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Section 1.

State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A bill for an act

Statutes 2017 Supplement, section 124E.03, subdivision 2; proposing coding for

relating to education; requiring child safety curriculum; amending Minnesota

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1.4	new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 121A.
1.5	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:
1.6	Section 1. [121A.24] CHILD SAFETY CURRICULUM.
1.7	(a) A charter school or school district must adopt and provide age-appropriate child
1.8	safety curriculum for its students in kindergarten through grade 12. The school or school
1.9	district must collaborate with local law enforcement or independent self-defense experts to
1.10	deliver the curriculum using videos and role-play demonstrations. The topics addressed in
1.11	the curriculum must include, at a minimum:
1.12	(1) stranger danger;
1.13	(2) nonstranger danger, such as family, relatives, neighbors, and others;
1.14	(3) use of the body to protect oneself;
1.15	(4) use of assertiveness and confidence to prevent an attack or abduction;
1.16	(5) good touch and not okay touch;
1.17	(6) internal body warning signs and gut instinct;
1.18	(7) external warning signs, such as being aware of one's surroundings and body for fight
1.19	or flight mode;
1.20	(8) use of code words only known between the parent or guardian and child; and
1.21	(9) how to obtain law enforcement assistance.

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