



H. B. No. 497

130th G.A.

SCHOOL SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM – ROUND 2

The foregoing appropriation item C230V9, School Security Grants, shall be used by the School Facilities Commission to provide funding to all public and chartered nonpublic schools for the purchase and installation of one Multi-Agency Radio Communications System (MARCS) unit per school building and a security door system, consisting of a security camera, an intercom, and remote access, at one main entrance per school building. If law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction over all or a portion of the geographical area of a public or chartered nonpublic school do not use MARCS, a public or chartered nonpublic school may purchase one emergency communications system compatible with the system or systems in use by law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction over the school territory. A public or chartered nonpublic school may apply to the School Facilities Commission for reimbursement up to \$2,000 for one MARCS unit or other emergency communications system per school building and up to \$5,000 for costs incurred with the purchase of a security door system installed on or after January 1, 2013. A public or chartered nonpublic school may receive reimbursement for either a MARCS unit or another emergency communications system, but not both. A school previously awarded funds for one of the grant items under this program may not receive a second award for that same grant item.

Signed by Governor: June 17, 2014
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