

## ROSENSTEIN, FIST & RINGOLD

## **RED BANNER UPDATE**

**Date:** June 3, 2024

**Re:** SB 0175

**Signed:** May 23, 2024

**Effective:** July 1, 2024

**Topic:** Evan's Law

Summary: This bill amends existing law (70 O.S. § 24-100.7) regarding suicide awareness

training. The revised statutory language specifies that a district shall provide suicide awareness and prevention training to all staff members in their first year of employment with the district, and then <u>no less than</u> once every fifth academic

year.

Legal counsel at the firm is currently reviewing this legislation and will be advising clients as to any recommended changes to existing district policies.