

## SENATE BILL No. 425

---

### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 35-46-9.

**Synopsis:** Prohibit alcohol on school property. Makes it a Class B misdemeanor for a person to knowingly or intentionally possess an alcoholic beverage on school property or on a school bus.

**Effective:** July 1, 2011.

---

---

### Skinner

---

---

January 12, 2011, read first time and referred to Committee on Corrections, Criminal, and Civil Matters.

---

---

C  
o  
p  
y



First Regular Session 117th General Assembly (2011)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2010 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

C  
o  
p  
y

## SENATE BILL No. 425



A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 35-46-9 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS  
2 A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY  
3 1, 2011]:

4 **Chapter 9. Possession of Alcoholic Beverages on School**  
5 **Property and School Buses**

6 **Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "alcoholic beverage" has the**  
7 **meaning set forth in IC 7.1-1-3-5.**

8 **Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "nonpublic school" has the**  
9 **meaning set forth in IC 20-18-2-12.**

10 **Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "public school" has the meaning**  
11 **set forth in IC 20-18-2-15(1).**

12 **Sec. 4. As used in this chapter, "school" means a public school**  
13 **or nonpublic school containing students in any grade from**  
14 **kindergarten through grade 12.**

15 **Sec. 5. A person who knowingly or intentionally possesses an**  
16 **alcoholic beverage:**

17 **(1) in or on school property; or**



1           **(2) on a school bus;**  
2           **commits possession of an alcoholic beverage on school property, a**  
3           **Class B misdemeanor.**

**C  
o  
p  
y**

