

# MODESTO CITY SCHOOLS

## Board Policy

BP 3516.2

### BUSINESS & NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

#### Bomb Threats

Upon receipt of a telephone call or information from any source concerning a bomb threat at a school or other District site, the principal, supervisor or person receiving the information, shall immediately notify authorities by telephoning the 911 emergency number, then follow established Administrative Regulation.

#### Legal References:

##### EDUCATION CODE

*44810 Willful interference with classroom conduct*

*48900 Grounds for suspension or expulsion*

*49390-49395 Homicide threats*

*51202 Instruction in personal and public health and safety*

##### PENAL CODE

*148.1 False report of explosive or facsimile bomb*

*17 Felony, misdemeanor, classification of offenses*

*245 Assault with deadly weapon*

##### UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 6

*665K Federal Clearinghouse on School Safety Evidence-Based Practices*

#### Management Resources:

##### U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY PUBLICATION

*Bomb Threat Guidance*

*Bomb Threat Checklist*

##### WEBSITES

*California State Threat Assessment System: <https://calstas.org/>*

*CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services: <https://legalservices.csba.org/>*

*California Department of Education, Safe Schools: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/ss/>*

*U.S. Department of Homeland Security: <https://www.dhs.gov/>*

*CSBA: <https://www.csba.org/>*

#### Cross References (cf.):

*0450 – Comprehensive Safety Plan*

*1112 – Media Relations*

*1313 – Civility*

*3515 – Campus Security*

*3515.3 – District Police/Security Department*

*3515.31 – School Resource Officers (N/A)*

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*Cross References (cf.) (cont.):*

*3516 – Emergencies And Disaster Preparedness Plan*

*3516.1 – Fire Drills and Fires (N/A)*

*3516.5 – Emergency Schedules (N/A)*

*4040 – Employee Use Of Technology*

*4118/4218 – Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action*

*4131/4231 – Staff Development*

*5131 – Conduct*

*5131.7 – Weapons And Dangerous Instruments*

*5144.1 – Suspension And Expulsion/Due Process*

*6164.2 – Guidance/Counseling Services*

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