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SENATE FILE 526

BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring successful completion of a course relating to
2 education of the handicapped and gifted and talented before
3 issuance of any certificate, endorsement, or approval by
4 the department of public instruction.

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

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SF 526

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 257.31 SPECIFIC CRITERIA FOR
2 TEACHER PREPARATION AND CERTAIN EDUCATORS.

3 Pursuant to section 257.10, subsection 11, the department
4 shall adopt rules requiring:

5 1. All approved teacher training institutions to include
6 in the approved curriculum a survey course concerning
7 education of the handicapped and the gifted and talented,
8 which must be successfully completed before graduation from
9 the teacher training program.

10 2. A person initially applying for a certificate,
11 endorsement, or approval shall successfully complete a course
12 containing the subject matter specified in subsection 1,
13 before the initial action by the department takes place.

14 EXPLANATION

15 This bill requires the department of public instruction to
16 adopt rules requiring all approved teacher training
17 institutions to include a course relating to the education of
18 the handicapped and gifted and talented, which must be
19 successfully completed before graduation from the teacher
20 training program.

21 A person who applies for initial certification,
22 endorsement, or approval from the department of public
23 instruction is required to successfully complete the course.

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H-3718

1 Amend Senate File 526 as passed by the Senate as
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, by striking line 6 and inserting the
4 following: "in the professional education program,
5 preparation that contributes to".

6 2. Page 1, line 11, by striking the words "a
7 course" and inserting the following: "a professional
8 education program".

9 3. Title page, line 1, by striking the words "a
10 course" and inserting the following: "a professional
11 education program".

H-3718 FILED APRIL 10, 1985 BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(Adopted 4/15/85 (p. 1541))

S-3782

SENATE FILE 526
HOUSE AMENDMENT

1 Amend Senate File 526 as passed by the Senate as
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, by striking line 6 and inserting the
4 following: "in the professional education program,
5 preparation that contributes to".

6 2. Page 1, line 11, by striking the words "a
7 course" and inserting the following: "a professional
8 education program".

9 3. Title page, line 1, by striking the words "a
10 course" and inserting the following: "a professional
11 education program".

S-3782 Filed April 17, 1985

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Senate concurred 4/24/85 (p. 1617)

EDUCATION: Grattias, Chair; Wells and Hannon

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SENATE FILE 526

BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION BILL)

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Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring successful completion of a course relating to
2 handicapping conditions before issuance or renewal of any
3 certificate, endorsement, or approval by the department of
4 public instruction.

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

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 257.31 SPECIFIC CRITERIA FOR
2 TEACHER PREPARATION AND CERTAIN EDUCATORS.

3 Pursuant to section 257.10, subsection 11, the department
4 shall adopt rules requiring:

5 1. All approved teacher training institutions to include
6 in the approved curriculum a survey course concerning
7 education of the handicapped, which must be successfully
8 completed before graduation from the teacher training program.
9 The course shall include, but not be limited to, the
10 following:

11 a. Characteristics and identification techniques regarding
12 specific handicapping conditions.

13 b. Information regarding educational programs and services
14 for those whose handicapping condition interferes with normal
15 learning.

16 c. Information regarding relevant federal and state
17 statutes and regulations relating to education of the
18 handicapped.

19 2. A person initially applying for or applying for renewal
20 of any certificate, endorsement, or approval who will have
21 contact with children at least on a periodic basis in an
22 approved school, to successfully complete a course containing
23 the subject matter specified in subsection 1, before the
24 initial action takes place or renewal is granted by the
25 department.

26 3. A person applying for approval to teach or be employed
27 in any educational or administrative capacity who will have
28 contact with children at least on a periodic basis in an
29 approved school, to have successfully completed a course
30 containing the subject matter specified in subsection 1 before
31 a certificate, endorsement, or approval is issued.

32 EXPLANATION

33 This bill requires the department of public instruction to
34 adopt rules requiring all approved teacher training
35 institutions to include a course relating to the education of

1 the handicapped, which must be successfully completed before
2 graduation from the teacher training program.

3 A person who applies for initial certification,
4 endorsement, or approval from the department of public
5 instruction, or from renewal, is required to successfully
6 complete the course concerning the education of the
7 handicapped.

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SENATE FILE 526

AN ACT

REQUIRING SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF A PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM RELATING TO EDUCATION OF THE HANDICAPPED AND GIFTED AND TALENTED BEFORE ISSUANCE OF ANY CERTIFICATE, ENDORSEMENT, OR APPROVAL BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

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

Section 1. NEW SECTION. 257.31 SPECIFIC CRITERIA FOR TEACHER PREPARATION AND CERTAIN EDUCATORS.

Pursuant to section 257.10, subsection 11, the department shall adopt rules requiring:

1. All approved teacher training institutions to include in the professional education program, preparation that contributes to education of the handicapped and the gifted and talented, which must be successfully completed before graduation from the teacher training program.

2. A person initially applying for a certificate, endorsement, or approval shall successfully complete a professional education program containing the subject matter

ROBERT T. ANDERSON
President of the Senate

DONALD D. AVENSON
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 526, Seventy-first General Assembly.

K. MARIE THAYER
Secretary of the Senate

Approved May 14, 1985

TERRY E. HRANSTAD
Governor

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