Pursuant to Act 44 of 2018, the Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General (OAG) is establishing the “Safe2Say Something” school safety anonymous tip program. This program will be live, accepting tips, and forwarding tips to the appropriate school entity on January 14, 2019. A solid partnership between OAG and education professionals like you will be critical to ensuring the success of this program.

There will be a significant amount of information to share about the system, trainings, and policies in the coming weeks and months. It is vital that every school district, private and nonpublic school submit its administrative contact to “Safe2Say Something” by September 14, 2018.

Let us be clear that this administrative contact is going to be used in the beginning phases of the program for the purposes of disseminating information and serving as the contact that will be responsible for uploading additional contacts (as deemed appropriate by the school district) as the program launch nears. When this time comes, there will be no limit to the number of individuals receiving tips and who receives what information will be customizable.

Act 44 requires that school administrators appoint a School Safety and Security Coordinator no later than August 31, 2018. It is our recommendation that this coordinator be the administrator for the “Safe2Say Something” system as well. We suggest an analogous position for private schools, parochial schools, charter schools, intermediary units, and technical schools if not required to have a School Safety and Security Coordinator.

Please upload your administrative contact by September 14, 2018, by going to www.attorneygeneral.gov/s2scontact and filling in the required fields. This domain is to be used only for the purposes of uploading the administrative contacts, will not be the website for the program, and will not ever be the mechanism to submit tips to “Safe2Say Something.”

We look forward to working with you as we seek to facilitate the sharing of information and protect the students, parents, and education professionals in Pennsylvania.

Sincerely,
Safe2Say Something Team