

MEDIA STATEMENT

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NNDSB statement about PowerSchool breach

Near North District School Board is issuing this statement regarding the PowerSchool breach.

Statement:

The Information and Privacy Commissioner of Ontario has issued its final report in response to a cyberattack against PowerSchool, Near North District School Board's third-party student information system provider.

We have reviewed the IPC's conclusions and recommendations and will take them to heart and make changes where necessary. We appreciate that the IPC confirmed that our notification efforts after the incident were proper.

We take seriously the IPC's conclusions regarding our responsibility for ensuring that our technology vendors are sufficiently secure. To that end, since the incident, PowerSchool has committed to appropriately strengthening its security measures, and we will ensure this takes place.

We also agree with the Commissioner's encouragement that all school boards work together to ensure that common vendors are secure, and we look forward to working with our colleagues across the province to achieve this goal.

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