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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 211 be amended to read as follows:

1 Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new
2 paragraph and insert:
3 "SECTION 1. IC 4-6-2-13 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
4 AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
5 1, 2024]: **Sec. 13. (a) As used in this section, "school complaint
6 website" means a publicly facing website that does one (1) or more
7 of the following:**
8 **(1) Allows a person to submit a complaint or comment about
9 a school.**
10 **(2) Publishes a complaint or comment about a school that is
11 submitted by a person other than the attorney general.**
12 **The term includes the Eyes on Education website or any similar
13 successor website.**
14 **(b) The attorney general may not establish, operate, or maintain
15 a school complaint website.**
16 **(c) The attorney general may not:**
17 **(1) investigate;**
18 **(2) make a public records request with regard to;**
19 **(3) publish; or**
20 **(4) take any other action regarding;**
21 **a complaint, comment, or any other information submitted
22 through a school complaint website."**

1 Page 2, between lines 4 and 5, begin a new paragraph and insert:
 2 "SECTION 3. IC 20-20-51 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
 3 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 4 JULY 1, 2024]:

5 **Chapter 51. School Complaint Submission Website**

6 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "governing authority" refers to:**

- 7 (1) the governing body of a school corporation; or
 8 (2) the equivalent authority of a governing body as described
 9 in subdivision (1) for a:

10 (A) charter school; or

11 (B) state accredited nonpublic school.

12 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "school" refers to the following:**

13 (1) A school maintained by a school corporation.

14 (2) A charter school.

15 (3) A state accredited nonpublic school.

16 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "school complaint submission
 17 website" means a publicly facing website that allows a person to
 18 submit a complaint or comment about a school.**

19 **Sec. 4. The department shall establish and maintain a school
 20 complaint submission website.**

21 **Sec. 5. If the department receives a complaint or comment
 22 regarding a school through the school complaint submission
 23 website, the department shall provide to the governing authority
 24 of the school:**

25 (1) the complaint or comment; and

26 (2) any documents or other information submitted through
 27 the school complaint submission website regarding the
 28 complaint or comment.

29 **Sec. 6. The department may not:**

30 (1) investigate;

31 (2) make a public records request with regard to;

32 (3) publish; or

33 (4) take any other action regarding;

34 a complaint, comment, or any other information submitted
 35 through the school complaint submission website.

36 **Sec. 7. (a) Not later than thirty (30) days after the date the
 37 governing authority of a school receives a complaint or comment
 38 from the department under section 5 of this chapter, the governing
 39 authority shall do the following:**

40 (1) Review the complaint or comment.

41 (2) If the complaint or comment was submitted by a:

42 (A) parent of a student of the school; or

43 (B) resident of the school corporation, as applicable;

44 investigate and respond to the parent or resident regarding
 45 the complaint or comment.

46 (b) A response to a parent or resident under subsection (a)(2)
 47 must provide an explanation of the outcome of the investigation."

- 1 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
(Reference is to ESB 211 as printed February 22, 2024.)

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