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BY COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT  
(FORMER SSB 43)

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Vote: Ayes 42 Nays 2 Vote: Ayes 76 Nays 22  
Approved May 5, 1981

### A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to licensure of speech pathologists and  
2 audiologists.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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S-3182

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1 Amend Senate File 325 as follows:  
2 1. Page 1, line 4, by inserting after the word  
3 "use" the words "the suffix "Ph.D.", or".  
4 2. Page 1, line 5, by striking the words  
5 "but shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word  
6 "and".

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MARCH 13, 1981 (p. 781)

BY ARTHUR A. SMALL, JR.  
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2 the following new unnumbered paragraph:

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6 pathologist" or "audiologist".

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8 1981, is amended to read as follows:

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20 the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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23 by examination of licenses or certificates from states whose  
24 requirements are substantially equivalent to those of this  
25 division.

26 Sec. 5. Section 147.155, Code 1981, is amended to read  
27 as follows:

28 147.155 TEMPORARY CLINICAL LICENSE. Any person who has  
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## EXPLANATION

19 Section 1 allows persons holding doctoral degrees and  
20 licensed as speech pathologists or audiologists to be  
21 identified as doctors under the same provisions for false  
22 representation as the other health professions. Sections  
23 2 and 3 increase from 275 to 300 hours supervised clinical  
24 training required for licensure. Section 4 removes the  
25 "grandfather provisions" from the law and permits waiver of  
26 the examination for licensees of other states whose  
27 requirements are substantially equivalent to Iowa. Section  
28 5 eliminates the requirement that an applicant take the  
29 examination before a temporary clinical license may be issued.

30 The bill takes effect July 1 following enactment.

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TERRY E. BRANSTAD  
President of the Senate

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DELWYN STROMER  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 325, Sixty-ninth General Assembly.

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LINDA HOWARTH MACKAY  
Secretary of the Senate

Approved May 5, 1981

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ROBERT D. RAY  
Governor