

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**Action Item**

November 20, 2024

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-1.0018, School Safety Requirements and Monitoring

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**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

For Approval

**AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Sections 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1001.11(9), 1001.212(10), F.S.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The amendments to Rule 6A-1.0018, F.A.C., will set forth procedures utilized by the Office of Safe Schools to monitor school districts and public schools for compliance with requirements relating to school safety, for completion of required reporting, and for completion of required training.

Specifically, this amendment requires districts to make available a training for parents and guardians of students on FortifyFL, including the consequences for making a threat or false report, prior to the start of each school year. Additional changes will require that the school safety specialist or designee provide the copy of the Florida School Safety Compliance Inspection Report to the school administrator, whether the principal or charter school administrator. The final change is an update to the name of one of the online Federal Emergency Management Agency Independent Study courses required for newly appointed school safety specialists.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Proposed Rule 6A-1.0018, F.A.C.

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