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SENATE FILE 2236

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*motion to reconsider (p. 781) w/d 3/26*

## A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the authority of the Iowa law enforcement  
2 academy director and the law enforcement academy council  
3 to establish standards of professional conduct and to  
4 enforce the standards and requirements.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

SENATE FILE 2236

S-5260

1 Amend Senate File 2236 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by inserting after line 35 the  
3 following:

4 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ . Section 80B.13, Code 1983, is amended  
5 by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:  
6 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Nothing in this chapter  
7 grants to the director of the academy, or to the  
8 council, or to both, the authority to require  
9 continuing education of law enforcement officers."

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BY C. JOSEPH COLEMAN

MARCH 6, 1984

*Adopted 3/12 (p. 766)*

SENATE FILE 2236

S-5329

1 Amend Senate File 2236 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking line 26 and inserting in  
3 lieu thereof the following: "of the employing agency,  
4 the council and the affected law enforcement officer,  
5 or as ordered by a reviewing court."  
6 2. Page 1, by inserting after line 26 the  
7 following:  
8 "The council shall establish a process for the  
9 protest and appeal of a revocation or suspension made  
10 pursuant to this subsection."

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BY TOM MANN JR.

MARCH 9, 1984

*Adopted 3/12 (p. 766)*

1 Section 1. Section 80B.11, Code 1983, is amended by adding  
2 the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 6. Grounds for revocation or suspension  
4 of a law enforcement officer's certification.

5 Sec. 2. Section 80B.13, subsection 3, Code 1983, is amended  
6 by striking the subsection and inserting in lieu thereof the  
7 following:

8 3. Issue certificates to law enforcement officers who  
9 have met the requirements of this chapter and rules promulgated  
10 under provisions of chapter 17A relative to hiring and training  
11 standards.

12 Sec. 3. Section 80B.13, Code 1983, is amended by adding  
13 the following new subsections:

14 NEW SUBSECTION. 8. Revoke a law enforcement officer's  
15 certification for the conviction of a felony. In addition  
16 the council may consider revocation or suspension proceedings  
17 when an employing agency recommends to the council that  
18 revocation or suspension would be appropriate with regard  
19 to a current or former employee.

20 A recommendation by an employing agency must be in writing  
21 and set forth the reasons why the action is being recommended,  
22 the findings of the employing agency concerning the matter,  
23 the action taken by the employing agency and whether the  
24 action by the agency is final. The written recommendations  
25 shall be unavailable for inspection by anyone except personnel  
26 of the employing agency and the council.

27 NEW SUBSECTION. 9. In accordance with chapter 17A, conduct  
28 investigations, hold hearings, appoint hearing examiners,  
29 administer oaths and issue subpoenas enforceable in district  
30 court on matters relating to the suspension or revocation  
31 of a law enforcement officer's certification.

32 NEW SUBSECTION. 10. Secure the assistance of the state  
33 division of criminal investigation in the investigation of  
34 alleged violations of the provisions adopted under section  
35 80B.11.

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EXPLANATION

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2 This bill requires the director of the law enforcement  
3 academy, in accordance with chapter 17A and the approval of  
4 the academy council, to promulgate standards of professional  
5 conduct for law enforcement officers. The bill also allows  
6 the council to issue formal reprimands or revoke or suspend  
7 a law enforcement officer's accreditation or authority for  
8 violation of the professional standards, and to conduct  
9 investigations, hold hearings, appoint hearing examiners,  
10 administer oaths, and issue subpoenas relating to the  
11 revocation, suspension, or reprimand of an officer. This  
12 bill takes effect July 1 following enactment.

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