

Senate File 131 - Introduced

SENATE FILE 131
BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 1054)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to information the board of educational
2 examiners is required to review regarding applicants for
3 license renewal.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 272.2, subsection 17, Code 2015, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 17. Adopt rules to require that a background investigation
4 be conducted by the division of criminal investigation of the
5 department of public safety on all initial applicants for
6 licensure. The board shall also require all initial applicants
7 to submit a completed fingerprint packet and shall use the
8 packet to facilitate a national criminal history background
9 check. The board shall have access to, and shall review
10 the sex offender registry information under section 692A.121
11 available to the general public, information in the Iowa court
12 information system available to the general public, the central
13 registry for child abuse information established under chapter
14 235A, and the dependent adult abuse records maintained under
15 chapter 235B for information regarding applicants for license
16 renewal.

17 EXPLANATION

18 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
19 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

20 This bill adds, to the information the board of educational
21 examiners is required to review regarding applicants for
22 license renewal, information in the Iowa court information
23 system available to the general public.