

February 17, 1970

HOUSE FILE 1279

Schools, *as amended 3/3*
Sen 4/8, Pass 4/9

By TIEDEN, LIPPOLD, and
HANSEN of Black Hawk
(Conklin and Parker)

Passed House, Date *4-3-70* Passed Senate, Date *4-13-70*

Vote: Ayes *98* Nays *0* Vote: Ayes *41* Nays *0*

Approved.....

Passed House as amended by Senate
4-14-70
aye 107, nay 0 **A BILL FOR**

- 1 An Act to authorize student teaching and to establish the status
- 2 and authority of student teachers.
- 3 *Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*
- 4 Section 1. The board of directors of any school district
- 5 may enter into contract with any accredited teacher training
- 6 institution of the state for furnishing instruction to pupils
- 7 of the school district and for providing student teaching or
- 8 supervised field experience for students attending accredited
- 9 teacher training institutions. Such contract shall be in writ-
- 10 ing and shall extend over a period of not to exceed two years,
- 11 and a copy of the contract shall be filed in the office of the
- 12 superintendent of schools of the county.
- 13 Sec. 2. Any student teacher, during the time such student
- 14 teacher is assigned as a student teacher, shall be given the
- 15 same legal authority and status as if the student teacher were
- 16 a certificated employee of the school district in which he is
- 17 assigned. The authority of the student teacher shall extend
- 18 to all aspects of student management or discipline, in the
- 19 handling of confidential records of students, and in all other
- 20 aspects of legal authority granted to certificated employees
- 21 of the school districts in the state. The student teacher
- 22 shall be deemed a certificated employee of the district with
- 23 respect to acts performed by him at the direction, suggestion,
- 24 or consent of the certificated employees under whose supervision
- 25 and control the student teacher performs his duties, whether or

- 1 not such duties are performed entirely in the presence of
- 2 the employees of the district assigned to supervise the student
- 3 teacher, and shall be deemed an employee of the school district.

EXPLANATION

This bill authorizes school districts to enter into contract with accredited teacher training institutions of the state to provide opportunities for student teaching. Contracts cannot be executed for longer than two years and copies must be filed with the county superintendent of schools. It gives student teachers the same legal authority and status as if they were regular certificated employees of the school district and extends the authority of the student teachers to all aspects of student management or discipline. The bill provides that student teachers shall be included in the tort liability of governmental subdivisions Act.

- 1 Amend the committee amendment to House File 1279,
- 2 filed March 3, 1970, by adding in line 9 following the
- 3 word "Iowa" the words "or states conterminous with Iowa";
- 4 and in line 11 following the word "examiners" by adding
- 5 the words "of Iowa or states conterminous with Iowa".

Filed - *Withdrawn 4/3*

March 3, 1970

In: Schools

PIERSON of Mahaska

- 1 Amend House File 1279 by striking all after the enacting
- 2 clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
- 3 Section 1. Chapter two hundred sixty (260), Code 1966,
- 4 is amended by adding thereto the following new section:
- 5 "Whenever the conditions prescribed by the board of
- 6 educational examiners for issuance of any type or class of
- 7 certificate provide that the applicant shall have completed
- 8 work in practice teaching, it shall be lawful for any college
- 9 or university located within the state of Iowa and offering
- 10 a program or programs of teacher education approved by said
- 11 board of educational examiners to enter into a contract with
- 12 any approved school district or private school, for the per-
- 13 formance of such practice teaching in such approved school
- 14 district or private school, under such terms and conditions
- 15 as may be agreed upon by such contracting parties. Students
- 16 actually engaged in practice teaching, in any public school,
- 17 under the terms of such contract, shall be entitled to the
- 18 same protection, under the provisions of chapter four hundred
- 19 five (405), section eight (8), Acts of the Sixty-second General
- 20 Assembly, as is afforded by said section to officers and
- 21 employees of the school district, during the time they are so
- 22 engaged."

Filed - *Withdrawn 4/3*

March 3, 1970

In: Schools

COMMITTEE ON SCHOOLS

CHARLES E. GRASSLEY, Chairman

EXPLANATION

The purpose of this bill is to legalize the practice of long standing whereby college students majoring in education gain classroom experience in practice teaching. It also provides for defense and indemnification in the event of accident during practice sessions.

HOUSE FILE 1279

1 Amend House File 1276 by striking all after the enacting
2 clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

3 Section 1. Chapter two hundred sixty (260), Code 1966,
4 is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

5 "Whenever the conditions prescribed by the board of
6 educational examiners for issuance of any type or class of
7 certificate provide that the applicant shall have completed
8 work in student teaching or other professional field
9 experiences, it shall be lawful for any accredited college
10 or university located within the state of Iowa and states
11 conterminous with Iowa and offering a program or programs
12 of teacher education approved by said board of educational
13 examiners of Iowa or states conterminous with Iowa to enter
14 into a written contract with any approved school district
15 or private school, for the purpose of providing professional
16 field experiences to students under the direction of
17 regularly employed and certificated supervising teachers in
18 such approved school district or private school, under such
19 terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by such contracting
20 parties. Students actually engaged in professional field
21 experiences, in any public school, under the terms of such
22 contract, shall be entitled to the same protection, under the
23 provisions of chapter four hundred five (405), section eight
24 (8), Acts of the Sixty-second General Assembly, as is afforded
25 by said section to officers and employees of the school district,
26 during the time they are so assigned.

27 For the purpose of this Act, the term 'professional field
28 experiences' is defined as: All those contacts with children,
29 youth, and adults in school and community, including observation,
30 participation, teaching, and other leadership activities which
31 make a direct contribution to an understanding of basic concepts
32 and principles as well as of individuals and their guidance
33 in the teaching-learning process."

Filed - *Adopted 4/3*
March 12, 1970

PIERSON of Mahaska
MOHRFELD of Tama
PONCY of Wapello

In: Schools

- 1 Amend House File 1279, page 1, as follows:
- 2 1. Line 12, by striking the word "conterminous" and
- 3 inserting in lieu thereof the word "contiguous".
- 4 2. Line 14, by striking the word "conterminous" and
- 5 inserting in lieu thereof the word "contiguous".

Filed - *withdrawn 4/13*

April 8, 1970

By CONKLIN

SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE FILE 1279

1. Amend House File 1279 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, lines 9 and 10, by striking the words "or other
- 3 professional field experiences,".
- 4 2. Page 1, lines 16 through 19, by striking the words "for
- 5 the purpose of providing professional field experiences to
- 6 students under the direction of regularly employed and
- 7 certified supervising teachers in such approved school
- 8 district or private school,".
- 9 3. Page 1, lines 21 and 22, by striking the words "in
- 10 professional field experiences, in any public school,".
- 11 4. Page 2, by striking lines 7 through 14, inclusive, and
- 12 inserting a quotation mark after the word "assigned." in
- 13 line 6.
- 14 5. By adding the following new section on page 2:
- 15 "Section two hundred seventy-seven point four (277.4),
- 16 Code 1966, as amended by the Sixty-third General Assembly,
- 17 Second Session, is further amended by striking from lines
- 18 nine (9) and ten (10) the words 'except that in'."

*House
concurrent
4/14*

Received from the Senate
April 13, 1970

- 1 Amend House File 1279 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, lines 9 and 10, by striking the words "or other
- 3 professional field experiences,".
- 4 2. Page 1, lines 16 through 19, by striking the words "for the
- 5 purpose of providing professional field experiences to students
- 6 under the direction of regularly employed and certified super-
- 7 vising teachers in such approved school district or private schools,".
- 8 3. Page 1, lines 21 and 22, by striking the words "in
- 9 professional field experiences, in any public school,".
- 10 4. Page 2, by striking lines 7 through 14, inclusive and
- 11 inserting a quotation mark after the word "assigned." in line 6.

Filed and adopted
April 13, 1970

By RIGLER

- 1 Amend House File 1279 by adding at the end the following
- 2 new section:
- 3 Section two hundred seventy-seven point four (277.4),
- 4 Code 1966, as amended by the Sixty-third General Assembly,
- 5 Second Session, is further amended by striking from lines
- 6 nine (9) and ten (10) the words", except that in".

Filed - *adopted 4/13*
April 9, 1970

By CONKLIN