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Action/Discussion Item: Second reading for recommended changes to KSBA Policy 02.31.

Applicable Statutes or Regulations: BOE Policy 0.11 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education.

Background and major Policy Implications: Policy 02.31 is part of the KSBA update. Additional recommended during the June board meeting for this policy have been added in red font and italicized.

Fiscal Budgetary Impact: none

Alternatives: None proposed.

Recommended Action: To consider the second reading.

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Superintendent


Director

LEGAL SB 1 DEFINES SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS (SROs) AND MANDATES THAT SUCH OFFICERS MUST COMPLETE FORTY (40) HOURS OF ANNUAL IN-SERVICE TRAINING. THIS POLICY IS FOR DISTRICTS THAT CONTRACT WITH A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY TO PROVIDE SROs. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: COST OF SALARY, BENEFITS AND INSURANCE, DAILY COMPENSATION WHILE SRO ATTENDS TRAINING

ADMINISTRATION

02.31

School Resource Officers (SROs)

DEFINITION

"School resource officer" or "SRO" means an officer who has specialized training to work with youth at a school site and is:

(a) 1. A sworn law enforcement officer; or

2. A special law enforcement officer appointed pursuant to KRS 61.902; and

(b) Employed:

1. Through a contract between a local law enforcement agency and a school district;

2. Through a contract as secondary employment for an officer, as defined in KRS 16.010, between the Department of Kentucky State Police and a school district; or

3. Directly by a local Board of Education.

TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

Effective January 1, 2020, all School Resource Officers (SROs) shall successfully complete forty (40) hours of annual in-service training that has been certified or recognized by the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council for SROs. Any SRO who fails to successfully complete training requirements within the specified time periods, including approved extensions, shall lose his/her SRO certification and shall no longer work in a school. The cost of the training will be paid for by the Board of Education.

The SRO shall be easily identified in the school setting by wearing uniforms while on duty.

SUPERINTENDENT TO REPORT

No later than November 1 of each year, the Superintendent shall report to the Center for School Safety the number and placement of SROs in the District. The report shall include the source of funding and method of employment for each position.

References:

KRS 158.441

KRS 61.902

New Section of KRS 441

RELATED POLICY:

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