

Bill #102
Education Act (amended)

CHANGES RECOMMENDED TO THE
LAW AMENDMENTS COMMITTEE

PAGE 1 - add the following Clause:

1 The Preamble to Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1995-96, the *Education Act*, as amended by Chapter 14 of the Acts of 2012, is further amended by striking out “—including bullying and cyberbullying—” in the sixth and seventh lines of the fifth paragraph and substituting “, bullying and cyberbullying”.

PAGE 1 - add the following after Clause 3:

4 Clause 141(ja) of Chapter 1 is repealed and the following clause substituted:

(ja) establish a Provincial school code of conduct policy with respect to promoting school and student safety that includes

(i) a Provincial school code of conduct that includes provisions requiring support for enforcement by school board members of the school board’s code of conduct and by school administrators of the school’s code of conduct,

(ii) provisions requiring that school code of conduct policies and school codes of conduct identify inappropriate behaviour, including bullying and cyberbullying,

(iii) provisions requiring that school code of conduct policies and school codes of conduct identify consequences for inappropriate behaviour, including bullying and cyberbullying, and

(iv) provisions requiring, where a school board is satisfied there has been an instance of cyberbullying by a person, that the school board immediately notify the person’s Internet or cellular telephone service provider that one of the service provider’s accounts has been used inappropriately;

PAGE 1 - add the following after Clause 4:

5 The Governor in Council shall direct the Minister of Education, the Minister of Justice and any other members of the Executive Council that the Governor in Council considers appropriate to enter into negotiations with the Government of Canada with the purpose of making changes to the *Criminal Code* (Canada) with regard to addressing inappropriate behaviour and bullying by electronic means, including Internet and cellular telephone use.

RENUMBER CLAUSES ACCORDINGLY