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JUSE COMMITTEE REPC

Date Referred to Committee: April 29, 1999

FURTHER REFERRALS:

Date of Committee Action: 5/6/99

The HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES Committee considered:

CSSB 125(CRA)

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 125(CRA)

SCHOOL SAFETY PLAN

"An Act relating to school crisis response planning."

recommends it be replaced

with the following committee substitute

HCS CSSB 125 (HES)

the same title

a new title

additional referral to _____ Committee

attached amendment(s)

ADOPTS: _____ Letter of Intent

ATTACHES NEW FISCAL NOTE(s): _____ (Dept)

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Health, Education, and Social Services Committee
Alaska State Legislature
House of Representatives

MEMORANDUM

May 4, 1999

To: House HESS Committee Members
From: Wes Keller, House HESS Committee Aide
RE: CSSB 125 School Crisis Response Planning

Assuming we don't want to waste time or duplicate our efforts:

We need a motion to move CSSB 125 (CRA) (1-LS0774\H) out of Committee with attached zero fiscal note and the amendments to make it identical to CSHB 165 (HES) (1-LS0506\K) which we passed out of the House HESS Committee on 4/27/99.

Both of the bills mentioned in the proposed motion are attached.

To refresh your memory look at highlighted items on page two of CSHB 165 (HES).

It was passed out with six signatures (DP).

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Dear Lyman:

Thank you for sponsoring a bill related to student and school safety. We in education need all the help we can get in protecting our students from dangers beyond our control. Any measure of prevention far outweighs the consequences of an attack on students and/or employees.

HMS Wolves
Eben Hopson, Sr.,
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Here is a copy of a page from our Crisis Management Plan Book. We believe it to be very informative and useful in preparing our principals and employees for unforeseen emergencies.

Arctic Foxes
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The Crisis Management Book costs about \$200 per copy and it is also available on a CD-ROM that allows schools to customize their plans.

Kaveolook Rams
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I have used this material since 1995 and highly recommend that a copy be placed in the hands of each school principal in the state. I have included the name and address of the company providing the Crisis Management Plan Book and CD.

Nuiqsut Trappers
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If I can be of additional assistance on this matter, please give me a call.

Tikiqaa Harpooners
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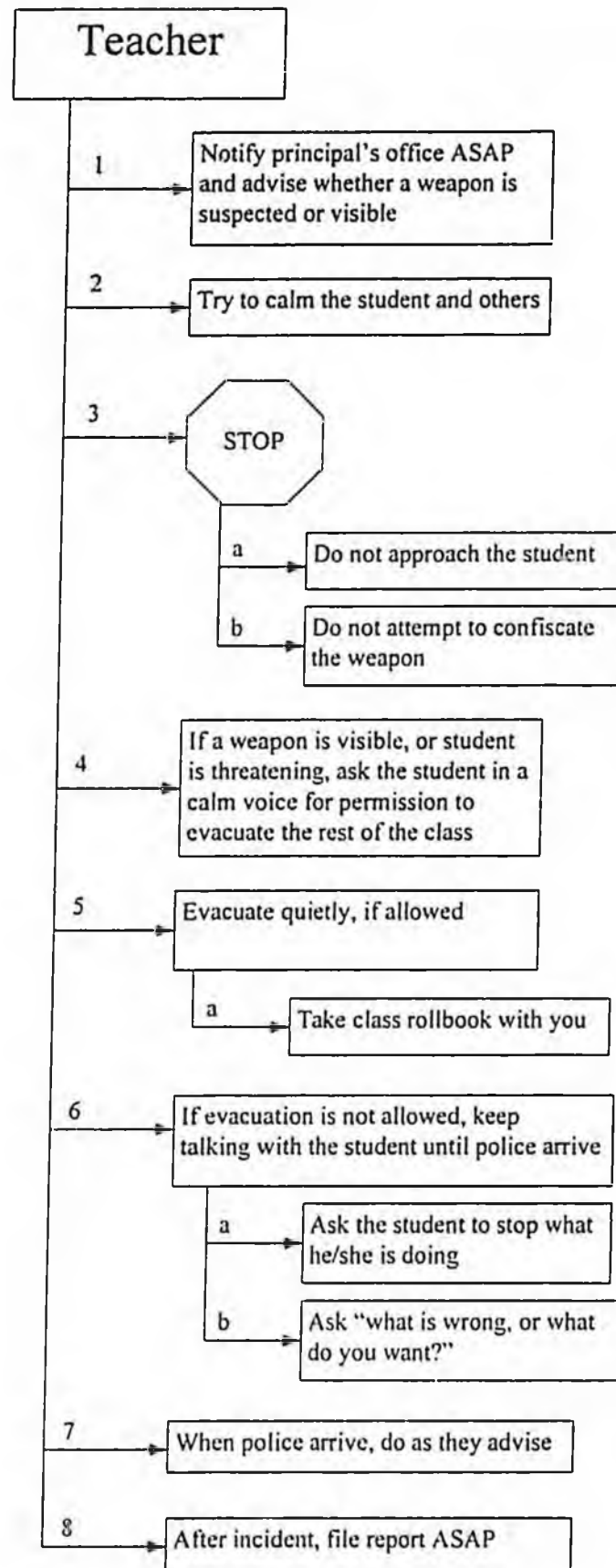
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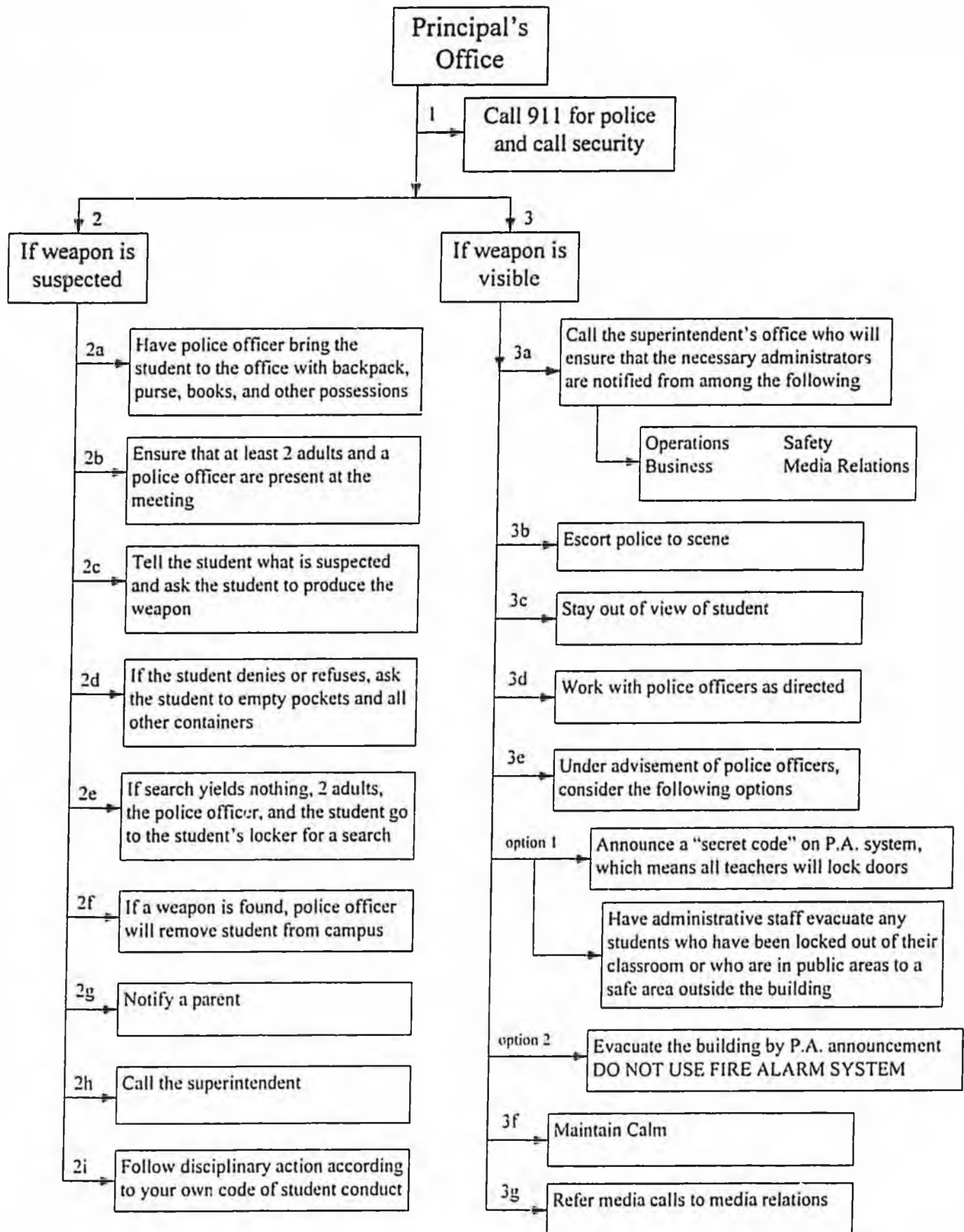
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Armed Student or Hostage



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- Squaw Harbor
- Togalak
- Tuntutullak
- Twin Hills
- Ugashik
- Unalaska
- Unga

To: Representative Fred Dyson Co-Chair
 Representative John Coghill Co-Chair
 House Hess Committee

From: Senator Lyman F. Hoffman *LH.*

Re: Hearing request: CSSB 125 (CRA)- "An Act relating to School
 Crisis Response Planning"

Date: April 30, 1999

Mr. Chairman,

I would respectfully request a hearing for the above-mentioned bill in your House Hess Committee.

As I'm sure you remember back in 1997 when gun fire exploded in the halls of the Bethel Regional High School ending the lives of Principal Ron Edwards and Student Josh Palacios. In the days following the crisis there was a lot of confusion regarding who was in charge and what should we have done.

Senate Bill 125 would require that each school district to develop a school specific response plan to assure communities that if a similar event occurs a crisis response plan will be in place and we are prepared to respond to the situation.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and, should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your earliest convenience.

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Senate Bill 125 School Crisis Response Planning

Sponsor Statement

In February of 1997, gunfire exploded in the hallways of the Bethel Regional High School ending the lives of principal Ron Edwards and student Josh Palacios.

The actions that took place immediately following this tragedy still haunt the residents of Bethel with questions such as, should we have..? And Why didn't we..?, or Who should we turn to..? These are the questions we hope can be addressed.

I sincerely hope that no other school or community will experience this type of trauma and the pain that accompanies it. If, however, a crisis, which affects the life, health, and emotional well being of students, does happen, schools must be prepared to respond. Some schools in Alaska have planned for such crises, others have not. SB 125 would make sure that every school has a crisis response plan.

SB 125 adds a new section to the educational statutes requiring each school to develop a site specific crisis response plan.

- 1) The Dept. of Education would provide the standards.
- 2) Each School District would develop a template for use by their schools.
- 3) Each school would then put into place their site specific crisis response team.

SB 125 has had valuable input from numerous individuals and organizations involved in school safety issues. It became obvious early on that the scope of this bill was very broad and can involve a variety of school safety issues. SB 125 targets one critical component: It asks each school to engage in the forethought and planning to be prepared to meet the needs of students in times of tragedy and crisis.

It is our intent to keep this a crisis response bill, and to work on many of the other school safety issues in future legislation.

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Chignik Lagoon
Chignik Lake
Clark's Point
Cold Bay
Dillingham
Dutch Harbor
Eek
Egegik
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Ekwok
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Goodnews Bay
Igluigig
Iliamna
Ivanof Bay
Kasigluk
King Cove
King Salmon
Kipnuk
Kokhanok
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Koliganek
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Nelson Lagoon
New Stuyahok
Newhalen
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Nondalton
Nunapitcheuk
Oscarville
Pedro Bay
Perryville
Pilot Point
Platinum
Port Alsworth
Port Heiden
Port Moller
Portage Creek
Quinhagak
Saint George Island
Saint Paul Island
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Tuntutuliak
Twin Hills
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FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO. SB125

Revision Date: _____ Dept Affected: Military & Veterans Affairs
 Title: An Act relating to school crisis response BRU: Disaster Planning & Control
planning. Component: Disaster Planning & Control
 Sponsor: Senator Hoffman
 Requestor: (S) HES Component Serial No. #1808

Expenditures/Revenues (Inflation not included unless otherwise noted below) (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY2000	FY2001	FY2002	FY2003	FY2004	FY2005
PERSONAL SERVICES						
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LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
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TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CHANGE IN REVENUES (fund code)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY99) cost: \$ none

POSITIONS

FULL-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

ANALYSIS:

(Attach a separate page if necessary)

While not specifically tasked in the proposed bill, it is implied that the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs/Division of Emergency Services, as the State's primary agency dealing with natural disasters, would be tasked or requested to provide planning and training assistance to the Department of Education and school districts. This assistance would be provided as part of the regular duties of the Division of Emergency Services.

Prepared by: Jim Butchart, Plans and Preparedness Manager Phone: 907) 428-7000
 Division: Emergency Services Date: 13-Apr-99
 Approved by Commissioner: Waco Adams for General Oates Date: 4-14-99
 Agency: Military & Veterans Affairs

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The attached House CS for CSSB 125 simply makes the changes the House HESS Committee made to HB 165.

A motion to pass this CS for CSSB 125 out of Committee, with attached zero fiscal note, will make an exact copy of CSHB 165(HES) passed out of our Committee on 4/27/99.

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HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 125(HES)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

**Offered:
Referred:**

Sponsor(s): SENATORS HOFFMAN, Mackie, Lincoln, Elton, Phillips, Tim Kelly, Ellis, Wilken

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 **"An Act relating to school crisis response planning."**

2 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

3 *** Section 1. AS 14.33 is amended by adding a new section to read:**

4 **Article 2. Required School Crisis Response Planning.**

5 **Sec. 14.33.100. Required school crisis response planning.** (a) Each district
6 shall develop a model school crisis response plan for use by each school in the district.
7 Each school in a district shall develop a school specific crisis response plan. Each
8 school shall form a crisis response team consisting of the principal, one certified and
9 one classified member of the school staff, and one parent whose child attends the
10 school. The crisis response team may include one member of the governing board or
11 advisory school board, a school counselor, a member from local law enforcement
12 authorities, and one student in grade 10 or higher if the school has those grades. The
13 district and each school within the district shall consult with local social services
14 agencies and local law enforcement authorities when developing the school crisis
15 response plan.

1 (b) A school specific crisis response plan must meet standards as determined
2 by the department by regulation. A school specific crisis response plan must include

3 (1) the person in charge and a designated substitute;
4 (2) the names of the crisis response team members and their specific
5 job functions relating to a crisis;

6 (3) a communication plan;
7 (4) protocols for responding to immediate physical harm of students,
8 faculty, or staff and to traumatic events, including the period after the events have
9 concluded;

10 (5) disaster and emergency procedures to respond to earthquakes, fire,
11 flood, explosions, or other events or conditions in which death or serious injury is
12 likely;

13 (6) crisis procedures for safe entrance to and exit from the school by
14 students, parents, and employees, including an evacuation and lock down plan; and

15 (7) crisis policies for enforcing school discipline and maintaining a safe
16 and orderly environment during the crisis.

17 (c) Each district shall annually review and update as appropriate each school's
18 crisis response plan. A copy of each school's crisis response plan, as annually updated,
19 shall be retained by the district and a copy provided to each local agency that has a
20 role in the plan. Notice of completion of the annual review and update and the
21 location of a school's crisis response plan shall be posted at each school in the district.
22 A school crisis response plan shall be printed and available for inspection by the
23 public.

24 (d) Each district shall annually provide to each district employee training in
25 crisis response, including evacuation and lock down drills.

26 (e) In this section,

27 (1) "crisis" includes a traumatic event or emergency condition that
28 creates distress, hardship, fear, or grief;

29 (2) "district" has the meaning given in AS 14.17.990.

30 * Sec. 2. TRANSITION. A city or borough school district or regional educational
31 attendance area shall complete the initial model school crisis response plan required by

1 AS 14.33.100, added by sec. 1 of this Act, on or before July 1, 2000. A school in a city or
2 borough school district or regional educational attendance area shall complete the initial school
3 specific crisis response plan required by AS 14.33.100, added by sec. 1 of this Act, on or
4 before December 31, 2000.

FISCAL NOT

No. 1

STATE OF ALASKA
1999 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BI Bill Version: SB125

(S) Publish Date: 4-21-99

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