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History and Final Disposition

LD 405 / SP0186

Original Title: An Act to Prevent False Reporting Leading to Evacuation, Shutdown or Lockdown. New Title: An Act Regarding False Public Alarms or Reports and Aggravated False Public Alarms or Reports. Presented by Senator CARNEY of Cumberland. Referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety. Public Hearing 03/06/23. Majority (OTP-AM) Report Accepted 06/12/23. Amended by: CA (Changed Title) S-220. Final Disposition: Enacted, Signed 07/26/23, PUBLIC LAW, Chapter 430.

Original Bill

[LD 405 \(131st Legis. 2023\)](#)

Analyst Summary of Enacted Law

[LD 405 / PL 2023, c. 430](#)

Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety

- (Master file available on request—please include citation: cf131-LD-0405.pdf)

[Public Hearing \(Audio File\) \(CJPS\) \(03/06/2023\)](#)

[Work Session \(Audio File\) \(CJPS\) \(03/15/2023\)](#)

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(S-220\) \(LD 405 2023\) \(Passed\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, February 2, 2023 \(H-81-92\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 2, 2023 \(S-100-118\)](#)

p. S-110

[SENATE, June 08, 2023 \(S-996-1030\)](#)

p. S-1021 (Amendment(s) S-220)

[HOUSE, June 12, 2023 \(H-702-761\)](#)

p. H-714 (Amendment(s) S-220)

[HOUSE, June 13, 2023 \(H-762-819\)](#)

p. H-766 (Amendment(s) S-220)

[SENATE, June 13, 2023 \(S-1097-1153\)](#)

p. S-1138 (Amendment(s) S-220)

[SENATE, July 25, 2023 \(S-1531-1592\)](#)

p. S-1557 (Amendment(s) S-220)

Enacted Law or Resolve

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News Articles

Let's show students that we take school, gun safety seriously (Margo Dennis) (Portland Press Herald, 3/2/2023, p. A4) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD04xx/nc131-LD-0405/PPH 230302B.pdf)

School threats may spur harsher penalties (Randy Billings) (Portland Press Herald, 3/7/2023, p. A1, A6) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD04xx/nc131-LD-0405/PPH 230307B.pdf)

Fake school shooting reports have real impact (Editorial) (Bangor Daily News, 3/15/2023, p. A8) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD04xx/nc131-LD-0405/BDN 230314D.pdf)

Lawmakers support tougher penalties for fake threats that trigger lockdowns (Randy Billings) (Portland Press Herald, 3/16/2023, p. B1, B3) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 131/LD04xx/nc131-LD-0405/PPH 230316D.pdf)

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