

Senate File 2136

H-8122

1 Amend Senate File 2136, as passed by the Senate, as
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, after line 11 by inserting:

4 <Sec. _____. Section 139A.8, subsection 4, Code 2016,
5 is amended to read as follows:

6 4. a. Immunization is not required for a person's
7 enrollment in any elementary or secondary school or
8 licensed child care center if either of the following
9 applies:

10 (1) The applicant, or if the applicant is a minor,
11 the applicant's parent or legal guardian, submits
12 to the admitting official a statement signed by a
13 physician, advanced registered nurse practitioner,
14 or physician assistant who is licensed by the board
15 of medicine, board of nursing, or board of physician
16 assistants that the immunizations required would be
17 injurious to the health and well-being of the applicant
18 or any member of the applicant's family.

19 (2) The applicant, or if the applicant is a minor,
20 the applicant's parent or legal guardian, submits an
21 affidavit signed by the applicant, or if the applicant
22 is a minor, the applicant's parent or legal guardian,
23 stating that the immunization conflicts with the tenets
24 and practices of a recognized religious denomination of
25 which the applicant is an adherent or member.

26 b. In addition to the exemptions provided in
27 paragraph "a", if the immunization is against
28 meningococcal disease as required pursuant to
29 subsection 2, paragraph "e", the immunization is not
30 required for a person's enrollment in any elementary
31 or secondary school or licensed child care center
32 if the applicant, or if the applicant is a minor,
33 the applicant's parent or legal guardian, submits an
34 affidavit signed by the applicant, or if the applicant
35 is a minor, the applicant's parent or legal guardian,

1 stating that the applicant opposes the immunization on
2 the basis of personal conviction.

3 ~~b.~~ c. The exemptions under [this subsection](#) do not
4 apply in times of emergency or epidemic as determined
5 by the state board of health and as declared by the
6 director of public health.>

7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

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