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Legislative Update: Jan. 25, 2016



Three reports presented to School Safety committee

Last week, we sent out a Legislative Update on Friday's meeting of the legislative committee on School Safety and Youth in Crisis. We inadvertently referenced only one of the three reports presented to the committee on the tragic shooting at Arapahoe High School in 2013. None of the three reports found any criminal wrongdoing by the school district or any of its staff, but we think all three reports are necessary to understand fully the circumstances and events that led up to that tragic day.

We apologize for not referencing all three reports in our initial update. Links to all three reports are available on the <u>Littleton Public</u> Schools website.

As we said in last week's Legislative Update, we anticipate more legislation on this topic. It remains a goal for CASB to correct the legislative actions of last spring, which singled out school districts as the only Colorado governmental bodies that will not have the protection of governmental immunity if similar tragic events like this occur in the future. Please give Jane Urschel or Matt Cook a call if you have any questions, 303-832-1000.

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