

January 11, 1961.
Departmental Affairs.

House File 9
By SWISHER and NADEN.

Passed House, Date 1-30-61

Passed Senate, Date 3-24-61

Vote: Ayes 104 Nays 0

Vote: Ayes 48 Nays 0

Approved 3-28-61
House Concurred
3-24-61
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A BILL FOR

An Act relating to the Iowa commission for the blind.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Section one (1) of chapter one hundred seventy-three
2 (173), Acts of the Fifty-eighth General Assembly, is hereby
3 amended by inserting after the period (.) in line four (4)
4 thereof, the following: "The commission shall have the power
5 to provide for the maintenance, upkeep, repair, and alteration
6 of such buildings and grounds as may be designated as centers
7 for the blind. Such power shall include the power to spend such
8 moneys as may be appropriated to the commission by the state for
9 the purpose of carrying out the provisions of chapter ninety-three
10 (93) of the Code as amended. The director of the commission for
11 the blind shall have the power to employ/the necessary personnel
12 to maintain and operate the center or centers, at such salaries
13 as may be fixed by the director with the approval of the
14 commission."

1 Sec. 2. Section ninety-three point six (93.6), Code 1958,
2 as amended by chapter one hundred seventy-three (173), Acts of
3 the Fifty-eighth General Assembly, is hereby amended by adding
4 thereto the following new subsections:

5 "Nonresidents may be admitted to Iowa centers for the blind
6 if their presence would not be prejudicial to the interests of
7 residents, and upon such terms as may be fixed by the commission.

8 "The commission may develop programs whereby the special
9 training services of the center or centers may be made available
10 to agencies of other states at rates to be fixed by the
11 commission."

EXPLANATION OF HOUSE FILE 9

This bill would permit the director of the blind commission to give better services.



HOUSE FILE 9

- 1 Amend House File 9, section ninety-three point three
- 2 (93.3) by inserting after the word "employ" in line two
- 3 (2) the words, "a director and".

Filed from the floor and adopted
January 26, 1961.

SWISHER of Johnson.

HOUSE FILE 9

- 1 Amend House File 9 by adding thereto a new section as
- 2 follows:
- 3 Sec. 3. Section ninety-three point three (93.3), Code 1958,
- 4 is hereby amended by inserting in line two (2) after the word
- 5 "employ" the words "a director and".

Corrected amendment filed and adopted
January 26, 1961.

SWISHER of Johnson.

HOUSE FILE 9
(Committee amendment)

- 1 Amend House File 9 as follows:
- 2 1. Amend Section 1, line 11, following the word blind
- 3 by inserting "with the approval of the Executive Council,"
- 4 2. Further amend by striking all of lines 8, 9, 10 and
- 5 11 of Sec. 2. Further amend section 2, by inserting a quotation
- 6 mark at the end of line 7.

Concurred
3-24-61

Filed:
March 9, 1961.

By COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS
JACOB GRIMSTEAD, Chairman.

Adopted
3-24-61