

HB0014/503825/1

BY: Ways and Means Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 14
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 5, after “information,” insert “requiring each county board of education to report information about groups with certain characteristics under certain circumstances;”; and in line 6, strike “of education”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 4, in line 10, strike “Each” and substitute “SUBJECT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SUBSECTION, EACH”; after line 13, insert:

“(3) A COUNTY BOARD SHALL INCLUDE IN ITS REPORT INCIDENTS OF BULLYING, HARASSMENT, OR INTIMIDATION THAT, AFTER A THOROUGH AND IMPARTIAL INVESTIGATION, ARE DETERMINED TO HAVE BEEN MOTIVATED IN WHOLE OR IN SUBSTANTIAL PART BY PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (A)(2)(I)1 OF THIS SECTION OF MEMBERS OF A PARTICULAR GROUP, IF:

(I) THERE HAS BEEN A SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN INCIDENTS OF BULLYING, HARASSMENT, OR INTIMIDATION FOR STUDENTS IN THAT GROUP OVER THE PREVIOUS SCHOOL YEAR; OR

(II) THERE IS A DISPROPORTIONATE INCIDENT RATE OF BULLYING, HARASSMENT, OR INTIMIDATION FOR STUDENTS IN THAT GROUP.”;

in line 14, strike “ON” and substitute “(1) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, ON”; strike beginning with “INFORMATION” in line 15 down through

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“CHARACTERISTIC” in line 20 and substitute “INFORMATION DESCRIBED UNDER SUBSECTION (E)(3) OF THIS SECTION”; and after line 20, insert:

“(2) A COUNTY BOARD MAY NOT PUBLISH ANY INFORMATION THAT COULD BE USED TO IDENTIFY AN INDIVIDUAL STUDENT.”