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(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 296)

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Approved April 25, 1995

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the establishment of practitioner review
2 committees for the purposes of evaluating and monitoring
3 practitioners who self-report physical or mental impairments.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:
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4 for the purpose of evaluating and monitoring licensees who
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7 administration of the committee, including but not limited to
8 establishment of the criteria for eligibility for referral to
9 the committee and the grounds for disciplinary action for
10 noncompliance with committee decisions. Information in the
11 possession of the board or the licensee review committee,
12 under this paragraph, shall be subject to the confidentiality
13 requirements of section 272C.6. Referral of a licensee by the
14 board to a licensee review committee shall not relieve the
15 board of any duties of the board and shall not divest the
16 board of any authority or jurisdiction otherwise provided. A
17 licensee who violates section 272C.10 or the rules of the
18 board while under review by the licensee review committee
19 shall be referred to the board for appropriate action.

20 EXPLANATION

21 This bill provides for the establishment by each licensing
22 board named in chapter 272C of a licensee review committee for
23 the purpose of evaluating and monitoring licensees who self-
24 report physical or mental impairments to the board. The bill
25 provides that if a licensee referred to the committee violates
26 an existing ground for revocation or suspension of a license
27 while under the review of the committee, the licensee is to be
28 referred to the licensing board for appropriate action. The
29 bill also directs each licensing board to adopt rules for the
30 establishment and administration of a committee, provides that
31 information in possession of the licensing board or the
32 committee due to self-reporting of a licensee is confidential,
33 and provides that the establishment of the committee does not
34 relieve the licensing board of the board's duties nor does the
35 establishment of the committee divest the board of the

1 authority or jurisdiction that the board would otherwise have.

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I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 346, Seventy-sixth General Assembly.

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Secretary of the Senate

Approved April 25, 1995

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