

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
4 FOR ENGROSSED
5 SENATE BILL NO. 100

By: Pemberton, Garvin, Weaver,
6 Bullard, Pederson, and
7 Rogers of the Senate

8 and

9 Lowe (Dick) of the House

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11 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

12 [school security - exemption - Oklahoma School
13 Security Grant Program Act - effective date
14 - emergency]

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

18 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
19 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5-148.1 of Title 70, unless
20 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

21 A. Except as provided for in subsection B of this section, by
22 July 1, 2026, each school district in this state shall undergo a
23 risk and vulnerability assessment conducted by the Oklahoma School
24 Security Institute or a nationally qualified risk and vulnerability

1 | assessor. The assessment shall include recommendations to increase
2 | security on school district property.

3 | B. A school district that completed a risk and vulnerability
4 | assessment conducted by the Oklahoma School Security Institute or a
5 | nationally qualified risk and vulnerability assessor in the two (2)
6 | years prior to the effective date of this act shall be exempt from
7 | the provisions of subsection A of this section.

8 | C. After an initial risk and vulnerability assessment is
9 | conducted, school districts shall conduct re-assessments every five
10 | (5) years.

11 | SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 74 O.S. 2021, Section 51.2b, as
12 | amended by Section 5, Chapter 302, O.S.L. 2022 (74 O.S. Supp. 2022,
13 | Section 51.2b), is amended to read as follows:

14 | Section 51.2b A. This section shall be known and may be cited
15 | as the "Oklahoma School Security Grant Program Act".

16 | B. The Oklahoma Department of Emergency Management shall
17 | solicit proposals for and make grants for the enhancement of campus
18 | security at institutions of higher learning, technology center
19 | schools, public schools, and private schools.

20 | C. The goals and objectives of the Oklahoma School Security
21 | Grant Program are to:

22 | 1. Increase the awareness of the public and educational
23 | institutions of the risks, threats, and vulnerabilities of school
24 | campuses as well as mitigation strategies;

1 2. Incentivize participation in school security training
2 programs designed to assess campus risks, threats, and
3 vulnerabilities;

4 3. Provide assistance to institutions of higher learning,
5 technology center schools, public schools, and private schools
6 initiating or implementing school security plans, programs, and
7 activities; and

8 4. Build upon the success of the pilot Education Grant Program
9 established by the Oklahoma Office of Homeland Security.

10 D. The Department shall determine grant project criteria and
11 establish a process for the consideration of proposals. The
12 proposals shall be considered on a statewide competitive basis among
13 peer institutions. To be eligible for an Oklahoma School Security
14 Grant Program award, an institution of higher learning, technology
15 center school, public school, or private school shall:

16 1. Complete a risk and vulnerability assessment conducted by
17 the Oklahoma School Security Institute or a nationally qualified
18 risk and vulnerability assessor; and

19 2. Agree to expend grant funds on items recommended by the risk
20 and vulnerability assessment and/or to provide de-escalation and
21 behavioral threat assessment and management training to employees.
22 Recommended items eligible for grant fund expenditures may include,
23 but shall not be limited to, physical security enhancements such as

1 cameras, gates, lighting, locks, doors, windows, security
2 geofencing, and ballistic storm shelters.

3 E. On or before January 1, 2010, and each year thereafter, the
4 Department shall prepare an annual report on the Oklahoma School
5 Security Grant Program and submit the report to the Governor, the
6 President Pro Tempore of the Oklahoma State Senate, and the Speaker
7 of the Oklahoma House of Representatives. The report shall include
8 a list of the recipients of Oklahoma School Security Grant Program
9 awards and information on how grant funds were used during the
10 previous year.

11 SECTION 3. This act shall become effective July 1, 2023.

12 SECTION 4. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
13 of the public peace, health, or safety, an emergency is hereby
14 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
15 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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