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Senator Hays moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

Between lines 335 and 336

insert:

Section 4. Section 316.0817, Florida Statutes, is created  
to read:

316.0817 Loading and unloading of bus passengers.-

(1) Notwithstanding any other law, a bus may not stop to  
load or unload passengers in a manner that impedes, blocks, or  
otherwise restricts the progression of traffic on the main-  
traveled portion of a roadway if there is another reasonable



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12 means for the bus to stop parallel to the travel lane and safely  
13 load and unload passengers. As used in this section, the term  
14 "reasonable means" means sufficient unobstructed pavement or a  
15 designated turn lane that is sufficient in length to allow the  
16 safe loading and unloading of passengers parallel to the travel  
17 lane.

18 (2) This section does not apply to a school bus.

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20 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

21 And the title is amended as follows:

22 Between lines 17 and 18

23 insert:

24 creating s. 316.0817, F.S.; prohibiting a bus from  
25 stopping to load or unload passengers in a manner that  
26 impedes, blocks, or otherwise restricts the  
27 progression of traffic under certain circumstances;  
28 providing an exception;