

**HB0515/203925/1**

BY: Ways and Means Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 515  
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, after “**Drills**” insert “or Trainings”; in line 4, after “education” insert “or a designated federal or national research entity”; in the same line, after “and” insert “psychological”; in line 5, after “drills” insert “or trainings”; strike beginning with “requiring” in line 6 down through “drills;” in line 8; in line 8, after “requiring” insert “the Center to identify best practices for active shooter safety drills or trainings by a certain date and periodically thereafter; authorizing”; in lines 9, 11, and 16, in each instance, after “drills” insert “or trainings”; in line 10, after “systems;” insert “requiring the Department to annually review the best practices identified by the Center regarding active shooter safety drills and update the drills and trainings incorporated into the annual schedule of drills;”; in line 13, strike “Department” and substitute “Center”; in line 14, after “regarding” insert “the State’s laws on”; and in line 24, strike “, 7–1507(a) and (b),”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, in line 6, strike “AND”; in line 7, after “EDUCATION” insert “OR A DESIGNATED FEDERAL OR NATIONAL RESEARCH ENTITY”; in line 8, after “AND” insert “PSYCHOLOGICAL”; in the same line, after “DRILLS” insert “OR TRAININGS”; in line 10, strike “§ 7–1509(E)(7)” and substitute “§ 7–1509(F)”; in line 10, after “SUBTITLE” insert “; AND”

**(23) ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2023, IDENTIFY BEST PRACTICES FOR ACTIVE SHOOTER SAFETY DRILLS OR TRAININGS, AND PERIODICALLY UPDATING THOSE IDENTIFICATIONS USING THE DATA COLLECTED FROM LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEMS IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 7–1509(F) OF THIS SUBTITLE**.

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On pages 4 and 5, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 11 on page 4 through line 21 on page 5, inclusive.

On page 5, in line 23, strike “The” and substitute “**(1) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE**”; in line 23, strike the brackets; in the same line, strike “SHALL”; in line 26, strike “(1)” and substitute “**(I)**”; in line 28, strike “(2)” and substitute “**(II)**”; after line 29, insert:

**“(2) ITEMS INCORPORATED INTO THE ANNUAL SCHEDULE OF DRILLS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION MAY TAKE THE FORM OF A TRAINING RATHER THAN A DRILL.”**;

and in line 30, after “Drills” insert “**OR TRAININGS**”.

On page 6, after line 4, insert:

**“(C) BEFORE THE 2024–2025 SCHOOL YEAR, AND BEFORE EACH SCHOOL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL REVIEW THE BEST PRACTICES FOR ACTIVE SHOOTER SAFETY DRILLS OR TRAININGS IDENTIFIED BY THE CENTER IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 7–1502(G) OF THIS SUBTITLE AND UPDATE ANY DRILLS AND TRAININGS THAT HAVE BEEN INCORPORATED INTO THE ANNUAL SCHEDULE OF DRILLS UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION TO REFLECT THOSE BEST PRACTICES.”**;

in lines 5, 10, 23, 24, and 27, in each instance, after “DRILL” insert “**OR TRAINING**”; in lines 5, 12, and 16, strike “(C)”, “(D)”, and “(E)”, respectively, and substitute “**(D)**”, “**(E)**”, and “**(F)**”, respectively; in line 22, strike “DATE AND TIME OF THE DRILLS” and substitute “**MONTH IN WHICH THE DRILLS OR TRAININGS WILL OCCUR**”; and in lines 6, 20, and 25, in each instance, after “DRILLS” insert “**OR TRAININGS**”.

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On page 7, in lines 2, 4, and 10, in each instance, after “**DRILL**” insert “**OR TRAINING**”; in line 11, after “**AND**” insert “**PSYCHOLOGICAL**”; in line 12, after “**DRILLS**” insert “**OR TRAININGS**”; in lines 15, 18, and 20, in each instance, strike “**DEPARTMENT**” and substitute “**CENTER**”; in line 17, strike “**AND BEST PRACTICES FOR SAFE FIREARM STORAGE**”; and strike beginning with “**CENTER**” in line 20 down through “**GROUPS**” in line 22 and substitute “**DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE**”.