

SENATE FILE NO. SF0079

School safety and security.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Ellis, Coe, Hutchings, Landen and
Rothfuss and Representative(s) Brown,
Connolly, Paxton and Simpson

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to student and school safety; requiring
2 school districts to adopt school safety and security
3 policies; creating duties for the state superintendent of
4 public instruction; providing for confidentiality; and
5 providing for an effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 21-3-134 is created to read:

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11 **21-3-134. School safety and security policies.**

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13 (a) Each school district board of trustees shall
14 adopt safety and security policies, including threat
15 assessment procedures, compatible with the model framework

1 developed by the department in accordance with W.S.
2 21-2-202(a)(xxxviii).

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4 (b) The superintendent of each school district shall
5 implement the safety and security policies adopted pursuant
6 to subsection (a) of this section.

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8 (c) A district's safety and security policies and
9 drafts of the policies, if so designated by the district,
10 shall be confidential and are not public records available
11 for public inspection under the Public Records Act, W.S.
12 16-4-201 et seq. The board may develop, discuss, review and
13 adopt safety and security policies in executive session not
14 open to the public.

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16 **Section 2.** W.S. 21-2-202(a) by creating a new
17 paragraph (xxxviii) is amended to read:

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19 **21-2-202. Duties of the state superintendent.**

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21 (a) In addition to any other duties assigned by law,
22 the state superintendent shall:

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