

**REVISED PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 388.1327.

A REGULATION relating to education; establishing the process whereby school districts may apply for a grant of money from the Bullying Prevention Account; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law creates the Bullying Prevention Account and requires the State Board of Education to adopt regulations establishing a process whereby school districts may apply for a grant of money from the Account. (NRS 388.1325, 388.1327) This regulation establishes a process to allow a school district to apply for funding to carry out statutory provisions relating to the provision of a safe and respectful learning environment in public schools in this State.

Section 1. Chapter 388 of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

1. At least one time each calendar quarter, the Director of the Office for a Safe and Respectful Learning Environment shall determine the amount of money available in the Bullying Prevention Account created by NRS 388.1325, as amended by section 8 of Senate Bill No. 504, chapter 115, Statutes of Nevada 2015, at page 413. If the amount available in the Account is greater than \$1,000, the Director must provide notice to each school district that the school district may apply for a grant from the Account. Such notice must set forth the required information to be included in the application, including, without limitation, the requirements set forth in subsection 2.

2. To be eligible to receive a grant, a school district that applies for a grant must include in the application the manner in which the applicant will measure the effectiveness of the programs for which the money will be used.

3. If the amount of money a school district seeks through an application is less than \$10,000, the Director must evaluate each application submitted pursuant to subsection 1 and determine which applications to approve.

4. If the amount of money a school district seeks through an application is \$10,000 or more, the Director must:

(a) Evaluate each application submitted pursuant to subsection 1; and

(b) Submit a recommendation regarding whether to approve each application to the State Board of Education.

5. As soon as practicable after the Director submits his or her recommendations pursuant to subsection 4, the State Board of Education shall:

(a) Consider each application and determine which applications to approve; and

(b) Inform the Director of each school district for which a grant is approved.