Discontinuities	PASS	
Surface Area	PASS	
If Convex – Radius of Curvature	PASS	
Radius of Curvature Label	FAIL	Label is not visible to the
		driver.
Arc Separation	PASS	
Reflectance	PASS	

SECTION 3 COMPLIANCE TEST DATA

FMVSS 111SB – DATA SHEET 1

SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION AND IDENTIFICATION

Test Vehicle:2006 US BUS School BusNHTSA No.:C60900Test Lab:MGA Research-Wisconsin OperationsTest Date:9/27/06

GENERAL VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION

Final Stage Manufacturer	US Bus Corporation	Date of Mfg.	08/2006
Chassis Manufacturer General Motors		Date of Mfg.	03/2006
Seating Capacity (including driver)	15	GVWR (kg)	4536
VIN No.	1GBHG31V561226021	GAWR Front (kg)	1860
		GAWR Rear (kg)	3402

DESCRIPTION OF MIRRORS

		Туре			
Mirror No.	Unit Mag	Convex	Cross View	Description	Manufacturer
1			Х	Driver Side	
2			Х	Passenger Side	
3	Х			Driver Side	Rosco Mirrors
4	Х			Passenger Side	
5		Х		Driver Side	
6		Х		Passenger Side	

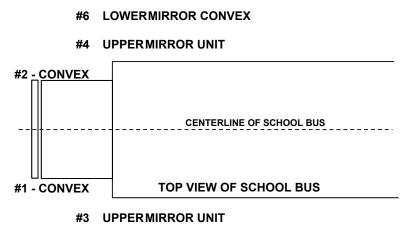
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FMVSS 111SB – DATA SHEET 2

MIRROR LOCATION AND FIELD OF VIEW

Test Vehicle:2006 US BUS School BusNHTSA No.:C60900Test Lab:MGA Research-Wisconsin OperationsTest Date:9/27/06

MIRROR DIAGRAM



#5 LOWERMIRROR CONVEX

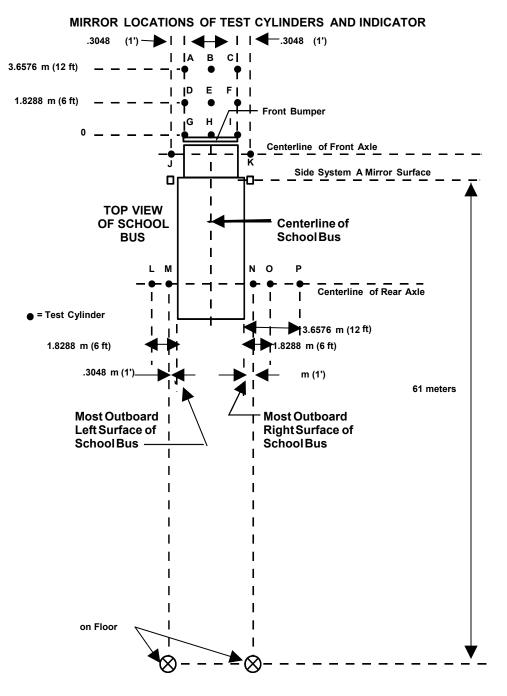
MIRROR NO.	TYPE	MIRROR SYSTEM	CYLINDERS VIEWED (entire top surface)
1	CROSS VIEW/CONVEX	В	B,C,E,F,H,I,J,L,M
2	CROSS VIEW/CONVEX	В	A,D,E,G,H,I,K,N,O,P
3	UNIT MAGNIFICATION	А	61 Meter INDICATOR
4	UNIT MAGNIFICATION	A	61 Meter INDICATOR
5	CONVEX	A	L,M
6	CONVEX	А	N,O

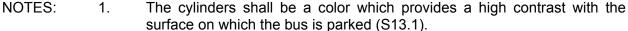
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2. The cylinders are 0.3048 m high and 0.3048 m in diameter, except for cylinder P which is 0.9144 m high and 0.3048 m in diameter.

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SYSTEM A AND DIRECT VISION

System A Mirrors	Pass/Fail
Entire top surface of cylinder N and the indicator 61 meters (200 feet) rearward of the mirror surface be viewed in the photograph	PASS
Entire top surface of cylinder M and indicator 61 meters (200 feet) rearward of the mirror surface be viewed in the photograph	PASS
Which test cylinders A through P can not be photographed directly from the driver's eye location within the semi-circle viewing area using no mirror system:	D,E,F,G,H, I,J,K,L,M,N,O,P

SYSTEM B ARC'S AND DISTANCE

Mirror Number (from data sheet 2)	Mirror Location	Distance from the Driver's Eye Point to the Center of the Mirror (cm)	3 Minutes of Arc (cm)	9 Minutes of Arc (cm)
#1	Left Front	212.5	0.186	
#2	Right Front	263	0.230	0.689

Distance determined in column 3 multiplied by 0.000873 yield 3 minutes of arc, for column 4, for that mirror as viewed from the driver's eye point; the distances determined in column 3 multiplied by 0.002618 yield 9 minutes of arc, for column 5, for that mirror as viewed from the driver's eye point. The minimum distance for any system B mirror between the driver's eye point and the center of the mirror is more than 95 centimeters (37.5 inches):

	Distance	Pass/Fail
Distance between center of System B mirror #1 and driver's eye point	212.5 cm	PASS
Distance between center of System B mirror #2 and driver's eye point	263 cm	PASS

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FMVSS 111SB DATA SHEET 3

FIELD OF VIEW TEST – PHOTOGRAPHS System B

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		Pass/Fail
All test cylinders with entire top surface not of the driver's semi-circle eye location are able System B mirrors from the driver's semi-circl	to be viewed with	PASS
All test cylinders with entire top surface not directly visible from the driver's semi-circle eye location but the image can be viewed with System B mirrors. The image is separated for the edge of the effective mirror surface of the mirror providing that image by a distance of not less than 3 minutes of arc:		PASS
If the entire top surface of test cylinder P is not directly visible from the driver's semi-circle eye location, the image can be viewed with System B mirrors from the driver's semi-circle eye location, where the angular size of the shortest dimension of		
that cylinder's image is not less than 3 minutes of arc, and the angular size of the longest dimension of that cylinder's image is not less than 9 minutes of arc:		PASS
Shortest arc length dimension	0.230 cm	
Longest arc length dimension	0.689 cm	
For each of the test cylinders whose entire top surface is not directly visible from the driver's eye location, System B provides a view of the ground that overlaps with the view of the ground provided by System A.		PASS

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FMVSS 111SB DATA SHEET 4 MOUNTING ADEQUACY TEST

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MOUNTING SUPPORT OF ALL MIRRORS

Mirror No. (from data sheet 2)	Туре	System	Stable Support Yes/No
1	Cross View/Convex	В	Yes
2	Cross View/Convex	В	Yes
3	Unit Magnification	A	Yes
4	Unit Magnification	A	Yes
5	Convex	A	Yes
6	Convex	A	Yes

	Pass/Fail
Outside mirrors free of sharp points or edges that could contribute to pedestrian injury	PASS
System B mirrors have no discontinuities in the slope of the surface of the mirror	PASS

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REFLECTANCE TEST – ALL MIRRORS

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Mirror No.	Туре	Light meter reading from calibration (FC)	Light meter reading from light reflected by mirror (FC)	Pass/Fail	Observations
1	Crossview/Convex	119	72.67	PASS	
2	Crossview/Convex	115.67	71.67	PASS	
3	Unit	116.67	59.33	PASS	
4	Unit	115.33	63.33	PASS	
5	Convex	115	63.33	PASS	
6	Convex	114.33	63	PASS	

Note: Reflectance % = [Reflectance Reading / Calibration reading] x 100 Minimum Requirement = 35 percent

Mirror No.	Туре	Reflectance	Requirement
1	Crossview/Convex	61%	>35%
2	Crossview/Convex	62%	>35%
3	Unit	51%	>35%
4	Unit	55%	>35%
5	Convex	55%	>35%
6	Convex	55%	>35%

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UNIT MAGNIFICATION/CONVEX MIRROR TEST – ALL MIRRORS

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CONVERSION DATA TABLE FROM SPHEROMETER DIAL READING TO RADIUS OF CURVATURE

MIRROR NO. <u>1 (CONVEX)</u>

Test Position	Dial Reading (inches)	Radius of Curvature (mm)	Deviation between the Average Radius of Curvature and the Test Position Radius of Curvature (mm)	Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature
1	0.05265	136.4	44.6	24.7%
2	0.03625	197.5	-16.5	-9.1%
3	0.02555	279.9	-98.9	-54.7%
4	0.05085	141.1	39.9	22.0%
5	0.05135	139.8	41.2	22.8%
6	0.03520	203.4	-22.4	-12.4%
7	0.05050	142.1	38.9	21.5%
8	0.03065	233.5	-52.5	-29.0%
9	0.05380	133.5	47.5	26.3%
10	0.03530	202.8	-21.8	-12.1%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the		Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average		
Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: 181 mm		Radius of Curvature, Col 54.7%	umn 5:	

MIRROR NO. 2 (CONVEX)

Test Position	Dial Reading (inches)	Radius of Curvature (mm)	Deviation between the Average Radius of Curvature and the Test Position Radius of Curvature (mm)	Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature
1	0.05350	134.2	46.5	25.7%
2	0.03610	198.3	-17.7	-9.8%
3	0.02535	282.1	-101.5	-56.2%
4	0.05110	140.4	40.2	22.3%
5	0.05050	142.1	38.6	21.3%
6	0.03530	202.8	-22.2	-12.3%
7	0.05165	139.0	41.7	23.1%
8	0.03060	233.8	-53.2	-29.4%
9	0.05355	134.1	46.6	25.8%
10	0.03585	199.7	-19.1	-10.5%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the		Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average		
Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: 180.7 mm		Radius of Curvature, Column 5: 56.2%		

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UNIT MAGNIFICATION/CONVEX MIRROR TEST – ALL MIRRORS

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CONVERSION DATA TABLE FROM SPHEROMETER DIAL READING TO RADIUS OF CURVATURE

MIRROR NO. 3 (UNIT MAGNIFICATION)

Test Position	Dial Reading (inches)	Radius of Curvature (mm)	Deviation between the Average Radius of Curvature and the Test Position Radius of Curvature (mm)	Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature
1	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
3	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
4	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
5	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
6	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
8	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
10	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: N/A		Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature, Column 5: N/A		

MIRROR NO. 4 (UNIT MAGNIFICATION)

Test Position	Dial Reading (inches)	Radius of Curvature (mm)	Deviation between the Average Radius of Curvature and the Test Position Radius of Curvature (mm)	Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature
1	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
2	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
3	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
4	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
5	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
6	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
7	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
8	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
9	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
10	0.00000	N/A	N/A	N/A
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: N/A		Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature, Column 5: N/A		

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CONVERSION DATA TABLE FROM SPHEROMETER DIAL **READING TO RADIUS OF CURVATURE**

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MIRROR NO. 5 (CONVEX)

Test Position	Dial Reading (inches)	Radius of Curvature (mm)	Deviation between the Average Radius of Curvature and the Test Position Radius of Curvature (mm)	Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature
1	0.01360	525.4	-12.5	-2.4%
2	0.01325	539.3	-26.4	-5.1%
3	0.01410	506.8	6.1	1.2%
4	0.01395	512.3	0.6	0.1%
5	0.01415	505.0	7.9	1.5%
6	0.01415	505.0	7.9	1.5%
7	0.01435	498.0	14.9	2.9%
8	0.01400	510.4	2.5	0.5%
9	0.01370	521.6	-8.7	-1.7%
10	0.01415	505.0	7.9	1.5%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the		Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius		
Summation of Column 3 divided by 10:		of Curvature, Column 5:		
512.9 mm		5.1%		

MIRROR NO. <u>6 (CONVEX)</u>

Test Position	Dial Reading (inches)	Radius of Curvature (mm)	Deviation between the Average Radius of Curvature and the Test Position Radius of Curvature (mm)	Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature
1	0.01395	512.3	-2.2	-0.4%
2	0.01407	507.9	2.1	0.4%
3	0.01395	512.3	-2.2	-0.4%
4	0.01345	531.3	-21.3	-4.2%
5	0.01260	567.1	-57.1	-11.2%
6	0.01360	525.4	-15.4	-3.0%
7	0.01630	438.5	71.6	14.0%
8	0.01415	505.0	5.0	1.0%
9	0.01355	527.4	-17.3	-3.4%
10	0.01510	473.3	36.8	7.2%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: 510.1 mm		Greatest Percent Deviation from th of Curvature, Colum 14%	0	

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UNIT MAGNIFICATION IN SYSTEM A

	Pass/Fail
At least one System A Mirror on the left and right sides of the bus is unit magnification -0 Radius of Curvature	PASS

AVERAGE RADIUS OF CURVATURE OF CONVEX MIRRORS USED IN SYSTEM B

Mirror No.	Radius of Curvature	If needed, wording printed properly* Pass/Fail
1	181 mm	FAIL
2	180.7 mm	FAIL

* If any of the Convex Mirrors in System B have an average radius of curvature less than 889 mm, then the following words must be printed on a label in type face and color that are clear and conspicuous to the driver:

"USE CROSS VIEW MIRRORS TO VIEW PEDESTRIANS WHILE BUS IS STOPPED. DO NOT USE THESE MIRRORS TO VIEW TRAFFIC WHILE BUS IS MOVING, IMAGES IN SUCH MIRRORS DO NOT ACCURATELY SHOW ANOTHER VEHICLE'S LOCATION."

Note: The required label indicating that the cross view mirrors are not to be used while driving is not visible to the seated driver.

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FMVSS 111SB DATA SHEET 7 MIRROR REFLECTIVE SURFACE AREA TEST SYSTEM A & B

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System A Mirrors Mirror No.	Area	Requirement Min. 323 cm ²	Pass/Fail
3	390 cm ²	323 cm ²	PASS
4	381 cm ²	323 cm ²	PASS
System B Mirrors Mirror No.	Area	Requirement Min. 258 cm ²	Pass/Fail
1	568 cm ²	258 cm ²	PASS
2	557 cm ²	258 cm ²	PASS

DATA TABLE FOR SURFACE AREA

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SECTION 4

INSTRUMENTATION AND EQUIPMENT LIST

Test Vehicle:	2006 US BUS School Bus	NHTSA No.:	C60900
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	Digital Caliper	Light Meter	Tape Measure	Spherometer
Make	Mitutoyo	AEMC	Stanley	MGA
Model	ID-F150HE	CA813	Powerlock	001
Serial # (s)	001462	04L1017Y	SN101	001
Range	0-50.8 mm	2000fc, 2000lux	0-8 m	2.25 x 10 ¹³ (cm * Hz ^{1/2}) ÷ W
Accuracy	.001 mm	0.0 fc or 0.01 lux	1 mm	1.1 x 10 ⁻¹³ W/H ^{1/2}
Cal. Date	7/26/06	4/18/06	8/16/06	Daily when used
Cal. Due Date	7/26/07	4/18/07	2/16/07	N/A

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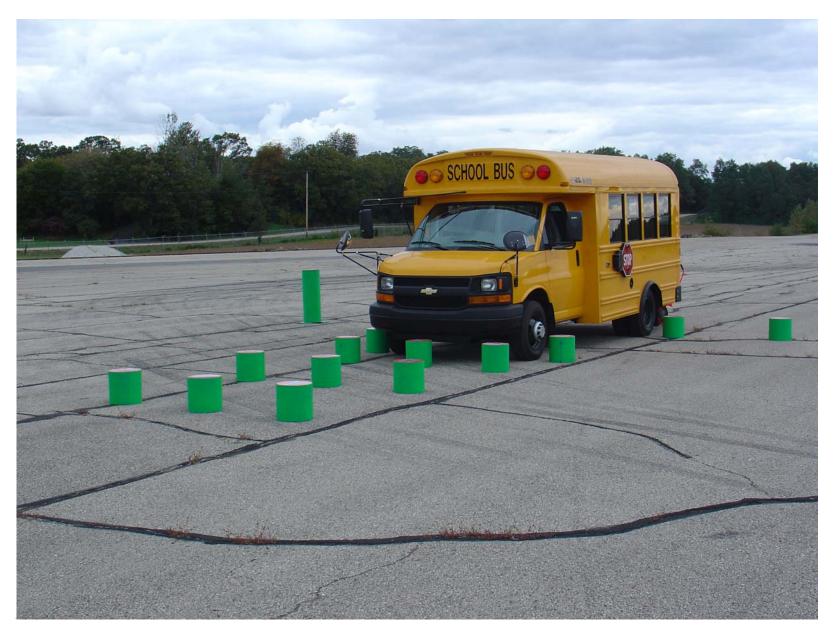


Photo 17 - Three-Quarter Left Front View of Cylinder Setup

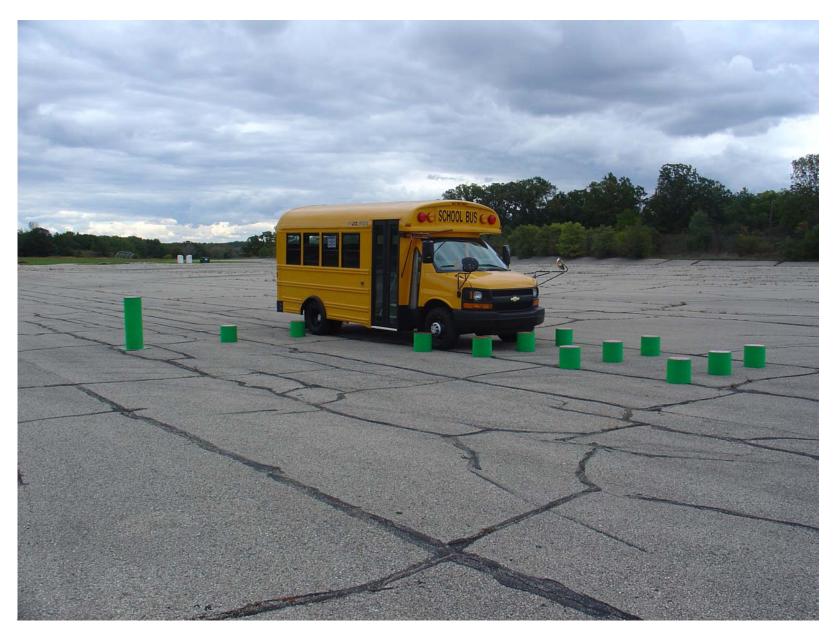


Photo 18 - Three-Quarter Right Front View of Cylinder Setup



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Photo 21 - Rearview Mirror blocking Driver's sight of Cross View Mirror Warning

SECTION 6 NOTICE OF TEST FAILURE



LABORATORY NOTICE OF TEST FAILURE TO OVSC

Test Procedure:	FMVSS 111	Test Date:	September 29, 2006
Test Vehicle:	US BUS	Test Lab:	MGA Research Corp.
NHTSA No.:	C60900	Project Engineer:	Jeff Koehler
Contract No.:	DTNH22-02-D-01057	Delivery Order No.:	5
MFR.:	US BUS	VIN:	1GBHG31V561226021
Build Date:	08/03/2006		

TEST FAILURE DESCRIPTION

The required label indicating that the cross view mirrors are not to be used while driving is placed behind the rearview mirror in such a way that it is not visible to the seated driver.

FMVSS REQUIREMENTS DESCRIPTION

Paragraph S.9.3(c): "Each school bus which has a mirror installed...that has an average radius of curvature of less that 889 mm...shall have a label visible to the seated driver... The label shall state the following: USE CROSS VIEW MIRRORS TO VIEW PEDESTRIANS WHILE THE BUS IS STOPPED. DO NOT USE THESE MIRRORS TO VIEW TRAFFIC..."

Remarks: No remarks.

Notification to NHTSA (COTR): John Finneran

Date: 10/4/2006

By: Jeff Kachler