

HOUSE BILL No. 4272

February 19, 2013, Introduced by Reps. Haines, Slavens, Crawford, Johnson, MacMaster, Jacobsen, Hovey-Wright, Kesto, Kurtz, Victory, Hobbs, Kowall, Lori, Ananich, Darany, Cavanagh and Zorn and referred to the Committee on Education.

A bill to amend 1941 PA 207, entitled "Fire prevention code,"

by amending section 19 (MCL 29.19), as amended by 2006 PA 337.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Sec. 19. (1) The chief administrative officer and the teachers of all schools, including state supported schools, colleges, and universities and the owner, or owner's representative, of all school dormitories shall have a fire drill each month and ensure unrestricted emergency egress during school hours and when the school is open to the public. Each teacher in a school, including a state supported school, college, or university and the owner or owner's representative of a dormitory shall comply with these requirements and keep a record of the drills.

(2) Except as provided in subsection (3), a minimum of 8 fire

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- 1 drills is required for each school year. If weather conditions do
- 2 not permit fire drills to be held at least once a month, then at
- 3 least 5 fire drills shall be held in the fall of each year and 3
- 4 fire drills shall be held during the remaining part of the school
- 5 year. A SCHOOL MAY SUBSTITUTE A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE DRILL
- 6 FOR 1 FIRE DRILL REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. [IF THE SCHOOL HAS AN AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL, THE SCHOOL SHALL SUBSTITUTE A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE DRILL FOR 1 FIRE DRILL REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.]
- 7 (3) A minimum of 6 fire drills is required for each school
- 8 year for a school that operates any of grades kindergarten to 12.
- 9 Four of the fire drills shall be held in the fall and 2 shall be
- 10 held during the remaining part of the school year. A SCHOOL MAY
- 11 SUBSTITUTE A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE DRILL FOR 1 FIRE DRILL
- 12 REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. [IF THE SCHOOL HAS AN AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL, THE SCHOOL SHALL SUBSTITUTE A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE DRILL FOR 1 FIRE DRILL REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.]
- 13 (4) A minimum of 2 tornado safety drills is required for each
- 14 school year at the schools and facilities described in subsection
- 15 (1). These drills shall be conducted for the purpose of preventing
- 16 fires and related hazards and injuries caused by severe weather.
- 17 (5) A minimum of 2 drills in which the occupants are
- 18 restricted to the interior of the building and the building secured
- 19 is required for each school year at a school that operates any of
- 20 grades kindergarten to 12. A drill conducted under this subsection
- 21 shall include security measures that are appropriate to an
- 22 emergency such as the release of a hazardous material or the
- 23 presence of an armed individual on or near the premises. The drill
- 24 shall be conducted in coordination with the local emergency
- 25 management coordinator appointed under section 9 of the emergency
- 26 management act, 1976 PA 390, MCL 30.409, the county sheriff for the
- 27 county or the chief of police or fire chief for the municipality

- 1 where the school is located, or the designee of the sheriff, chief
- 2 of police, or fire chief and consistently with applicable federal,
- 3 state, and local emergency operations plans. The governing body of
- 4 a school shall seek input from the administration of the school on
- 5 the nature of the drills to be conducted under this subsection.
- 6 (6) A school that operates any of grades kindergarten to 12
- 7 shall conduct some of the drills required by this section during
- 8 lunch and recess periods, or at other times when a significant
- 9 number of the students are gathered but not in the classroom.
- 10 (7) The state fire marshal, a fire chief, or a firefighter in
- 11 uniform acting under orders and directions of the fire chief may
- 12 cause fire drills to be held in school houses, school dormitories,
- 13 and other public buildings as the state fire marshal considers
- 14 advisable. The state fire marshal may order the installation of
- 15 other protective apparatus or equipment that conforms to recognized
- 16 and approved modern practices.
- 17 (8) The department of state police emergency management
- 18 division shall develop a model to be used by a school in
- 19 conducting, and by a local emergency management coordinator, county
- 20 sheriff, chief of police, fire chief, or designee of a sheriff,
- 21 chief of police, or fire chief in coordinating, a drill under
- 22 subsection (5).
- 23 (9) THE GOVERNING BODY OF A SCHOOL THAT OPERATES ANY OF GRADES
- 24 KINDERGARTEN TO 12 SHALL ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT A CARDIAC EMERGENCY
- 25 RESPONSE PLAN FOR THE SCHOOL. THE CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN
- 26 SHALL ADDRESS AND PROVIDE FOR AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 27 (A) REGULAR, COORDINATED CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE DRILLS

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- 1 THAT PROVIDE FOR TRAINING IN THE IDENTIFICATION OF AND RESPONSE TO
- 2 CARDIAC EMERGENCIES.
- 3 (B) USE AND REGULAR MAINTENANCE OF AUTOMATED EXTERNAL
- 4 DEFIBRILLATORS, IF AVAILABLE.
- 5 (C) ACTIVATION OF A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM DURING AN
- 6 IDENTIFIED CARDIAC EMERGENCY.
- 7 (D) A PLAN FOR EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT COMMUNICATION
- 8 THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL CAMPUS.
- 9 (E) IF THE SCHOOL INCLUDES GRADES 9 TO 12, A [TRAINING PLAN FOR
- 10] THE USE OF AN AUTOMATED EXTERNAL
- 11 DEFIBRILLATOR AND IN CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION TECHNIQUES.
- 12 (F) INCORPORATION AND INTEGRATION OF THE LOCAL EMERGENCY
- 13 RESPONSE SYSTEM AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE AGENCIES WITH THE SCHOOL'S
- 14 PLAN.
- 15 (G) A PLAN FOR EVALUATING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CARDIAC
- 16 EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN AFTER EACH CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE
- 17 DRILL.
- 18 (10) A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE DRILL CONDUCTED AS PART OF
- 19 THE CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN UNDER SUBSECTION (1) SHALL
- 20 INCLUDE AT LEAST ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
- 21 (A) PROMPT ACTIVATION OF A CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM.
- 22 (B) PROMPT ACTIVATION OF THE LOCAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM.
- 23 (C) SIMULATION AND TESTING OF A CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION
- 24 RESPONSE TO A CARDIAC EMERGENCY.
- 25 (D) SIMULATION AND TESTING OF AN AUTOMATED EXTERNAL
- 26 DEFIBRILLATOR RESPONSE TO A CARDIAC EMERGENCY, IF AVAILABLE.
- 27 (E) EVALUATION OF THE RESPONSE AND OF ADHERENCE TO THE

1 SCHOOL'S CARDIAC EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN.