

**FOR CONSIDERATION By** the Committee on Military Affairs, Space,  
and Domestic Security

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1 A bill to be entitled

2 An act relating to emergency public shelters; creating  
3 s. 252.353, F.S.; requiring the Division of Emergency  
4 Management to submit a report to the Governor and  
5 Legislature on compliance by school districts with  
6 public shelter requirements for educational  
7 facilities; requiring that the division create and  
8 administer a registry of newly constructed public  
9 shelters; requiring each county emergency management  
10 office to submit an annual report to the division on  
11 newly constructed educational facilities; providing an  
12 effective date.

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

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16 Section 1. Section 252.353, Florida Statutes, is created to  
17 read:

18 252.353 Emergency management; public shelters.-

19 (1) On January 31, 2012, and each year thereafter, the  
20 division shall prepare and submit to the Governor, the President  
21 of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives a  
22 report on newly constructed educational facilities in the state  
23 and on the compliance by school districts with the  
24 infrastructure standards for public shelters developed pursuant  
25 to s. 1013.372(1). The report must provide, at a minimum:

26 (a) A listing by county of the number of educational  
27 facilities that were constructed during the reporting year and  
28 that met or failed to meet the infrastructure standards for  
29 public shelters developed pursuant to s. 1013.372(1).

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30       (b) The composition of general population shelters and  
31 special needs shelters that were constructed for those  
32 educational facilities and that met the infrastructure standards  
33 for public shelters during the reporting year.

34       (c) An explanation of the waiver process for each newly  
35 constructed educational facility that was granted a waiver from  
36 the infrastructure standards for public shelters during the  
37 reporting year, including an explanation of the circumstances  
38 that warranted a waiver.

39       (d) Information on school district facilities that were  
40 retrofitted during the reporting year in order to meet the  
41 infrastructure standards for public shelters.

42       (2) The division shall create and administer a registry  
43 that is accessible from the division's website and that contains  
44 information on school districts' compliance with the  
45 infrastructure standards for public shelters developed pursuant  
46 to s. 1013.372(1). The registry shall be available on the  
47 website by January 31, 2012, and must include data beginning  
48 with January 1, 2011.

49       (3) By November 30, 2012, and each year thereafter, each  
50 county emergency management office shall prepare and submit a  
51 report to the division on educational facilities within the  
52 county which addresses the reporting requirements in subsection  
53 (1).

54       Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2011.