

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 43

DIGEST OF RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the legislative council to assign to the appropriate study committee the topic of a comprehensive review of school safety issues with the goal to do whatever is necessary to protect Hoosier children in our schools.

Tomes, Alting, Bassler, Becker, Bohacek, Boots, Bray, Brown L, Buchanan, Buck, Charbonneau, Crane, Crider, Delph, Doriot, Eckerty, Ford, Freeman, Glick, Grooms, Head, Holdman, Houchin, Koch, Kruse, Leising, Long, Merritt, Messmer, Mishler, Niemeyer, Perfect, Raatz, Ruckleshaus, Sandlin, Smith J, Spartz, Walker, Young M, Zakas, Zay

February 26, 2018, read first time and referred to Committee on Corrections and Criminal Law. March 1, 2018, reported favorably — Do Pass.



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MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

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2	to assign to the appropriate study committee the topic of a
3	comprehensive review school safety issues with the goal to do
4	whatever is necessary to protect Hoosier children in our
5	schools.
6	Whereas, Across the United States, the national violent
7	crime rate increased by 3.3 percent in 2015 and 3.4 percent in
8	2016, with 2016 being the largest single-year increase in 25
9	years;
10	Whereas, The nationwide homicide rate has increased more
11	than 20 percent since 2014;
12	Whereas, In light of increased violence in schools and other
13	populated settings, it is imperative to have a thorough study to
14	develop comprehensive solutions to the problem: Therefore,
15	Be it resolved by the Senate of the
16	General Assembly of the State of Indiana:
17	SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to assign to the
18	appropriate study committee the topic of a comprehensive review of



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[school safety issues with the goal to do whatever in necessary to protect
2	Hoosier children in our schools.
3	SECTION 2. That the committee, if assigned the topic, shall issue
1	to the legislative council a final report containing the study committee's
5	findings and recommendations, including recommended legislation

concerning the topic, in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6, not later than November 1, 2018. 7

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Corrections and Criminal Law, to which was referred Senate Resolution No. 43, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said resolution DO PASS.

(Reference is to SR 43 as introduced.)

YOUNG M, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0

