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HOUSE FILE 353 BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Place On Calendar

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 5)

A BILL FOR 1 An Act relating to the amount of classroom instruction offered in an approved driver education course as programmed by the department of education. 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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      Section 1. Section 321.178, subsection 1, unnumbered
 2 paragraph 1, Code 2001, is amended to read as follows:
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 4 department of education shall consist of at least thirty clock
 5 hours of classroom instruction, of which no more than one
 6 hundred eighty minutes shall be provided to a student in a
 7 single day, and six or more clock hours of laboratory
 8 instruction of which at least three clock hours shall consist
 9 of street or highway driving. Classroom instruction shall
10 include all of the following:
                                EXPLANATION
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      This bill requires the department of education to limit the
13 number of minutes of classroom instruction, per student per
14 day, in an approved driver education course to 180 minutes.
15 Rules adopted by the state board of education currently set
16 the maximum at 120 minutes per student in a single day.
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                 Amend House File 353 as follows:
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                 1. Page 1, line 6, by striking the word "eighty"
            3 and inserting the following:
                                             "twenty".
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                                         By REYNOLDS of Van Buren
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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 353, Seventy-ninth General Assembly.

MARGARET THOMSON

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved 2001

THOMAS J. VILSACK

Governor