	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION	Blue Bill # SBP 07		
the			Referred to Committee: Senate 1	
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School: Clay County Elementary School		House	Senate	
City: Manchester		Passed Defeated	Passed Defeated	

1	An act to require schools in Kentucky that do not have Guidance Counselors to implement a peer mediation
2	program.
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4	Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky
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6	Section 1: A peer mediation group is a program where students of the same age-group
7	facilitate disputes between two individuals of small groups.
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9	Section 2: Peer mediators do not "make decisions or enforce discipline" but help each side avoid further
10	problems.
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12	Section 3: Types of problems that may benefit from peer mediation are: social media problems, relationship
13	difficulties, gossip and rumors, and minor bullying incidents. More serious problems may require an
14	administrator, such as: assault, drug use, bullying, sexual abuse, suicide, weapon possession, and others
15	that involve legal issues.
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17	Section 4: The cost will be minimum, less than \$100.00 per school.
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19 Section 5: Upon passage, this bill will become law in May 2014.