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HUMAN RESOURCES

FILED FEB 23 1999

SENATE FILE

194

BY SHEARER

(COMPANION TO LSB 2526HH

BY BLODGETT)

(p.624)  
Passed Senate, Date 3-16-99

(P.1212)  
Passed House, Date 4/13/99

Vote: Ayes 49 Nays 0

Vote: Ayes 97 Nays 0

Approved May 10, 1999

(p.1166) Repaired 4/15/99  
Vote 45-0

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to acceptable accreditation of psychiatric  
2 medical institutions for children for the purpose of  
3 licensing.

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

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SE 194  
HUMAN RESOURCES

1 Section 1. Section 135H.6, subsection 2, Code 1999, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. The proposed psychiatric institution is accredited by  
4 the joint commission on the accreditation of health care  
5 organizations, the council on accreditation, the commission on  
6 accreditation of rehabilitation facilities, or any other  
7 federally recognized accrediting entity with comparable  
8 standards.

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EXPLANATION

10 This bill provides that, for the purpose of obtaining a  
11 license, in addition to the current accreditation by the joint .  
12 commission on the accreditation of health care organizations,  
13 psychiatric medical institutions for children may also be  
14 accredited by the council on accreditation, the commission on  
15 accreditation of rehabilitation facilities, or any other  
16 federally recognized accrediting entity with comparable  
17 standards.

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SENATE FILE 194

H-1194

1 Amend Senate File 194, as passed by the Senate, as  
2 follows:  
3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 5 through 8 and  
4 inserting the following: "organizations, the  
5 commission on accreditation of rehabilitation  
6 facilities, the council on accreditation of services  
7 for families and children, or by any other federally  
8 recognized accrediting organization with comparable  
9 standards that is recognized by the state."

By COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES  
BODDICKER of Cedar, Chairperson

H-1194 FILED MARCH 24, 1999

*Adopted*  
*4/13/99*  
*(P. 1212)*

SENATE FILE 194

H-1329

1 Amend the amendment, H-1194, to Senate File 194 as  
2 follows:  
3 1. Page 1, by striking line 9 and inserting the  
4 following: "standards."

By BLODGETT of Cerro Gordo

H-1329 FILED MARCH 30, 1999

*Adopted*  
*4/13/99 (P. 1211)*

HOUSE AMENDMENT TO  
SENATE FILE 194

S-3347

1 Amend Senate File 194, as passed by the Senate, as  
2 follows:  
3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 5 through 8 and  
4 inserting the following: "organizations, the  
5 commission on accreditation of rehabilitation  
6 facilities, the council on accreditation of services  
7 for families and children, or by any other federally  
8 recognized accrediting organization with comparable  
9 standards."

RECEIVED FROM THE HOUSE

S-3347 FILED APRIL 13, 1999

*Senate Concurred 4/15/99 (p. 1166)*

SENATE FILE 194

Senate File 194, p. 2

AN ACT  
RELATING TO ACCEPTABLE ACCREDITATION OF PSYCHIATRIC  
MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS FOR CHILDREN FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
LICENSING.

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

Section 1. Section 135H.6, subsection 2, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

2. The proposed psychiatric institution is accredited by the joint commission on the accreditation of health care organizations, the commission on accreditation of rehabilitation facilities, the council on accreditation of

services for families and children, or by any other federally recognized accrediting organization with comparable standards.

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MARY E. KRAMER  
President of the Senate

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RON J. CORBETT  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the Senate and is known as Senate File 194, Seventy-eighth General Assembly.

Approved May 10, 1999

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MICHAEL E. MARSHALL  
Secretary of the Senate

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THOMAS J. VILSACK  
Governor

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