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# SENATE BILL No. 200

Proposed Changes to January 27, 2026 printing by AM020010

## DIGEST OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Youth organizations. Removes a change regarding the number of times each school year that a school must, upon request, provide a day and time for certain youth organizations to provide information to students.

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 20-26-5-4.1 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 2 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2026]: **Sec. 4.1. (a) This section applies to a**
- 4 **vendor contract entered into, amended, or renewed after June 30,**
- 5 **2026.**
- 6 **(b) As used in this section, "choice of law provision" means a**
- 7 **term within a vendor contract that subjects the vendor contract to**
- 8 **the laws of a state other than Indiana.**
- 9 **(c) As used in this section, "indemnity provision" means a**
- 10 **provision, a clause, a covenant, or an agreement that:**
- 11 **(1) is contained in, collateral to, or affecting a vendor**
- 12 **contract; and**
- 13 **(2) purports to indemnify, defend, or hold harmless, or has**
- 14 **the effect of indemnifying, defending, or holding harmless, a**
- 15 **vendor against liability for loss or damage resulting from:**
- 16 **(A) negligence;**
- 17 **(B) intentional acts; or<**
- 18 **> (C) omissions;**
- 19 **of the vendor or an agent, employee, servant, or independent**

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1 contractor that is directly responsible to the vendor.  
 2 (d) As used in this section, "vendor contract" means a contract  
 3 between a governing body of a school corporation, including a  
 4 charter school (as defined in IC 20-24-1-4), and a vendor in which  
 5 the vendor promises to provide goods or services.  
 6 (e) Notwithstanding any other law, an indemnity provision in  
 7 a vendor contract under this section is:  
 8 (1) against public policy; and  
 9 (2) void and unenforceable.  
 10 (f) Notwithstanding any other law, a choice of law provision in  
 11 a vendor contract under this section is:  
 12 (1) against public policy; and  
 13 (2) void and unenforceable.  
 14 A vendor contract is only subject to the laws of the state of Indiana.  
 15 SECTION 2. IC 20-26-20-4, AS ADDED BY P.L.86-2020,  
 16 SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
 17 JULY 1, 2026]: Sec. 4. (a) Upon request by an organization under  
 18 section 3 of this chapter, a public school shall provide at least ~~one~~  
 19 ~~(1) time~~ ~~<two (2) times>~~ each school year, a day and time, which  
 20 may be during the school day or at a time where a majority of  
 21 students and their families will be present on school property, as  
 22 approved by the public school, for the representatives of the  
 23 organization to provide information to students on school property as  
 24 described in section 3 of this chapter.  
 25 (b) An organization may submit a grievance to the  
 26 department, in a manner prescribed by the department, if a public  
 27 school refuses to allow an organization to provide information to  
 28 students on school property as required by subsection (a).

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