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HOUSE FILE

BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 2156)

Passed House, ^(P. 628) Date 3/8/00

Passed Senate, ^(P. 1064) Date 4/6/00

Vote: Ayes 89 Nays 2

Vote: Ayes 38 Nays 8

Approved May 3, 2000

^(P. 1465) re. Passed 4-13-00
vote 81-17

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to disclosure by a postsecondary education
2 institution of information to the parent or guardian of a
3 student.

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

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HOUSE FILE 2437

H-8253

1 Amend House File 2437 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, line 16, by inserting after the word
3 "records." the following: "However, a postsecondary
4 education institution, which adopts a policy to
5 provide information regarding grades or a violation of
6 a federal, state, or local law, or institutional rule
7 or policy governing the use or possession of alcohol
8 or a controlled substance to the parent or guardian of
9 a child who is under the age of twenty-one shall not
10 provide the information unless the institution
11 receives, on forms provided by the institution,
12 written authorization signed by the parent or guardian
13 and the student."

By KREIMAN of Davis

H-8253 FILED MARCH 7, 2000

Adopted 3/8/00 (P. 628)

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HF 2156

1 Section 1. Section 22.7, subsection 1, Code Supplement
2 1999, is amended to read as follows:

3 1. Personal information in records regarding a student,
4 prospective student, or former student maintained, created,
5 collected or assembled by or for a school corporation or
6 educational institution maintaining such records. This
7 subsection shall not be construed to prohibit a postsecondary
8 education institution from disclosing to a parent or guardian
9 information regarding a violation of a federal, state, or
10 local law, or institutional rule or policy governing the use
11 or possession of alcohol or a controlled substance if the
12 child is under the age of twenty-one years and the institution
13 determines that the student committed a disciplinary violation
14 with respect to the use or possession of alcohol or a
15 controlled substance regardless of whether that information is
16 contained in the student's education records.

17 Sec. 2. STATE BOARD OF REGENTS STUDY -- COMMUNICATION WITH
18 PARENTS AND GUARDIANS OF STUDENTS. The state board of
19 regents, in consultation with the community college council,
20 the Iowa association of community college trustees, and the
21 Iowa association of independent colleges and universities,
22 shall conduct a study and recommend methods for opening or
23 expanding communication with parents and guardians of students
24 under the age of twenty-one years who are enrolled in Iowa's
25 postsecondary institutions. The communication studied should
26 include information relating to, but not limited to, the
27 student's grades or violations of a federal, state, or local
28 law, or institutional rule or policy governing the use or
29 possession of alcohol or a controlled substance. The results
30 of the study and any recommendations shall be submitted to the
31 senate and house standing committees on education by December
32 1, 2000.

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EXPLANATION

34 This bill specifically authorizes a postsecondary education
35 institution to disclose to a parent or guardian of a student

1 under the age of 21 years, information regarding violations of
2 any federal, state, or local law, or institutional rule or
3 policy governing the use or possession of alcohol or a
4 controlled substance by the parent or guardian's child, if the
5 institution determines that the student committed a
6 disciplinary violation with respect to the use or possession
7 of alcohol or a controlled substance, regardless of whether
8 that information is contained in the student's education
9 records.

10 The bill also requires the state board of regents, in
11 consultation with the community college council, the Iowa
12 association of community college trustees, and the Iowa
13 association of independent colleges and universities, to study
14 and recommend to the standing committee on education, methods
15 for expanding communication with the parents and guardians of
16 students under the age of 21 who are attending postsecondary
17 institutions.

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H-8069

1 Amend House File 2437 as follows:
2 1. Page 1, line 16, by inserting after word
3 "records." the following: "However, a postsecondary
4 education institution shall not provide information
5 regarding a violation of a federal, state, or local
6 law, or institutional rule or policy governing the use
7 or possession of alcohol or a controlled substance to
8 the parent or guardian of a student who is eighteen
9 years of age or older unless the institution receives
10 written authorization, on forms provided to the
11 parent, guardian, or student by the institution upon
12 request, signed by the parent or guardian and the
13 student."

By KREIMAN of Davis

H-8069 FILED FEBRUARY 28, 2000

W/D

3/8/00 (P.627)

HOUSE FILE 2437

H-8070

1 Amend House File 2437 as follows:
2 1. Page 1, line 16, by inserting after word
3 "records." the following: "However, a postsecondary
4 education institution that adopts a policy of
5 providing information regarding a violation of a
6 federal, state, or local law, or institutional rule or
7 policy governing the use or possession of alcohol or a
8 controlled substance to the parent or guardian of a
9 student who is eighteen years of age or older shall
10 notify the student of the policy at the time of the
11 student's registration and shall allow a reasonable
12 period of time after notice has been given for a
13 student to inform the institution that any or all of
14 the information designated shall not be released
15 without the student's consent."

By KREIMAN of Davis

H-8070 FILED FEBRUARY 28, 2000

W/D

3/8/00

(P. 627)

S - 3/1/00 Education
S - 3/16/00 Amended/Do Pass
w/s - 5169
S - 3/23/00 Unfinished Business
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HOUSE FILE 2437
BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 2156)

(As Amended and Passed by the House, March 8, 2000)

Passed House, Date ^(p.1465) 4-13-00 Passed Senate, Date ^(p.1063) 4/6/00
Vote: Ayes 81 Nays 17 Vote: Ayes 38 Nays 8
Approved 5/3/00

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House Amendments _____

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SENATE AMENDMENT TO HOUSE FILE 2437

H-8784

1 Amend House File 2437, as amended, passed, and
2 reprinted by the House, as follows:

3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 16 through 25 and
4 inserting the following: "contained in the student's
5 education records."

6 2. Page 2, by striking lines 1 through 3 and
7 inserting the following: "student's grades or any
8 correlation between student grades and violations of a
9 federal, state, or local law, or institutional rule or
10 policy governing the use or possession of alcohol or a
11 controlled substance except as otherwise provided by
12 the law. The results".

13 3. By renumbering, relettering, or redesignating
14 and correcting internal references as necessary.

RECEIVED FROM THE SENATE

H-8784 FILED APRIL 10, 2000

House Concurred 4/13/00 (p. 1485)

HOUSE FILE 2437

S-5169

- 1 Amend House File 2437, as amended, passed, and
- 2 reprinted by the House, as follows:
- 3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 16 through 25 and
- 4 inserting the following: "contained in the student's
- 5 education records."

By COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION
DONALD B. REDFERN, Chairperson

S-5169 FILED MARCH 16, 2000

Adopted
4-6-00 (P. 1063)

HOUSE FILE 2437

S-5251

- 1 Amend House File 2437, as amended, passed, and
- 2 reprinted by the House, as follows:
- 3 1. Page 2, by striking lines 1 through 3 and
- 4 inserting the following: "student's grades or any
- 5 correlation between student grades and violations of a
- 6 federal, state, or local law, or institutional rule or
- 7 policy governing the use or possession of alcohol or a
- 8 controlled substance except as otherwise provided by
9. the law. The results".

By JOHN REDWINE
ROBERT E. DVORSKY

S-5251 FILED MARCH 28, 2000

Adopted
4-6-00
(P. 1063)

HOUSE FILE 2437

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RELATING TO DISCLOSURE BY A POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION INSTITUTION
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BRENT SIEGRIST
Speaker of the House

MARY E. KRAMER
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2437, Seventy-eighth General Assembly.

ELIZABETH ISAACSON
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved May 3, 2000

THOMAS J. VILSACK
Governor

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