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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22

BY GRONSTAL

A Concurrent Resolution designating a week in September 1999 as Iowa Education Week.

WHEREAS, providing Iowa's school children with educational opportunities and excellent education programs is critical to the prosperity of the state as a whole and to the success of each child in achieving their life aspirations; and

WHEREAS, it is vital that the importance of education be recognized by society and by the branches of state government responsible for supporting the educational institutions of this state; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That the General Assembly designate a week in September 1999 as Iowa Education Week during which the General Assembly encourages its own members, communities, schools, and all citizens to participate in activities in recognition of the importance of education to all Iowans, including but not limited to participation by legislators and government leaders, educators, community leaders, and others in "read-ins" held to emphasize the importance of acquiring basic educational skills; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the General Assembly requests the Governor to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of Iowa to observe the same week in September 1999 as Iowa Education Week.

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