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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3275

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 3275 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Interscholastic Athletic Organization Act
5 is amended by adding Section 1.12 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 25/1.12 new)

7 Sec. 1.12. Mandatory certification in CPR, first aid, and
8 use of an AED. An association or other entity that has as one
9 of its purposes promoting, sponsoring, regulating, or in any
10 manner providing for interscholastic athletics or any form of
11 athletic competition among schools and students within this
12 State shall require all paid school head coaches or chief
13 sponsors of the activity to obtain and maintain certification
14 in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), first aid, and the use
15 of an automatic external defibrillator (AED). Certification in
16 CPR and AED use shall be consistent with national,

1 evidence-based, emergency cardiovascular care guidelines.

2 Section 10. The School Safety Drill Act is amended by
3 changing Section 60 as follows:

4 (105 ILCS 128/60)

5 Sec. 60. Cardiac emergency response plan.

6 (a) A school district and a private school shall develop a
7 cardiac emergency response plan (CERP) in place in accordance
8 with guidelines set forth by either the American Heart
9 Association, Project ADAM, or other nationally recognized,
10 evidence-based standards that addresses the appropriate
11 response to incidents involving an individual experiencing
12 sudden cardiac arrest or a similar life-threatening emergency
13 while at a school or at a school-sponsored activity or event.
14 The plan must be distributed to all teachers, administrators,
15 school support personnel, coaches, and other school staff
16 identified by school administrators at each school.

17 (b) A cardiac emergency response plan shall include, but
18 is not limited to, the following:

19 (1) Procedures to follow in the event of a cardiac
20 emergency while on school premises ~~at a school~~.

21 (2) A listing of every automated external
22 defibrillator (AED) that is present. Each automated
23 external defibrillator shall be ~~and~~ clearly marked,
24 maintained as recommended by the manufacturer, and ~~or~~

1 easily accessible at school athletic venues and events and
2 at school ~~and the maintenance schedule for the automated~~
3 ~~external defibrillator.~~ The automated external
4 defibrillators shall be installed in accordance with the
5 Physical Fitness Facility Medical Emergency Preparedness
6 Act, guidelines from the American Heart Association, or
7 other nationally recognized guidelines focused on
8 emergency cardiovascular care.

9 (3) Training on symptoms and warning signs of sudden
10 cardiac arrest, ~~information on~~ hands-only cardiopulmonary
11 resuscitation, and use of automated external
12 defibrillators to teachers, administrators, coaches,
13 assistant coaches, and other school staff identified by
14 school administrators, in accordance with Section 3 of the
15 Critical Health Problems and Comprehensive Health
16 Education Act.

17 (4) Establishing a cardiac emergency response team
18 that is trained in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and the
19 use of an AED consistent with national evidence-based,
20 emergency cardiovascular care guidelines.

21 (5) The use of annual cardiac response drills to
22 practice the steps established in the cardiac emergency
23 response plan, in partnership with local emergency medical
24 services. Cardiac response drills may be conducted without
25 student participation.

26 (Source: P.A. 103-608, eff. 1-1-25.)"