



# State of Tennessee

## PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 717

SENATE BILL NO. 2073

By Haile, Bowling, Finney

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2217

By Weaver, Dunn, Harry Brooks, Dawn White, Moody, Kane

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8; Title 10 and Title 49, relative to school safety plans.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 10-7-504, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (p):

(p) Information, records, and plans that are related to school security, the district-wide school safety plans or the building-level school safety plans shall not be open to public inspection. Nothing in this part shall be interpreted to prevent school administrators of an LEA from discussing or distributing information to parents or legal guardians of children attending the school regarding procedures for contacting or obtaining a child following a natural disaster.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-804, is amended by designating the existing language as subsection (a) and by adding the following language:

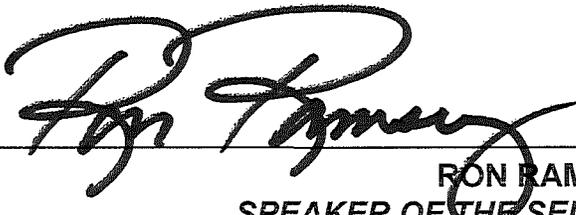
(b) Any meeting concerning school security, the district-wide school safety plans or the building-level school safety plans shall not be subject to the open meetings laws compiled in title 8, chapter 44. Though closed to the general public, reasonable notice shall be provided to the general public prior to such a meeting. The board shall not discuss or deliberate on any other issues or subjects during such a meeting.

(c) Each LEA shall provide to the local law enforcement agency with jurisdiction the LEA's plans regarding school security, district-wide school safety plans and building-level school safety plans, as well as information, records, and plans that are related to school security.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: March 31, 2014

  
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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2014

  
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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR