

Sec. 13. Section 321.375, unnumbered paragraph 2, Code 1989, is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Use of nonprescription controlled substances or alcoholic beverages during working hours, operating a school bus while under the influence of nonprescription controlled substances or alcoholic beverages, fraud in the procurement or renewal of a school bus driver's permit, the commission of or conviction for a public offense as defined by the Iowa criminal code, if the offense is relevant to and affects driving ability, or sexual involvement with a minor student with the intent to commit or the commission of acts and practices proscribed under sections 709.2 through 709.4, section 709.8, and sections 725.1 through 725.3 shall constitute grounds for the driver's immediate suspension from duties, pending a termination hearing by the board.

Sec. 14. 1987 Iowa Acts, chapter 207, section 3, is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 3. The state board of education shall study options for the coordination of school calendars and schedules for purposes of facilitating the use of educational telecommunications systems and services and shall report the results of its study, together with any recommendations to the general assembly not later than ~~January 15, 1989~~ January 1, 1990. The state board shall consult with areas of the state utilizing educational telecommunications systems and services in developing its recommendations.

Sec. 15. 1988 Iowa Acts, chapter 1266, section 5, is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 5. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION STUDIES.

1. The department of education is directed to develop recommendations concerning incentives that might be used to encourage experienced teachers in elementary and secondary schools to serve as cooperating teachers for student teachers enrolled in approved teacher education programs.

The recommendations shall be submitted to the general assembly not later than ~~February 1, 1989~~ June 30, 1990.

2. The department of education is directed to develop recommendations for the establishment of programs that provide for interaction between faculty members in colleges and departments of education at approved teacher education institutions and teachers and students at the elementary and secondary schools.

The recommendations shall be submitted to the general assembly not later than ~~February 1, 1989~~ June 30, 1990.

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CHAPTER 211

LICENSE REVOCATION FOR OWI CONVICTION

H.F. 782

AN ACT relating to the revocation of a motor vehicle license or nonresident operating privilege as the result of a conviction for certain vehicular homicide offenses.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 707.6A, subsection 1, paragraph a, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

a. Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or a drug or a combination of such substances or while having an alcohol concentration of .10 or more, in violation of section 321J.2. Upon a plea or verdict of guilty of a violation of this paragraph, the court shall order the state department of transportation to revoke the defendant's motor vehicle license

or nonresident operating privileges for a period of six years. The defendant shall surrender to the court any Iowa license or permit and the court shall forward it to the department with a copy of the revocation order.

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CHAPTER 212

JUDGE AND MAGISTRATE APPLICATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

H.F. 791

AN ACT relating to the application process for judges and magistrates and the decertification of a magistrate prior to commencement of the magistrate's term and providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 46.14, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

46.14 NOMINATION.

Each judicial nominating commission shall carefully consider the individuals available for judge, and within sixty days after receiving notice of a vacancy shall certify to the governor and the chief justice the proper number of nominees, in alphabetical order. Such nominees shall be chosen by the affirmative vote of a majority of the full statutory number of commissioners upon the basis of their qualifications and without regard to political affiliation. Nominees shall be members of the bar of Iowa, shall be residents of the state or district of the court to which they are nominated, and shall be of such age that they will be able to serve an initial and one regular term of office to which they are nominated before reaching the age of seventy-two years. Nominees for district judge shall file a certified application form, to be provided by the supreme court, with the chairperson of the district judicial nominating commission. No person shall be eligible for nomination by a commission as judge during the term for which the person was elected or appointed to that commission. Absence of a commissioner or vacancy upon the commission shall not invalidate a nomination. The chairperson of the commission shall promptly certify the names of the nominees, in alphabetical order, to the governor and the chief justice.

Sec. 2. Section 602.6305, subsection 2, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

2. A person does not qualify for appointment to the office of district associate judge unless the person is at the time of application a resident of the county in which the vacancy exists, and unless the person is licensed to practice law in Iowa, and unless the person will be able, measured by the person's age at the time of appointment, to complete the initial term of office plus a four-year term of office prior to reaching age seventy-two. An applicant for district associate judge shall file a certified application form, to be provided by the supreme court, with the chairperson of the county magistrate appointing commission.

Sec. 3. Section 602.6403, subsection 2, Code 1989, is amended to read as follows:

2. The magistrate appointing commission for each county shall prescribe the contents of an application, in addition to any application form provided by the supreme court, for an appointment pursuant to this section. The commission shall publicize notice of any vacancy to be filled in at least two publications in the official county newspaper. The commission shall accept applications for a minimum of fifteen days prior to making an appointment, and shall make available during that period of time any printed application forms the commission prescribes.

Sec. 4. Section 602.6403, Code 1989, is amended by adding the following new subsection: