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AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to outside play areas

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The education law is amended by adding a new section 319 to read as follows:

S 319. OUTSIDE PLAY AREA AND STUDENT TO ADULT RATIOS. THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO PROMULGATE RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF GUIDELINES BY WHICH STUDENT TO ADULT RATIOS IN OUTSIDE PLAY AREAS ON SCHOOL GROUNDS AND OTHER PROPERTY OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT ARE TO BE DETERMINED. EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE COMMISSIONER'S REGULATIONS, ADOPT A STUDENT TO ADULT RATIO, ESTABLISHING THE NUMBER OF ADULTS TO STUDENTS REQUIRED TO BE IN ATTENDANCE ACTING IN A SUPERVISORY CAPACITY AT SUCH OUTSIDE PLAY AREAS.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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