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Sponsor(s): Senators Haugen, McAuliffe, Finkbeiner, Rasmussen, Hochstatter, Stevens, Eide, Kohl-Welles, Keiser and Oke

Brief Description: Requiring notification policies regarding threats at schools.

**SB 6351 - DIGEST**

(SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Requires each school district board of directors to adopt policies requiring that school district officials notify: (1) The parent of a student when the student's name appears on a targeted list that threatens violence or harm to the student on the list or when threats of violence or harm are made by another student; and (2) A school employee whose name appears on a targeted list that threatens violence or harm to the school employee on the list or when threats of violence or harm are made regarding the school employee.

Provides that a person who intentionally and in bad faith or maliciously, knowingly makes a false notification of a threat under this section is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable under RCW 9A.20.021.