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Short Title: School Building Vulnerability Assessments.

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Sponsors:

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT DIRECTING THE CENTER FOR SAFER SCHOOLS TO DEVELOP A FACILITY
3 VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT TOOL AND DIRECTING LOCAL SCHOOL
4 ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS TO COMPLETE A FACILITY VULNERABILITY
5 ASSESSMENT FOR EACH SCHOOL BUILDING ANNUALLY.
6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
7 SECTION 1. Article 8C of Chapter 115C of the General Statutes is amended by
8 adding a new section to read:
9 "§ 115C-105.52A. Facility vulnerability assessments.
10 (a) At least once annually, each local school administrative unit shall require each school
11 under its control to complete a facility vulnerability assessment for each school building.
12 (b) The Center for Safer Schools, in collaboration with the Department of Public
13 Instruction, Division of Safe and Healthy Schools Support, shall develop a facility vulnerability
14 assessment tool. This tool shall be used by local school administrative units when completing a
15 facility vulnerability assessment."
16 SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law. The Center for Safer Schools
17 and the Department of Public Instruction, Division of Safe and Healthy Schools Support shall
18 develop the facility vulnerability assessment tool by January 15, 2019. Each local school
19 administrative unit shall require each school under its control to complete a facility vulnerability
20 assessment for each school building before the end of the 2018-2019 school year and annually
21 thereafter.

