

By Senator Storms

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1                   A bill to be entitled  
2           An act relating to grade K through 12 schools;  
3           requiring that locker rooms in K-12 schools be locked  
4           when not in use by students or other authorized  
5           persons and be directly supervised by faculty or staff  
6           when in use by students; providing fines for  
7           violations; providing for the use of any fines that  
8           are collected; providing an effective date.

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10   Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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12           Section 1. Each locker room within any school attended by  
13 students in grades K through 12 must be:

14           (1) Locked when the locker room is not in use by students  
15 or other authorized persons; and

16           (2) Under direct supervision by an adult member of the  
17 faculty or staff of the school during any time the locker room  
18 is in use by students.

19           Section 2. A school that is found to be in violation of  
20 this act three times shall be fined \$1,000 for the third and  
21 each subsequent violation by the Department of Education. Fines  
22 collected pursuant to this act shall be transferred to the local  
23 educational foundation in the county where the school is  
24 located. If that county does not have an educational foundation,  
25 the fines shall be transferred to the Consortium of Florida  
26 Education Foundations. The fines shall be used for anti-bullying  
27 measures.

28           Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.