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HOUSE FILE 2595
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring law enforcement agencies to provide information
2 about persons possessing, delivering, or possessing with
3 intent to deliver, controlled substances near a school.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 124.511 DISSEMINATION OF
2 INFORMATION BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY.

3 A law enforcement agency shall provide information to a
4 public or nonpublic elementary or secondary school regarding a
5 person who unlawfully possesses, delivers, or possesses with
6 intent to deliver, a controlled substance, in, on, or within
7 one thousand feet of a school within the agency's
8 jurisdiction. The information provided shall include, but is
9 not limited to, the person's name and a physical description
10 of the person. A law enforcement agency shall provide to any
11 person upon request the same information provided to a school
12 under this section. Information shall only be provided to a
13 school or person pursuant to this section if the law
14 enforcement agency is not prohibited from doing so by any
15 other provision of law.

16 EXPLANATION

17 This bill requires a law enforcement agency to provide
18 information regarding a person who unlawfully possesses,
19 delivers, or possesses with intent to deliver, a controlled
20 substance within 1,000 feet of a public or nonpublic
21 elementary or secondary school. The bill provides that the
22 information provided shall include, but is not limited to, the
23 person's name and a physical description of the person. The
24 bill also provides that upon request a law enforcement agency
25 shall provide the same information to a member of the general
26 public.

27 The bill provides that information shall only be provided
28 to a school or a member of the general public if the law
29 enforcement agency is not prohibited from doing so by any
30 other provision of law.

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