



January 27, 2016

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## SENATE BILL No. 147

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DIGEST OF SB 147 (Updated January 26, 2016 10:17 am - DI 103)

**Citations Affected:** IC 10-21.

**Synopsis:** School emergency response systems. Requires the department of homeland security (department) to establish minimum standards and approve best practices not later than July 1, 2017, for a school emergency response system.

**Effective:** July 1, 2016.

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### Boots, Rogers, Merritt, Arnold J

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January 5, 2016, read first time and referred to Committee on Homeland Security & Transportation.  
January 26, 2016, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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Second Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2016)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2015 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

## SENATE BILL No. 147

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 10-21-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE  
2 AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2016]:  
4 **Chapter 1.5. School Emergency Response Systems**  
5 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "active shooter" means an**  
6 **individual actively engaged in killing or attempting to kill people**  
7 **in a school or school building.**  
8 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "department" refers to the**  
9 **department of homeland security established by IC 10-19-2-1.**  
10 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "emergency response system"**  
11 **means a system that uses technology and best practices to respond**  
12 **to an active shooter incident.**  
13 **Sec. 4. Not later than July 1, 2017, the department shall adopt**  
14 **minimum standards and approve best practices for emergency**  
15 **response systems.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Transportation, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 147, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, delete lines 13 through 16.

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 2.

Page 2, line 3, delete "5." and insert "4."

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 42.

Delete pages 3 through 7.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 147 as introduced.)

YODER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0.

