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

**THOMAS BUILT BUSES  
2009 THOMAS MINOTOUR SCHOOL BUS  
NHTSA NO.: C90901**

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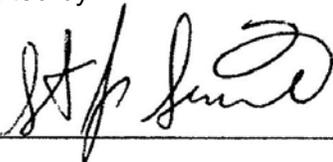
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**SECTION 1**  
**PURPOSE OF COMPLIANCE TEST**

Tests were conducted on a 2009 Thomas Minotour School Bus, NHTSA No.: C90901, 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) 111SB, "School Bus Rearview Mirrors."

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**SECTION 2**  
**TEST DATA SUMMARY**

Based on the tests performed, the 2009 Thomas Minotour School Bus, NHTSA No.: C90901, appears to meet all of the requirements of FMVSS 111SB. See Test Summary Data Sheets on the following pages.

**FMVSS 111SB - SCHOOL BUS REARVIEW MIRRORS**

**TEST SUMMARY DATA SHEET**

Test Vehicle: **2009 Thomas Minotour School Bus**  
 Test Lab: **MGA Research Corporation**

NHTSA No.: **C90901**  
 Test Date: **10/9/2008 – 10/13/2008**

**System A Mirrors**

**A. Driver Side Mirror #3 - Unit Magnification**

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	<b>Pass</b>	--
Field of View	<b>Pass</b>	--
Surface Area	<b>Pass</b>	--
Reflectance	<b>Pass</b>	--
Unit Magnification	<b>Pass</b>	--

**B. Passenger Side Mirror #4 - Unit Magnification**

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	<b>Pass</b>	--
Field of View	<b>Pass</b>	--
Surface Area	<b>Pass</b>	--
Reflectance	<b>Pass</b>	--
Unit Magnification	<b>Pass</b>	--

**C. Driver Side Mirror #5 - Convex**

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	<b>Pass</b>	--
Field of View	<b>Pass</b>	--
Reflectance	<b>Pass</b>	--

**D. Passenger Side Mirror #6 - Convex**

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	<b>Pass</b>	--
Field of View	<b>Pass</b>	--
Reflectance	<b>Pass</b>	--

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**TEST SUMMARY DATA SHEET...continued**

Test Vehicle: **2009 Thomas Minotour School Bus**  
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**System B Mirrors**

**E. Driver Side Front Mirror #1 - Cross View**

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	<b>Pass</b>	--
Field of View	<b>Pass</b>	--
Overlap with System A	<b>Pass</b>	--
Distance to Eye Point	<b>Pass</b>	--
No Surface Discontinuities	<b>Pass</b>	--
Surface Area	<b>Pass</b>	--
If Convex – Radius of Curvature	<b>Pass</b>	--
Radius of Curvature Label	<b>Pass</b>	--
Arc Separation	<b>Pass</b>	--
Reflectance	<b>Pass</b>	--

**F. Passenger Side Front Mirror #2 - Cross View**

	Pass/Fail	Comments
Mounting	<b>Pass</b>	--
Field of View	<b>Pass</b>	--
Overlap with System A	<b>Pass</b>	--
Distance to Eye Point	<b>Pass</b>	--
No Surface Discontinuities	<b>Pass</b>	--
Surface Area	<b>Pass</b>	--
If Convex – Radius of Curvature	<b>Pass</b>	--
Radius of Curvature Label	<b>Pass</b>	--
Arc Separation	<b>Pass</b>	--
Reflectance	<b>Pass</b>	--

**SECTION 3**  
**COMPLIANCE TEST DATA**

**FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 1**  
**SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION AND IDENTIFICATION**

Test Vehicle: **2009 Thomas Minotour School Bus**  
 Test Lab: **MGA Research Corporation**

NHTSA No.: **C90901**  
 Test Date: **10/9/2008 – 10/13/2008**

**GENERAL VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION**

Final Stage Manufacturer	Thomas Built Buses	Date of Mfg.	07/2008
Incomplete Vehicle Manufacturer	Chevrolet	Date of Mfg.	06/2008
GVWR (kg)	4356	GAWR Front (kg)	1860
VIN	1GBHG31C181210142	GAWR Rear (kg)	2760

**DESCRIPTION OF MIRRORS**

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

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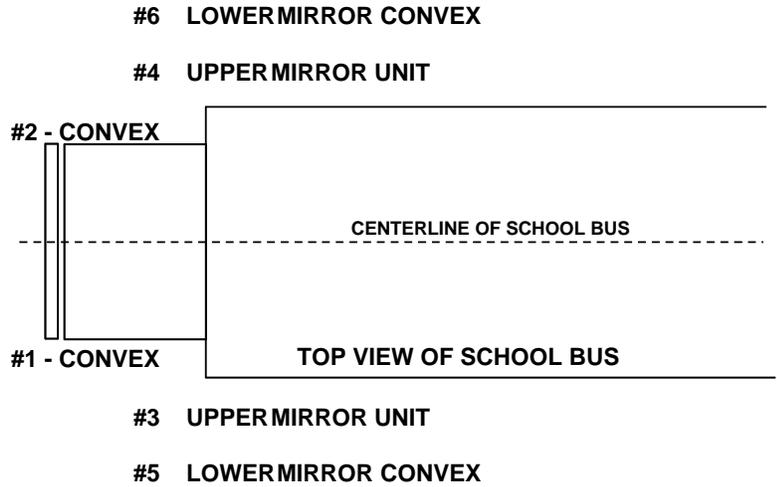
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**FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 2**  
**MIRROR LOCATION AND FIELD OF VIEW**

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**MIRROR DIAGRAM**



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

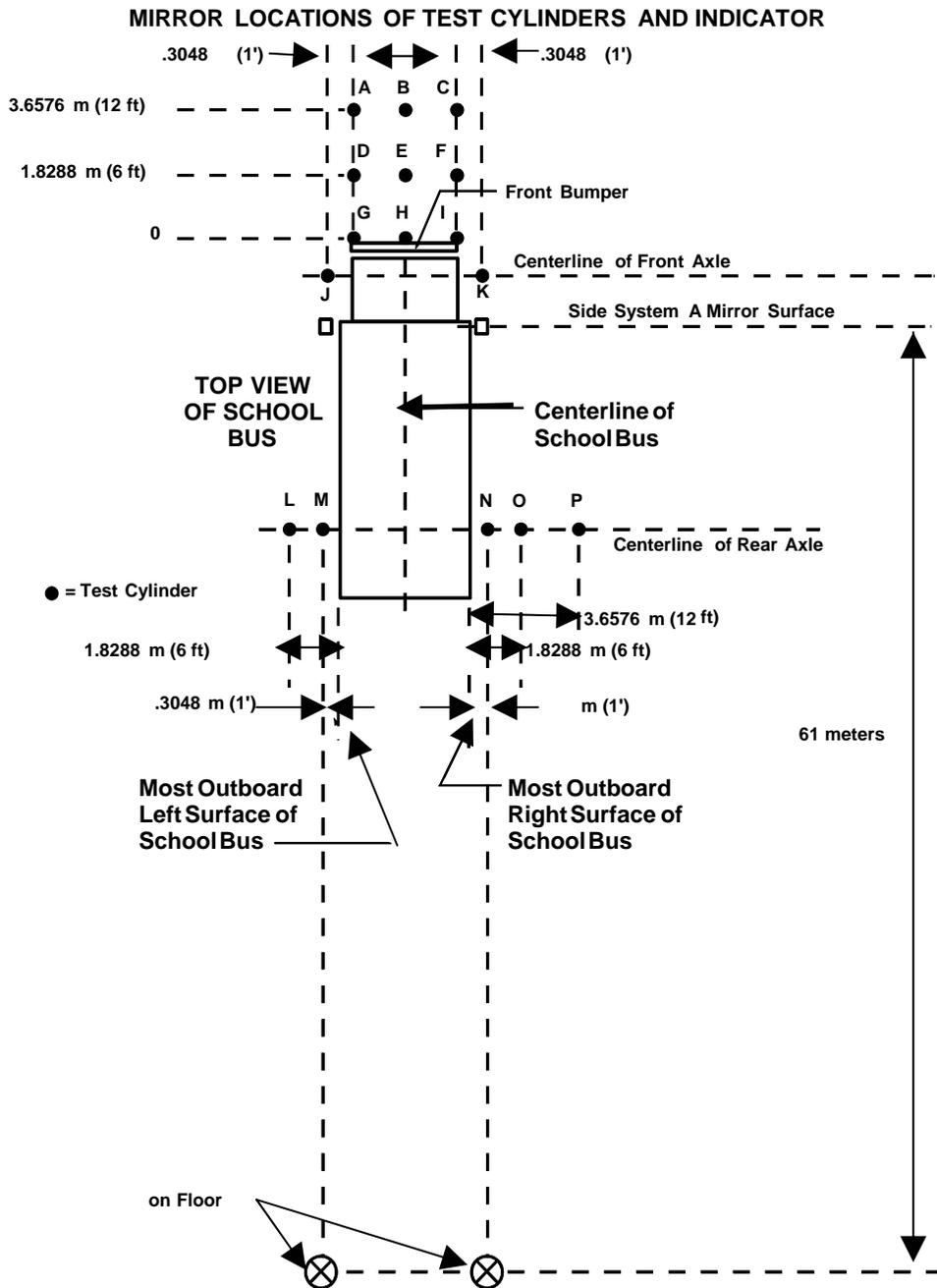
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FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 2...continued

MIRROR LOCATION AND FIELD OF VIEW

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- NOTES:
1. The cylinders shall be a color which provides a high contrast with the surface on which the bus is parked (S13.1).
  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.

**FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 2...continued**

**MIRROR LOCATION AND FIELD OF VIEW**

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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 can be viewed in the photograph	<b>Pass</b>
Entire top surface of cylinder M and indicator 61 meters (200 feet) rearward of the mirror surface can be viewed in the photograph	<b>Pass</b>
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	1	222.9	0.195	--
#2	2	264.1	0.231	0.691

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	222.9 cm	<b>Pass</b>
Distance between center of System B mirror #2 and driver's eye point	264.1 cm	<b>Pass</b>

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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 directly visible from the driver's semi-circle eye location are able to be viewed with System B mirrors from the driver's semi-circle location:		<b>Pass</b>
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:		<b>Pass</b>
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:		<b>Pass</b>
Shortest arc length dimension	0.231 cm	
Longest arc length dimension	0.691 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.		<b>Pass</b>

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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)	Type	System	Stable Support
			Yes/No
1	Cross View/Convex	B	Yes
2	Cross View/Convex	B	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	<b>Pass</b>
System B mirrors have no discontinuities in the slope of the surface of the mirror	<b>Pass</b>

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**FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 5**  
**REFLECTANCE TEST – ALL MIRRORS**

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Mirror No.	Type	Light meter reading from calibration (FC)	Light meter reading from light reflected by mirror (FC)	Pass/Fail	Observations
1	Crossview/Convex	57	76	Pass	None
2	Crossview/Convex	58	76	Pass	None
3	Unit Magnification	44	76	Pass	None
4	Unit Magnification	43	76	Pass	None
5	Convex	46	76	Pass	None
6	Convex	46	76	Pass	None

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

Mirror No.	Type	Reflectance	Requirement
1	Crossview/Convex	75.1%	>35%
2	Crossview/Convex	76.0%	>35%
3	Unit Magnification	57.8%	>35%
4	Unit Magnification	57.0%	>35%
5	Convex	60.5%	>35%
6	Convex	60.5%	>35%

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**FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 6**

**UNIT MAGNIFICATION/CONVEX MIRROR TEST – ALL MIRRORS**

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

**MIRROR NO. 1 (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	0.05255	136.6	47.5	25.8%
2	0.03600	198.9	-14.8	-8.0%
3	0.02460	290.7	-106.6	-57.9%
4	0.05000	143.5	40.6	22.1%
5	0.05025	142.8	41.3	22.4%
6	0.03555	201.4	-17.3	-9.4%
7	0.04980	144.1	40.0	21.7%
8	0.02810	254.6	-70.5	-38.3%
9	0.05335	134.6	49.5	26.9%
10	0.03690	194.1	-9.9	-5.4%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – The summation of column 3 divided by 10: 184.1 mm			Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature, Column 5: -57.9	

**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	0.05265	136.4	48.9	26.4%
2	0.03580	200.0	-14.7	-7.9%
3	0.02365	302.4	-117.1	-63.2%
4	0.05000	143.5	41.8	22.5%
5	0.05075	141.4	43.9	23.7%
6	0.03565	200.8	-15.6	-8.4%
7	0.05090	141.0	44.3	23.9%
8	0.02840	251.9	-66.6	-36.0%
9	0.05325	134.8	50.4	27.2%
10	0.03570	200.6	-15.3	-8.2%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – The summation of column 3 divided by 10: 185.3 mm			Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature, Column 5: -63.2%	

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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	NA	NA	NA
2	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
3	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
4	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
5	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
6	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
7	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
8	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
9	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
10	0.00000	NA	NA	NA
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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**UNIT MAGNIFICATION/CONVEX MIRROR TEST – ALL MIRRORS**

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

**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	0.01485	481.2	-6.8	-1.4%
2	0.01510	473.3	1.2	0.2%
3	0.01360	525.4	-51.0	-10.8%
4	0.01635	437.1	37.3	7.9%
5	0.01520	470.2	4.3	0.9%
6	0.01515	471.7	2.7	0.6%
7	0.01505	474.9	-0.4	-0.1%
8	0.01515	471.7	2.7	0.6%
9	0.01530	467.1	7.3	1.5%
10	0.01515	471.7	2.7	0.6%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: 474.4 mm			Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature, Column 5: -10.8%	

**MIRROR NO. 6 (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	0.01445	494.6	-15.2	-3.2%
2	0.01525	468.6	10.8	2.2%
3	0.01525	468.6	10.8	2.2%
4	0.01565	456.7	22.7	4.7%
5	0.01450	492.9	-13.5	-2.8%
6	0.01530	467.1	12.3	2.6%
7	0.01435	498.0	-18.6	-3.9%
8	0.01475	484.5	-5.1	-1.1%
9	0.01450	492.9	-13.5	-2.8%
10	0.01520	470.2	9.2	1.9%
Avg. Radius of Curvature – the Summation of Column 3 divided by 10: 479.4 mm			Greatest Percent Deviation from the Average Radius of Curvature, Column 5: 4.7%	

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**UNIT MAGNIFICATION/CONVEX MIRROR TEST – ALL MIRRORS**

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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)	<b>Pass</b>

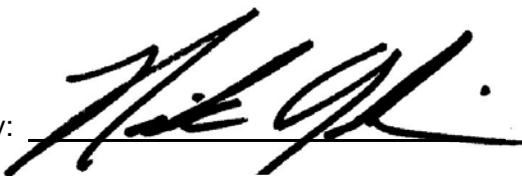
**AVERAGE RADIUS OF CURVATURE  
OF CONVEX MIRRORS USED IN SYSTEM B**

Mirror No.	Radius of Curvature	If needed, wording printed properly* Pass/Fail
1	188 mm	<b>Pass</b>
2	185 mm	<b>Pass</b>

\* 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 is visible but not legible from the driver seated position due to its location near the passenger exit as shown in attached photographs. The manufacturer has indicated to the NHTSA compliance engineer that a running production change will be made to position the label in closer proximity to the driver.

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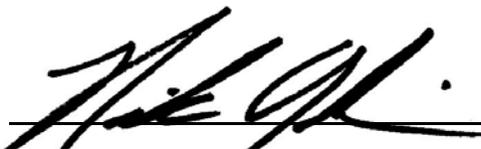
**FMVSS 111SB - DATA SHEET 7**  
**MIRROR REFLECTIVE SURFACE AREA TEST**  
**SYSTEM A & B**

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**DATA TABLE FOR SURFACE AREA**

System A Mirrors Mirror No.	Area	Requirement Min. 323 cm <sup>2</sup>	Pass/Fail
3	381.9 cm <sup>2</sup>	323 cm <sup>2</sup>	<b>Pass</b>
4	385.2 cm <sup>2</sup>	323 cm <sup>2</sup>	<b>Pass</b>
System B Mirrors Mirror No.	Area	Requirement Min. 258 cm <sup>2</sup>	Pass/Fail
1	578.5 cm <sup>2</sup>	258 cm <sup>2</sup>	<b>Pass</b>
2	574.0 cm <sup>2</sup>	258 cm <sup>2</sup>	<b>Pass</b>

Recorded By: 

Approved By: 

Date: October 13, 2008

**SECTION 4**  
**INSTRUMENTATION AND EQUIPMENT LIST**

Test Vehicle: **2009 Thomas Minotour School Bus**  
Test Lab: **MGA Research Corporation**

NHTSA No.: **C90901**  
Test Date: **10/9/2008 – 10/13/2008**

	Digital Caliper	Light Meter	Tape Measure	Spherometer
Make	Starrett	AEMC	Stanley	MGA
Model	F2730-0	CA813	Powerlock 3M	001
Serial # (s)	021484579	04L1017Y	33-231	001
Range	0-50.8 mm	2000fc, 2000lux	0 to 8 m	$2.25 \times 10^{13}$ (cm * Hz <sup>1/2</sup> ) ÷ W
Accuracy	.001 mm	0.0 fc or 0.01 lux	1 mm	$1.1 \times 10^{-13}$ W/H <sup>1/2</sup>
Cal. Date	09/02/08	04/30/08	08/19/08	Daily when used
Cal. Due Date	09/08/09	04/30/09	02/19/09	N/A

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HIGH POINT, NORTH CAROLINA  
MFD BY THOMAS BUILT BUSES INC.

07-2008  
06-2008

INC VEH MFD BY: CHEVROLET  
GVWR 4356KG ( 9600LB)

GAWR FRONT: 01860 KG(04100LB)W/16X6.5 RIMS, 245/75R16  
TIRES@552KPA(080PSI)COLD, "E"LOAD RATING, SINGLE

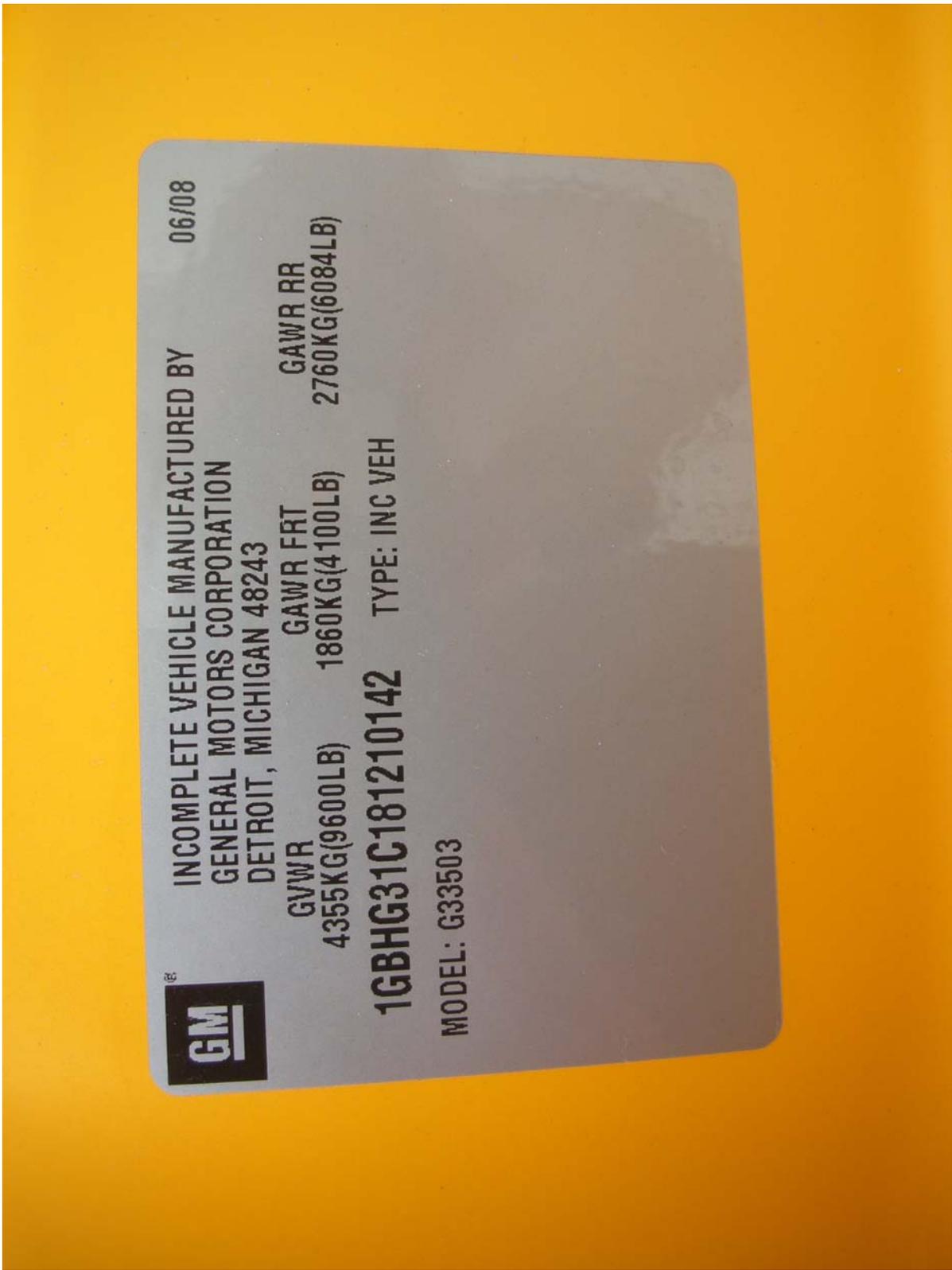
GAWR REAR : 02760 KG(06084LB)W/16X6.5 RIMS, 245/75R16  
TIRES@552KPA(080PSI)COLD, "E"LOAD RATING, SINGLE

THIS VEHICLE CONFORMS TO ALL APPLICABLE FEDERAL MOTOR  
VEHICLE SAFETY STANDARDS IN EFFECT IN: 06/2008  
VIN: 1GBHG31C181210142 VEH. TYPE: SCHOOL BUS  
BODY ID: 16036-0810811-041LS  
CHASSIS ID NO: 97407



Vehicle Certification Label

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Vehicle Information Label

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# TIRE INFORMATION

THE COMBINED WEIGHT OF OCCUPANTS / CARGO SHOULD NEVER EXCEED 10184.00 LBS. OR 4619.39 KG.

<b>ORIGINAL TIRE SIZE</b>	<b>COLD TIRE INFLATION PRESSURE</b>					
L724575R16	FRONT	80 psi / 551.58 kPa				
	REAR	80 psi / 551.58 kPa				
SEATING CAPACITY TOTAL	ROW	1	2	3	4	5
	INCLUDING DRIVER	1	0	0	0	2
		0	3	3	3	3

SEE OWNER'S MANUAL FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

VIN # 1GBHG31C181210142 Order # 16036

Vehicle Tire Placard

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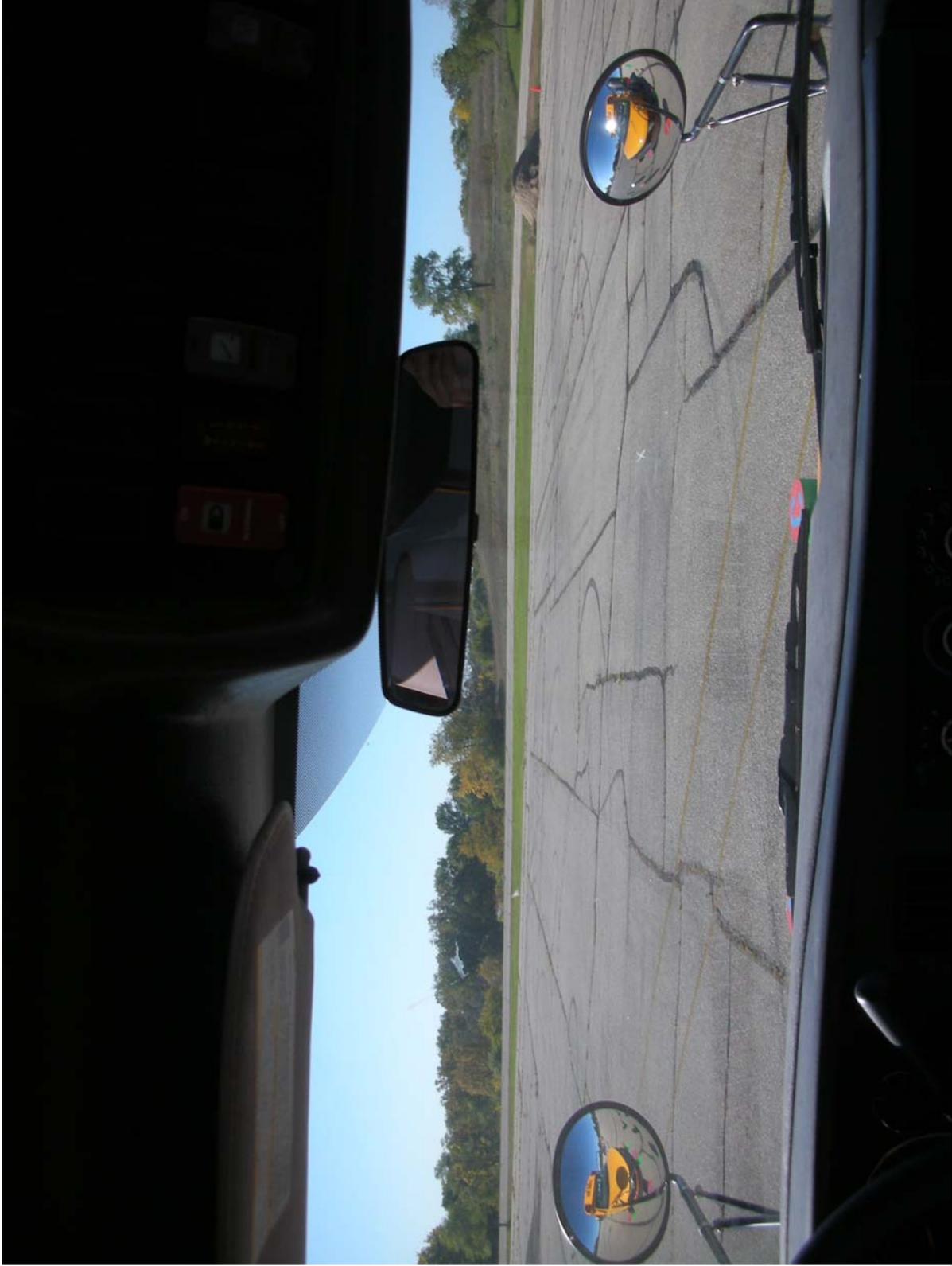
Right Front Cross View Mirror and Mounting

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Passenger Side Rearview Mirror and Mounting

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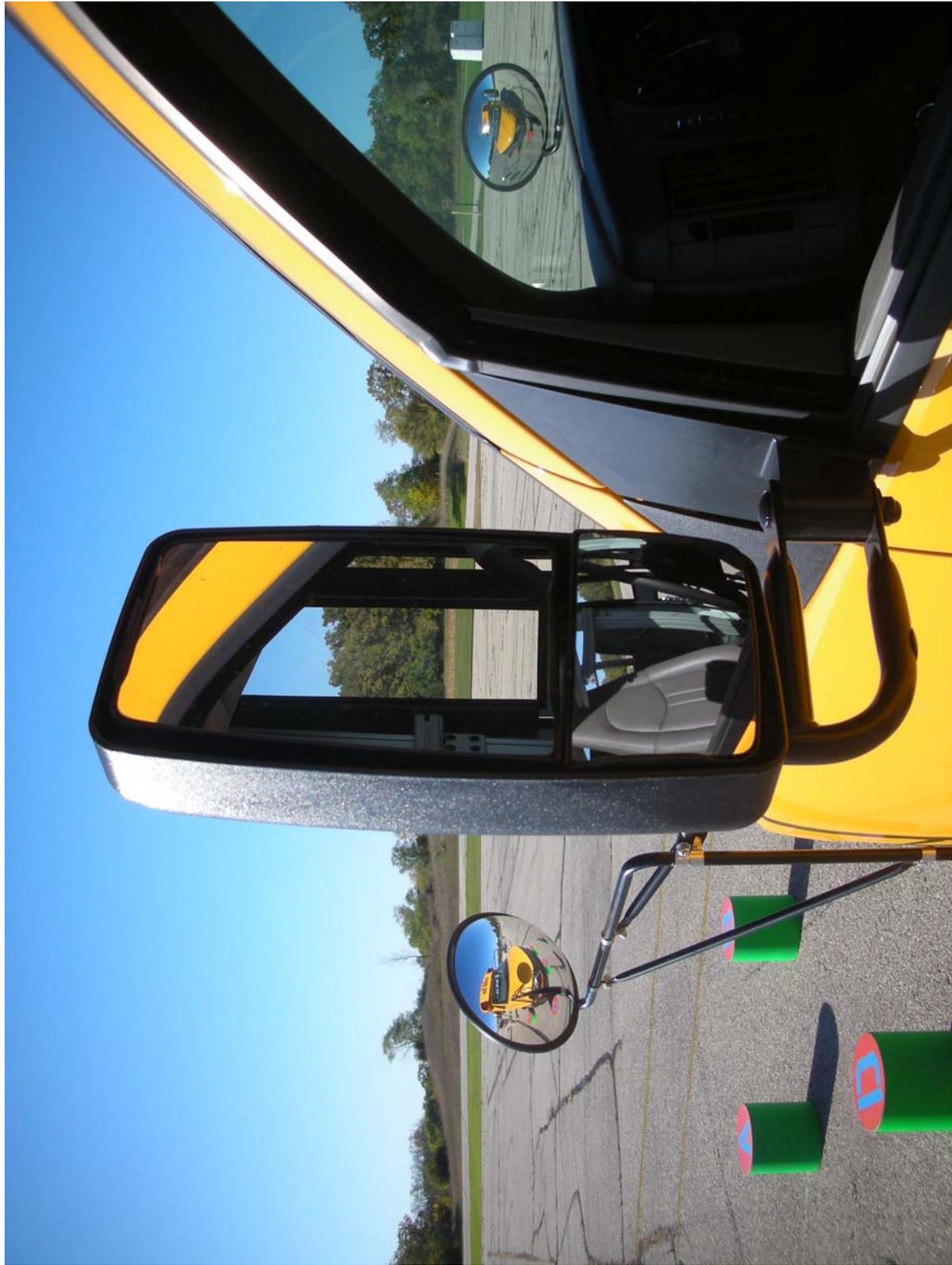
Inside Rearview Mirror and Mounting

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Left Front Cross View Mirror and Mounting

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Driver Side Rearview Mirror and Mounting

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Field of View Instrument Setup

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Mirror #2 System B Field of View

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Mirror #1 System B Field of View

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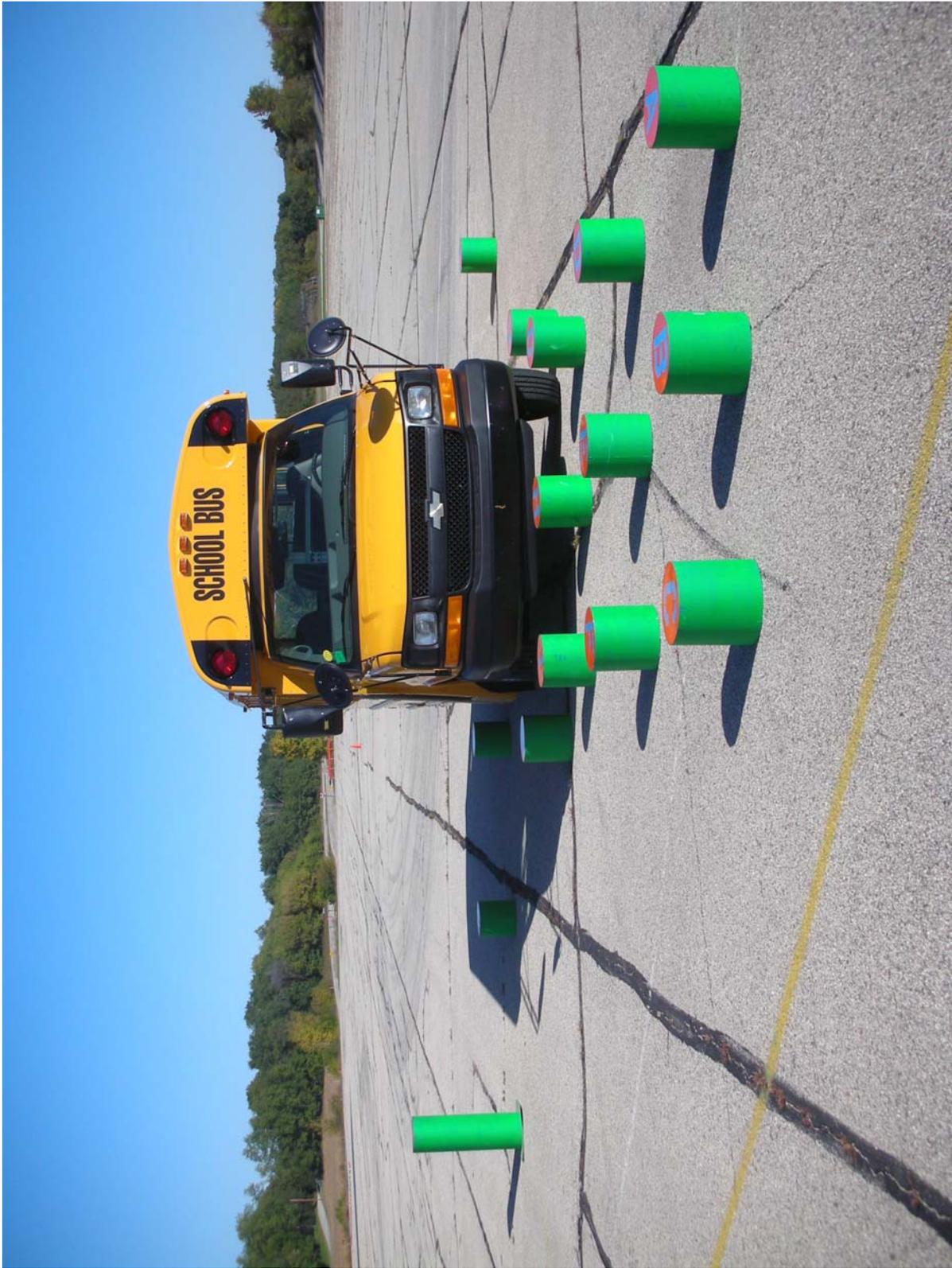
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Mirror #4 and #6 System A Field of View

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View of Cylinder Setup from Front

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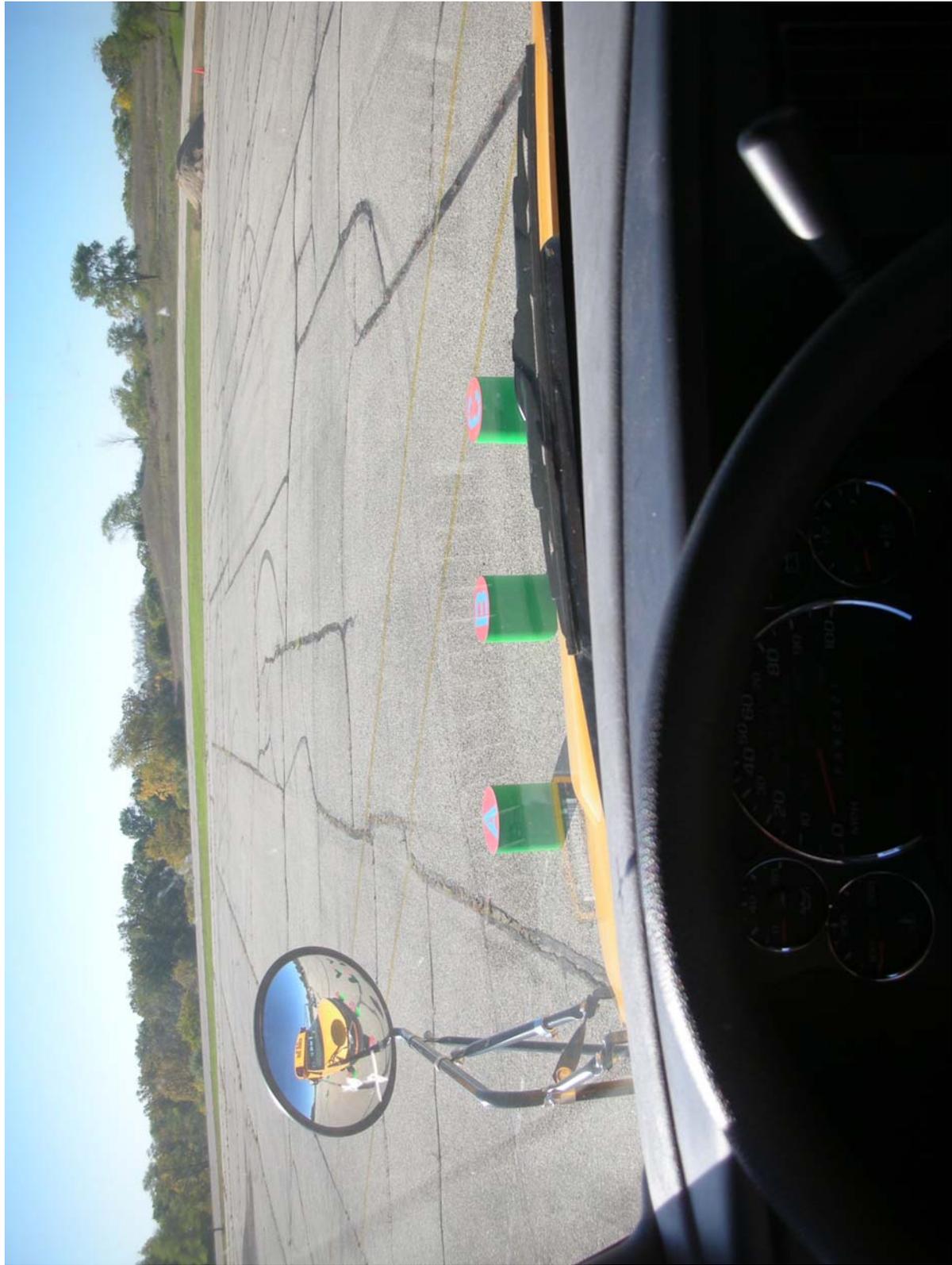
Three-Quarter Left Front View of Cylinder Setup

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Three-Quarter Right Front View of Cylinder Setup

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Front View Looking Thru the Windshield View of Cylinder Setup

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Reflectance Test Set-up

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# **CAUTION**

**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.  
( REF. FMVSS.111 )**

Label for Cross View Mirror Warning

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Cross View Mirror With Reference to Seated Driver

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Cross View Mirror Label Location