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SENATE ENROLLED ACT No. 147

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

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

SECTION 1. IC 10-21-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2016]:

Chapter 1.5. School Emergency Response Systems

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "department" refers to the department of homeland security established by IC 10-19-2-1.

Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "emergency response system" means systems designed to improve technology and infrastructure on school property that may be used to prevent, prepare for, respond to, and recover from a manmade or natural disaster or emergency occurring on school property.

Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "school property" means any property owned, rented, leased, or operated by:

- (1) a nonpublic school (as defined in IC 20-18-2-12);**
- (2) a public school (as defined in IC 20-18-2-15); or**
- (3) an approved postsecondary educational institution (as defined by IC 21-7-13-6).**

Sec. 4. Not later than July 1, 2017, the department shall establish and maintain guidelines for emergency response systems. The department shall establish emergency response system guidelines with input from the division of school building physical security and safety (established by IC 20-19-3-14).



President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Governor of the State of Indiana

Date: _____ Time: _____

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