

House File 2337 - Enrolled

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AN ACT

RELATING TO FRAUDULENT PRACTICES INVOLVING ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS  
OR PROFESSIONAL OR OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES, AND MAKING  
PENALTIES APPLICABLE.

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

Section 1. Section 714.8, Code 2026, is amended by adding the following new subsections:

NEW SUBSECTION. 6A. For the purpose of obtaining employment or other personal gain, knowingly and with intent falsely represents oneself as possessing an academic degree or academic credentials.

NEW SUBSECTION. 6B. For the purpose of obtaining employment or other personal gain, knowingly and with intent falsely represents oneself as possessing a professional or occupational license regulated under chapter 272C.

Sec. 2. Section 714.11, subsection 1, Code 2026, is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

NEW PARAGRAPH. *d.* A fraudulent practice as set forth in section 714.8, subsection 6B.

Sec. 3. Section 714.13, subsection 1, Code 2026, is amended to read as follows:

1. Fraudulent practice in the fifth degree is a any of the following:

a. A fraudulent practice ~~where~~ for which the amount of money or value of property or services involved does not exceed three hundred dollars.

b. A fraudulent practice as set forth in section 714.8, subsection 6A.

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PAT GRASSLEY  
Speaker of the House

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AMY SINCLAIR  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2337, Ninety-first General Assembly.

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MEGHAN NELSON  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved \_\_\_\_\_, 2026

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KIM REYNOLDS  
Governor