

SENATE PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL 147

54TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2019

Pursuant to House Rule 24-1, this document incorporates amendments that have been adopted prior to consideration of this measure by the House. It is a tool to show the amendments in context and is not to be used for the purpose of amendments.

AN ACT

RELATING TO SCHOOL SAFETY; ESTABLISHING NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR
SCHOOL EVACUATION AND ACTIVE SHOOTER DRILLS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. Section 22-13-14 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1967,
Chapter 16, Section 188, as amended) is amended to read:

"22-13-14. EMERGENCY DRILLS--REQUIREMENT.--

A. An emergency drill shall be conducted in each
public and private school of the state at least once each week
during the first four weeks of the school year. [~~and at least~~

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~~once each month thereafter until the end of the school year.
Two drills during the year shall be shelter-in-place drills and
one shall be an evacuation drill, as directed by the
department. The remainder of the drills shall be fire drills.]~~

During the first four weeks of the school year, each school
shall conduct one HEC→shelter in place drill that includes
preparation to respond to an←HEC active shooter HEC→drill←HEC,
one evacuation drill and two fire drills. During the rest of
the school year, each school shall conduct at least four more
emergency drills, at least two of which shall be fire drills.
It shall be the responsibility of the person in charge of a
school to carry out the provisions of this section.

B. In locations where a fire department is
maintained, a member of the fire department shall be requested
to be in attendance during the emergency drills for the purpose
of giving instruction and constructive criticism.

C. The department shall determine penalties for any
person failing to meet the provisions of this section."

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