

AMENDMENT TO
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Page 5, line 9, strike “and”.

Page 5, line 18, strike the closed quote and second period.

Page 5, after line 18, insert the following:

1 “(12) ensure that each elementary school and
2 secondary school served by the local educational
3 agency is prepared to address a school security
4 emergency, including through the use of panic
5 alarms (as defined in section 8549E).”.

Page 13, after line 21, insert the following:

6 **SEC. 106. SCHOOL SECURITY.**

7 Title VIII of the Elementary and Secondary Edu-
8 cation Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7901 et seq.) is further
9 amended by inserting after section 8549D, as redesi-
10 gnated by section 105(1), the following:

11 **“SEC. 8549E. SCHOOL SECURITY.**

12 “(a) IN GENERAL.—As a condition of receipt of
13 funds under this Act, each local educational agency shall

1 ensure that each elementary school and secondary school
2 served by such local educational agency is equipped with
3 at least one panic alarm for use in a school security emer-
4 gency (including a non-fire evacuation, lockdown, or active
5 shooter situation).

6 “(b) PANIC ALARM DEFINED.—For purposes of this
7 section and section 1112(c)(12), the term ‘panic alarm’
8 means a silent security system signal generated by the
9 manual activation of a device intended to signal a life-
10 threatening or emergency situation requiring a response
11 from law enforcement.”.

