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**State Board of Education Statement on  
House Bills 5409-5416**

The State Board of Education (SBE) reiterates its support for House Bills 5409-5416, which codify the Board's 2006 policy limiting the use of restraint and seclusion in schools as a last resort only in emergency situations, and directs the Legislature to the [SBE statement of May 10, 2016](#).

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