

Senate Study Bill 3157

Bill Text

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1 1 Section 1. Section [19B.3](#), subsection 2, paragraph h, Code
1 2 1999, is amended to read as follows:
1 3 h. Require development of equal employment opportunity
1 4 reports, including the initiation of the processes necessary
1 5 for the completion of

~~the annual EEO-6~~

- reports required by the

1 6 federal equal employment opportunity commission.

1 7 Sec. 2. Section [261.1](#), subsection 2, Code 1999, is amended
1 8 to read as follows:

1 9 2. The director of the department of education or the
1 10 director's designee.

1 11 Sec. 3. Section [261.2](#), subsections 1, 2, 3, 5, and 7
1 12 through 10, Code 1999, are amended by striking the
1 13 subsections.

1 14 Sec. 4. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, unnumbered paragraph
1 15 1, Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:

1 16 "Accredited private institution" means an institution of
1 17 higher learning located in Iowa which is operated privately
1 18 and not controlled or administered by any state agency or any
1 19 subdivision of the state, except for county hospitals as
1 20 provided in paragraph "c" of this subsection, and which meets
1 21 at least one of the

~~following~~

- criteria in paragraphs "a"

1 22 through "c" and all of the criteria in paragraphs "e" through
1 23 "h":

1 24 Sec. 5. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraphs a, b, and
1 25 c, Code 1999, are amended to read as follows:

1 26 a.

~~which is~~

- is accredited by the north central association

1 27 of colleges and secondary schools accrediting agency based on
1 28 their requirements

~~, or~~

~~1 29 b.~~

~~which has been~~

- is certified by the north central

1 30 association of colleges and secondary schools accrediting
1 31 agency as a candidate for accreditation by that agency

~~, or~~

~~1 32 c.~~

~~which is~~

- is a school of nursing accredited by the

1 33 national league for nursing and approved by the board of nurse
1 34 examiners, including such a school operated, controlled, and
1 35 administered by a county public hospital.

2 1 Sec. 6. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraph d, Code
2 2 1999, is amended by striking the paragraph.
2 3 Sec. 7. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraph e,
2 4 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1999, is amended to read as
2 5 follows:
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~~Which promotes~~

- Promotes equal opportunity and affirmative
2 7 action efforts in the recruitment, appointment, assignment,
2 8 and advancement of personnel at the institution. In carrying
2 9 out this responsibility the institution shall do all of the
2 10 following:
2 11 Sec. 8. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraph e,
2 12 subparagraph (8), Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:
2 13 (8) Require development of equal employment opportunity
2 14 reports, including the initiation of the processes necessary
2 15 for the completion of

~~the annual EEO 6~~

- reports required by the
2 16 federal equal employment opportunity commission.
2 17 Sec. 9. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraph f, Code
2 18 1999, is amended to read as follows:
2 19 f.

~~Which adopts~~

- Adopts a policy that prohibits unlawful
2 20 possession, use, or distribution of controlled substances by
2 21 students and employees on property owned or leased by the
2 22 institution or in conjunction with activities sponsored by the
2 23 institution. Each institution shall provide information about
2 24 the policy to all students and employees. The policy shall
2 25 include a clear statement of sanctions for violation of the
2 26 policy and information about available drug or alcohol
2 27 counseling and rehabilitation programs. In carrying out this
2 28 policy, an institution shall provide substance abuse
2 29 prevention programs for students and employees.
2 30 Sec. 10. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraph g,
2 31 unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1999, is amended to read as
2 32 follows:
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~~Which develops~~

- Develops and implements a written policy,
2 34 which is disseminated during student registration or
2 35 orientation, addressing the following four areas relating to
3 1 sexual abuse:
3 2 Sec. 11. Section [261.9](#), subsection 1, paragraph h, Code
3 3 1999, is amended to read as follows:
3 4 h.

~~Which files~~

- Files a copy of the annual report required
3 5 by the federal Student Right-To-Know and Campus Security Act,
3 6 Pub. L. No. 101-542, with the division of criminal and
3 7 juvenile justice planning of the department of human rights,
3 8 along with a copy of the written policy developed pursuant to
3 9 paragraph "g".
3 10 Sec. 12. Section [261.19](#), subsection 2, Code 1999, is
3 11 amended to read as follows:
3 12 2. A forgivable loan may be awarded to a resident of Iowa
3 13 who is enrolled at the university of osteopathic medicine and
3 14 health sciences if the student agrees to practice in this
3 15 state for a period of time to be determined by the commission
3 16 at the time the loan is awarded. Forgivable loans to eligible
3 17 students shall not become due

~~and interest on the loan shall~~

3 18

~~not accrue~~

- until after the student completes a residency

3 19 program. Interest on the loans shall begin to accrue the day
3 20 following the student's graduation date. If the student
3 21 completes the period of practice established by the commission
3 22 and agreed to by the student, the loan amount shall be
3 23 forgiven. The loan amount shall not be forgiven if the
3 24 osteopathic physician fails to complete the required time
3 25 period of practice in this state or fails to satisfactorily
3 26 continue in the university's program of medical education.
3 27 Sec. 13. Section 261.25, subsection 5, Code Supplement
3 28 1999, is amended to read as follows:

3 29 5. For

~~the~~

- each fiscal year

~~beginning July 1, 1989, and in~~

3 30

~~succeeding years~~

-, the institutions of higher education that

3 31 enroll recipients of Iowa tuition grants shall transmit to the
3 32 Iowa college student aid commission information about the
3 33 numbers of minority students enrolled and minority faculty
3 34 members employed at the institution, and existing or proposed
3 35 plans for the recruitment and retention of minority students
4 1 and faculty as well as existing or proposed plans to serve
4 2 nontraditional students. The Iowa college student aid
4 3 commission shall compile and report the first fall academic
4 4 semester or quarter enrollment and employment information and
4 5 plans for the next fiscal year to the chairpersons and ranking
4 6 members of the house and senate education committees, members
4 7 of the joint education appropriations subcommittee, the
4 8 governor, and the legislative fiscal bureau by

~~December 15~~

4 9 March 1 of each year.

4 10 Sec. 14. Section 261.92, subsection 1, paragraph b,
4 11 subparagraph (8), Code 1999, is amended to read as follows:
4 12 (8) Require development of equal employment opportunity
4 13 reports, including the initiation of the processes necessary
4 14 for the completion of

~~the annual EEO 6~~

- reports required by the

4 15 federal equal employment opportunity commission.
4 16 Sec. 15. DIRECTION TO CODE EDITOR. The Code editor is
4 17 directed to correct internal references in section 261.9 of
4 18 the Code as necessary in conjunction with the enactment of
4 19 this Act.

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EXPLANATION

4 21 This bill authorizes the director of the department of
4 22 education to appoint a designee to serve on the college
4 23 student aid commission, strikes language referring to defunct
4 24 federal law and a discontinued federal report, changes the
4 25 point in time when interest will begin to accrue on loans made
4 26 under the osteopathic physician recruitment program, and
4 27 pushes the date on which the commission is required to submit
4 28 a report on enrollment and employment information from

4 29 December 15 to March 1.

4 30 Congress in 1972 repealed the Higher Education Facilities
4 31 Act of 1963 and provided that the programs authorized by Title
4 32 VII of the Higher Education Act of 1965 are a continuation of
4 33 the comparable programs authorized by the Higher Education
4 34 Facilities Act of 1963. References to the Higher Education
4 35 Facilities Act of 1963 are therefore struck in the bill.

5 1 Language referring to the annual federal EEO-6 report is
5 2 likewise struck as it is no longer required by the federal
5 3 government, though other federal reports are required.

5 4 The bill also makes clear that an "accredited private
5 5 institution", as defined in the Code, is an institution of
5 6 higher learning that meets at least one of the three specific
5 7 criteria in the Code relating to accreditation and
5 8 certification, and all of the criteria relating to equal
5 9 opportunity and affirmative action efforts, a controlled
5 10 substances policy, a sexual abuse policy, and the filing of
5 11 the federal Student Right-To-Know and Campus Security Act
5 12 report with the division of criminal and juvenile justice
5 13 planning of the department of human rights.

5 14 The bill also provides that interest will begin to accrue
5 15 on a loan issued to a student under the osteopathic physician
5 16 recruitment program on the day after the student graduates.
5 17 Currently, the Code provides that the interest will not accrue
5 18 until after the student completes a residency program.

5 19 Finally, the Code currently requires the institutions of
5 20 higher education that enroll recipients of Iowa tuition grants
5 21 to transmit to the commission information about the numbers of
5 22 minority students enrolled, minority faculty members employed,
5 23 and existing or proposed plans for the recruitment and
5 24 retention of minority students and faculty, along with plans
5 25 to serve nontraditional students. The commission is required
5 26 to compile and report the information and plans to the
5 27 chairpersons and ranking members of the house and senate
5 28 education committees, members of the joint education
5 29 appropriations subcommittee, the governor, and the legislative
5 30 fiscal bureau by December 15 of each year. This bill pushes
5 31 that reporting date to March 1.

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