

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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SENATE BILL 1850

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AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Oklahoma Homeland Security Act; amending 74 O.S. 2021, Section 51.2d, as amended by Section 7, Chapter 302, O.S.L. 2022 (74 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 51.2d), which relates to the Oklahoma School Security Institute; requiring the creation and publication of school mapping guidelines for the purposes of emergency responses and drills; establishing certain criteria; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2021, Section 51.2d, as amended by Section 7, Chapter 302, O.S.L. 2022 (74 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 51.2d), is amended to read as follows:

Section 51.2d. A. Upon July 1, 2013, the Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management shall designate a function of its agency as the "Oklahoma School Security Institute".

B. The Oklahoma School Security Institute shall act as the central repository for the public and private elementary and secondary schools of this state to contact for information on resources made available to the schools in their efforts to enhance

1 school security and assess risks and threats to school campuses.

2 The goals and objectives of the Oklahoma School Security Institute
3 shall include, but not be limited to:

4 1. Maximizing school security training and support to public
5 and private elementary and secondary schools as authorized pursuant
6 to Section 51.2b of this title;

7 2. Assisting and coordinating with public and private
8 elementary and secondary school administrators as required in the
9 development and implementation of safety drills;

10 3. Facilitating efforts of public and private elementary and
11 secondary schools to utilize any available programs or entities
12 specializing in security issues; and

13 4. Creating and coordinating any working groups when necessary
14 in order to continue developing and implementing new strategies and
15 techniques for future recommendations on school security issues.

16 C. The Oklahoma School Security Institute may develop a
17 telephone tip line whereby reports of activity that may compromise
18 school safety can be called in and disseminated to the appropriate
19 parties for additional investigation should it be warranted.

20 D. The Oklahoma School Security Institute shall develop and
21 publish on its website school mapping guidelines for public and
22 private schools in this state. If a public or private school
23 chooses to map its campus, the school shall use the guidelines
24 provided in this subsection to provide mapping data to the

1 Department of Public Safety and local law enforcement for use in
2 responding to emergencies and conducting drills. Such mapping data
3 guidelines shall:

4 1. Be compatible with software platforms used by local, county,
5 state, and federal public safety agencies that provide emergency
6 services to the specific school for which the data is provided
7 without requiring such agencies to purchase additional software or
8 pay a fee to view or access the data;

9 2. Be compatible with security software platforms in use by the
10 specific school for which the data is provided without requiring the
11 school to purchase additional software or pay a fee to view or
12 access the data;

13 3. Be available in a printable format and a digital file format
14 that can be integrated into interactive mobile platforms;

15 4. Be verified for accuracy by a walk-through of the school
16 buildings and grounds;

17 5. Be oriented toward true north;

18 6. Be oriented on current aerial imagery;

19 7. Contain site-specific labeling that matches the structure of
20 school buildings, including room labels, hallway names, and external
21 door or stairwell numbers and locations of hazards, critical utility
22 locations, key boxes, automated external defibrillators, and trauma
23 kits;

1 8. Contain site-specific labeling that matches the school
2 grounds, including parking areas, athletic fields, surrounding
3 roads, and neighboring properties;

4 9. Be overlaid with gridded x and y coordinates; and

5 10. Not be modified or updated independently without
6 corresponding updates to school mapping data within software
7 platforms used by local, county, state, and federal public safety
8 agencies that provide emergency services to the specific school.

9 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2024.

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