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HOUSE FILE **2136**

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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to the licensing and regulation of social
- 2 workers, the deposit of license fees for the purpose of
- 3 administration, and providing penalties for violations.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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H-5370

1 Amend House File 2136 as follows:

A 2 1. Page 2, by inserting after line 2 the following:
 3 "3. Have two years experience in the activities
 4 of the practice of social work."

B 5 2. Page 2, by striking line 34 through page 3,
 6 line 9.

A 7 3. Page 5, by striking lines 33 through 35 and
 8 inserting in lieu thereof the following: "term.
 9 For two years after the effective date of this Act,
 10 the professional members of the board shall only be
 11 required to possess a master's or doctoral degree
 12 in social work from an accredited college or
 13 university. The members of the board may be".

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. DEFINITIONS. As used in sections
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9 social functioning and includes the application of social
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11 problems and relationships, assisting persons and families
12 with adjustment problems and reaching appropriate decisions
13 about their lives, and counseling emotionally distressed
14 individuals and families.
15 4. "Private practice of licensed social work" means the
16 autonomous professional activity of a licensed social worker
17 which is not under the auspices of a public or private non-
18 profit corporation.

19 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. APPLICABILITY. After January 1,
20 1985 a person shall not hold oneself forth as a licensed
21 social worker unless the person has obtained a license pursuant
22 to sections 1 through 13 of this Act.

23 Sections 1 through 13 of this Act do not prevent individuals
24 not licensed as social workers from working within their
25 respective professions or occupations if they do not hold
26 themselves out to the public as being licensed social workers.
27 Section 147.83 does not apply to persons who are not licensed
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34 from an accredited college or university approved by the
35 board.

1 2. Pass an examination approved by the board for this
2 purpose.

3 Sec. 4. NEW SECTION. RULE-MAKING AUTHORITY. In addition
4 to duties and responsibilities provided in chapters 147 and
5 258A, the board shall adopt rules relating to:

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7 practice of licensed social work.

8 2. Standards for professional conduct of persons licensed
9 under sections 1 through 13 of this Act.

10 3. The administration of sections 1 through 13 of this
11 Act.

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13 guidelines for inactive licensure reentry.

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17 A licensed social worker or a person working under supervision
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19 information acquired from persons consulting that person in
20 a professional capacity except:

21 1. If the information reveals the contemplation or com-
22 mission of a crime.

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24 against the licensee.

25 3. With the written consent of the client, or in the case
26 of death or disability with the consent of the client's
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28 or the beneficiary of an insurance policy on the client's
29 life, health, or physical condition.

30 4. To testify in a court hearing concerning matters per-
31 taining to the welfare of children.

32 5. To seek collaboration or consultation with professional
33 colleagues or administrative superiors on behalf of the client.

34 Sec. 6. NEW SECTION. EXEMPTIONS FROM REQUIREMENTS FOR
35 LICENSURE. From January 1, 1985 to January 1, 1986 an

1 applicant for a license as a licensed social worker is exempt
2 from the examination requirements prescribed under this Act.
3 A person obtaining a license under this section may renew
4 the license by meeting the other requirements for license
5 renewal and is not required to meet the examination
6 requirements from which the licensee was initially exempted
7 for a period of two years. This section does not apply to
8 a person who fails to renew the license before its expiration
9 except as provided in section 147.10.

10 Sec. 7. Section 147.1, subsections 2 and 3, Code 1983,
11 are amended to read as follows:

12 2. "Licensed" or "certified" when applied to a physician
13 and surgeon, podiatrist, osteopath, osteopathic physician
14 and surgeon, psychologist or associate psychologist,
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16 speech pathologist, audiologist, pharmacist, physical
17 therapist, occupational therapist, practitioner of cosmetology,
18 practitioner of barbering, ~~or~~ funeral director or social
19 worker means a person licensed under this title.

20 3. "Profession" means medicine and surgery, podiatry,
21 osteopathy, osteopathic medicine and surgery, psychology,
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23 speech pathology, audiology, pharmacy, physical therapy,
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25 science or social work.

26 Sec. 8. Section 147.3, Code 1983, is amended to read as
27 follows:

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31 status or national origin, although the application form may
32 require citizenship information. Any board may consider the
33 past felony record of an applicant only if the felony
34 conviction relates directly to the practice of medicine,
35 podiatry, osteopathy, osteopathy and surgery, chiropractic,

1 nursing, psychology, optometry, speech pathology, audiology,
2 pharmacy, physical therapy, occupational therapy, cosmetology,
3 barbering, ~~or~~ mortuary science or social work for which the
4 applicant requests to be licensed. Character references may
5 be required, but shall not be obtained from licensed members
6 of the profession.

7 Sec. 9. Section 147.13, Code 1983, is amended to read
8 as follows:

9 147.13 DESIGNATION OF BOARDS. The examining boards
10 provided in section 147.12 shall be designated as follows:
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13 psychology examiners; for podiatry, podiatry examiners; for
14 chiropractic, chiropractic examiners; for physical therapists
15 and occupational therapists, physical and occupational therapy
16 examiners; for nursing, board of nursing; for dentistry and
17 dental hygiene, dental examiners; for optometry, optometry
18 examiners; for speech pathology and audiology, speech pathology
19 and audiology examiners; for cosmetology, cosmetology
20 examiners; for barbering, barber examiners; for pharmacy,
21 pharmacy examiners; for mortuary science, mortuary science
22 examiners; for social workers, social work examiners.

23 Sec. 10. Section 147.14, subsection 1, Code 1983, is
24 amended to read as follows:

25 1. For podiatry, cosmetology, barbering, and mortuary
26 science, and social work, three members each, licensed to
27 practice the profession for which the board conducts
28 examinations, and two members who are not licensed to practice
29 the profession for which the board conducts examinations and
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31 of a majority of the members of the board.

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7 of health in the administration of the system of health
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9 shall be collected, transmitted to the treasurer of state
10 and deposited in the general fund of the state in the manner
11 in which license and renewal fees of the respective professions
12 are collected, transmitted, and deposited in the general fund.

13 Sec. 12. Section 147.74, Code 1983, is amended by add-
14 ing the following new unnumbered paragraph:

15 NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. A social worker licensed under
16 sections 1 through 13 of this Act may use the words "licensed
17 social worker" after the person's name or to signify the same
18 by the use of the letters "L.S.W." after the person's name.

19 Sec. 13. Section 147.80, Code 1983, is amended by add-
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21 NEW SUBSECTION. License to practice social work issued
22 on the basis of an examination by the board of social work
23 examiners, or license to practice social work issued under
24 a reciprocity agreement, or renewal of a license to practice
25 social work.

26 Sec. 14. IMPLEMENTATION.

27 1. For the initial terms of members of the board of so-
28 cial work examiners, the governor shall appoint one member
29 to serve a term of one year, two members to serve a term of
30 two years and two members to serve a term of three years.
31 The time from the appointment of the members until May 1,
32 1985 shall not be included in the computation of the initial
33 term. The professional members of the initial board shall
34 meet only the academic requirements for licensure specified
35 in section 3 of this Act. The members of the board may be

1 appointed upon the enactment of this Act and may meet,
2 organize, and adopt rules to become effective January 1, 1985.
3 The board may receive compensation and expenses at the rates
4 authorized by chapter 147 for meetings held prior to January
5 1, 1985, as well as after that date.

6 2. Sections 1 through 13 of this Act become effective
7 January 1, 1985.

8 EXPLANATION

9 This bill establishes the licensing of social workers and
10 the creation of the board of social work examiners. Persons
11 who are not licensed may perform similar functions as licensed
12 social workers but may not hold themselves out to the public
13 as licensed social workers. The board is authorized to adopt
14 rules establishing professional standards, continuing educa-
15 tion and licensee discipline in the same manner as other
16 health professional licensing boards under chapters 147 and
17 258A. Licensed social workers are granted confidentiality
18 for communications with clients with certain exceptions.
19 During the first year, the examination requirement of social
20 workers meeting the academic requirement is deferred. The
21 bill, except for the implementation section, takes effect
22 January 1, 1985, following enactment. The implementation
23 section takes effect July 1, 1985, following enactment.

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(As Amended and Passed by the House)

Passed House, Date _____ Passed Senate, Date 3-28-84 (J. 1143)

Vote: Ayes _____ Nays _____ Vote: Ayes 24 Nays 11

Approved April 16, 1984 (J. 2045)

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DONALD D. AVENSON
Speaker of the House

ROBERT T. ANDERSON
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2136, Seventieth General Assembly.

JOSEPH O'HERN
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved _____ 1984

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