OFFICE OF THE SOLANO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Series 3000 – BUSINESS AND NONINSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

Policy 3516.2

Bomb Threats

General Information

Solano County Office of Education (SCOE) will take all necessary measures to keep students, staff, and visitors safe in the event of a disaster.

Any person who maliciously informs any other person that a bomb or other explosive has been or will be placed or secreted in any public or private place, knowing that the information is false, is guilty of a crime punishable by imprisonment in a county jail not to exceed one year, or pursuant to subdivision (h) of Section 1170.

The County Superintendent or designee shall develop a Bomb Threat Annex plan which details the procedures each site must follow.

Due to the tactical nature of the information in the Bomb Threat Annex it is not to be included in the detail of site safety plans per Education Code 32281(f)(1). The Bomb Threat Annex will be made available only to SCOE employees and emergency responders.

Receiving Threats

Any staff member receiving a telephoned bomb threat shall follow the procedures outlined in the Bomb Threat Annex.

Staff members who customarily receive telephone calls or handle packages shall receive training related to bomb threats.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

32281 School Safety Plans

PENAL CODE

148.1 False report of explosive or facsimile bomb

1170 Initial Sentencing

Policy Cross-Reference:

3516 Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan

5144.1 Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process