

TRANSPORTATION: Hall, Chair; A. Miller and Goodwin

SENATE FILE 442

BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

FORMERLY SSB 311

Approved 3-14-85 (p. 711)

FILED MAR 14 1985

Passed Senate, Date 3-28-85 (p. 1093) Passed House, Date _____

Vote: Ayes 41 Nays 7 Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____

Approved _____

Motion to reconsider (p. 1119) w/d 4/8

A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring school bus drivers to be at least eighteen
2 years of age.

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

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SF 442

1 Section 1. Section 321.375, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code
2 1985, is amended to read as follows:

3 The drivers of school buses must:--(1) be at least eighteen
4 years of age, ~~unless such person has successfully completed an~~
5 ~~approved driver education course, in which case the minimum~~
6 ~~age shall be sixteen years, (2) be physically and mentally~~
7 competent, (3) not possess personal or moral habits which
8 would be detrimental to the best interests of the safety and
9 welfare of the children transported, (4) have an annual
10 physical examination and meet all established requirements for
11 physical fitness.

12 Sec. 2. Section 321.376, unnumbered paragraph 2, Code
13 1985, is amended by striking the paragraph.

14 EXPLANATION

15 This bill requires that drivers of school buses be at least
16 eighteen years of age. The bill also eliminates the special
17 chauffeur's license issued to persons sixteen or seventeen
18 years of age to operate a school bus.

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SENATE FILE 442

1 Amend Senate File 442 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, line 11, by inserting after the word
3 "fitness." the following: "However, the minimum age
4 for a driver of a school bus for a nonpublic school is
5 sixteen years if the driver has successfully completed
6 an approved driver education course."

7 2. Page 1, by striking lines 12 and 13 and
8 inserting the following:

9 "Sec. ____ . Section 321.376, unnumbered paragraph
10 2, Code 1985, is amended to read as follows:

11 Notwithstanding the provision of subsection 2 of
12 section 321.177, the department is hereby authorized
13 to issue a special chauffeur's license to a person
14 sixteen or seventeen years of age, if such the person
15 has successfully completed an approved driver
16 education course, to operate a school bus for a
17 nonpublic school on request of local-school-board-and
18 recommendation-of-the-state-superintendent-of-public
19 instruction the authorities in charge of the nonpublic
20 school.

21 3. Title page, line 1, by inserting after the
22 word "requiring" the word "public".

4. Renumber as necessary.

S-3529 Filed March 27, 1985

By VANDE HOEF

Adopted 3/28 (p. 1093)

S-3471

SENATE FILE 442

1 Amend Senate File 442 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 7 through 9 and
3 inserting the following: "competent, (3)--not-possess
4 personal-or-moral-habits-which-would-be-detrimental-to
5 the-best-interests-of-safety-and-welfare-of-the
6 children-transported not have a conviction under a law
7 of any state of a crime involving mistreatment of a
8 child or violence against a person, not have a record
9 of founded child sexual abuse or a record of multiple
10 incidents of any other type of founded child abuse,
11 (4) have an annual".

S-3471 Filed March 25, 1985

By DOYLE

Adopted 3/28 (p. 1093)

Education: Varn, Chair: Maulsby and Running.

SENATE FILE 442

BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(AS AMENDED AND PASSED BY THE SENATE MARCH 28, 1985)

Passed Senate, Date _____ Passed House, Date _____

Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____

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_____ = New Language
by the Senate

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17 driver has successfully completed an approved driver education
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27 recommendation of the state superintendent of public
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EDUCATION: Murphy, Chair; Colton and Lind

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SENATE FILE

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EDUCATION BILL)

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