

HB 1400 -- School Law Enforcement Officers

Sponsor: Dusenbery

This bill allows school boards to commission certified law enforcement officers who will have authority to stop, detain, and arrest persons for local violations and certain crimes committed on school premises, at school activities, or on school buses. Sexual offenses or felonies involving either the threat of or the use of force remain under the local jurisdiction where the crime occurred. Officers will consult with and coordinate activities through the school superintendent.