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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to school district communication with
3	first responders; creating s. 1006.121, F.S.;
4	requiring certain district school boards to develop
5	and execute specified interlocal agreements with
6	certain law enforcement agencies, local fire
7	departments, and local emergency medical services
8	organizations for specified purposes; requiring the
9	State Board of Education to establish rules; providing
10	an effective date.
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12	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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14	Section 1. Section 1006.121, Florida Statutes, is created
15	to read:
16	1006.121 School district communication with first
17	responders
18	(1) The district school board of any school district that
19	has local law enforcement officers on school grounds pursuant to
20	s. 1006.12 must develop and execute an interlocal agreement with
21	the local sheriff's office or other local law enforcement
22	agency, the local fire department, and the local emergency
23	medical services organization to create, at a minimum, all of
24	the following:
25	(a) Protocols to connect the school district to the
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26	appropriate dispatch centers pursuant to s. 365.179.
27	(b) Protocols for proper communication between law
28	enforcement agencies, the local fire department, and the local
29	emergency medical services organization and the school district.
30	(c) Protocols to share resources relating to mental health
31	services.
32	(d) Protocols and requirements for joint recurrent
33	training of local law enforcement officers assigned to a school
34	and the law enforcement agency, the local fire department, and
35	the local emergency medical services organization.
36	(e) Protocols and requirements for interoperable
37	communication between the school district and the law
38	enforcement agency, the local fire department, and the local
39	emergency medical services organization.
40	(2) The State Board of Education, in consultation with the
41	State Fire Marshal and the Department of Law Enforcement, shall
42	adopt rules to administer this section.
43	Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2020.
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