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Approved April 9, 1992

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the time by which community colleges must meet
2 new accreditation standards established by the state board of
3 education and providing for continuation of previous
4 accreditation standards.

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S-5089

- 1 Amend Senate File 2186 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 5 through 8 and
- 3 inserting the following: "accreditation process for
- 4 community college programs. By July 1, ~~1993~~ 1994, all
- 5 community".
- 6 2. Page 1, by striking lines 10 through 17 and
- 7 inserting the following: ". For the school year
- 8 commencing July 1, ~~1994~~ 1995, and in succeeding".
- 9 3. Page 1, by striking lines 26 through 29 and
- 10 inserting the following: "programs by the department
- 11 of education beginning July 1, ~~1993~~ 1994."
- 12 4. Page 1, line 30, by striking the word
- 13 "repealed" and inserting the following: "amended to
- 14 read as follows:
- 15 SEC. 127. Section 280A.33 is repealed effective
- 16 June 30, ~~1993~~ 1994."
- 17 5. Title page, line 4, by inserting after the
- 18 word "standards" the following: "for an additional
- 19 year".

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By RICHARD VARN

S-5089 FILED FEBRUARY 24, 1992
Adopted 2/27 (p. 521)

1 Section 1. Section 280A.47, subsection 1, unnumbered
2 paragraph 1, and paragraph a, Code 1991, are amended to read
3 as follows:

4 The state board of education shall establish an
5 accreditation process for community college programs. ~~By July~~
6 ~~17-1993~~ If the funds for general state financial aid to
7 community colleges are appropriated pursuant to the state aid
8 funding formula established in chapter 286A, all community
9 colleges shall meet the standards for accreditation
10 established under section 280A.48 within one year of
11 appropriation of the funds. The department of education shall
12 annually review the appropriations for state aid funding to
13 the community colleges to determine whether the requirements
14 of chapter 286A have been met. For the school year commencing
15 ~~July 17-1994~~ one year after the year in which the community
16 colleges are required to meet the standards established by the
17 state board of education under this chapter, and in succeeding
18 school years, the department of education shall use a two
19 component process for the continued accreditation of community
20 college programs.

21 a. The first component consists of annual monitoring by
22 the department of education of all community colleges for
23 compliance with program accreditation standards adopted by the
24 state board. The first component monitoring requires
25 community colleges to submit to an annual audit of college
26 programs by the department of education beginning ~~July 17-1993~~
27 with July 1 of the year in which the community colleges are
28 required to meet the accreditation standards in section
29 280A.48.

30 Sec. 2. 1990 Acts, chapter 1253, section 127, is repealed.

31 EXPLANATION

32 This bill provides that community colleges are to meet the
33 accreditation standards established in section 280A.48 within
34 one year of appropriation of funds in accordance with chapter
35 286A. Funds appropriated for fiscal year 1991-1992 were

1 appropriated notwithstanding the provisions of chapter 286A.
2 The 1990 session law repealer of the standards in section
3 280A.33 that were to be replaced on July 1, 1993, by the
4 standards created under section 280A.48, is repealed under
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RELATING TO THE TIME BY WHICH COMMUNITY COLLEGES MUST MEET NEW ACCREDITATION STANDARDS ESTABLISHED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND PROVIDING FOR CONTINUATION OF PREVIOUS ACCREDITATION STANDARDS FOR AN ADDITIONAL YEAR.

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

Section 1. Section 280A.47, subsection 1, unnumbered paragraph 1, and paragraph a, Code 1991, are amended to read as follows:

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Sec. 2. 1990 Acts, chapter 1253, section 127, is amended to read as follows:

MICHAEL E. GROMSTAL
President of the Senate

ROBERT C. ARNOULD
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 2186, Seventy-fourth General Assembly.

JOHN P. DWYER
Secretary of the Senate

Approved April 9, 1992

TERRY E. BRANSTAD
Governor

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