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A BILL FOR 1 An Act prohibiting a registered sex offender from residing near an elementary or secondary school, and providing a penalty. 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

JF 3076 JUDICIARY

- 1 Section 1. Section 692A.5, subsection 1, Code 2001, is
- 2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:
- 3 NEW PARAGRAPH. g. Inform the person that the person shall
- 4 not reside within one thousand feet of the real property
- 5 comprising a public or nonpublic elementary or secondary
- 6 school.
- 7 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 692A.2A RESIDENCY RESTRICTIONS --
- 8 SCHOOLS.
- 9 1. A person required to register under this chapter shall
- 10 not reside within one thousand feet of the real property
- 11 comprising a public or nonpublic elementary or secondary
- 12 school.
- 2. A person required to register under this chapter who
- 14 resides within one thousand feet of the real property
- 15 comprising a public or nonpublic elementary or secondary
- 16 school commits an aggravated misdemeanor.
- 3. A person does not commit a violation of this section if
- 18 the person is required to serve a sentence at a jail, prison,
- 19 juvenile facility, or other correctional institution or
- 20 facility which is within one thousand feet of the real
- 21 property comprising a school.
- 22 EXPLANATION
- 23 This bill prohibits a registered sex offender from residing
- 24 near a school.
- 25 The bill provides that a person required to register as a
- 26 sex offender shall not reside within 1,000 feet of the real
- 27 property comprising a public or nonpublic elementary or
- 28 secondary school. A person who violates the bill commits an
- 29 aggravated misdemeanor.
- 30 The bill also provides that prior to release or sentencing,
- 31 the person shall be informed about the restrictions on
- 32 residing near a school.
- A sex offender does not violate the bill if the person is
- 34 required to serve a sentence at a jail, prison, juvenile
- 35 facility, or other correctional institution or facility which

1 is within 1,000 feet of the real property of a school. An aggravated misdemeanor is punishable by confinement for 3 no more than two years and a fine of at least \$500 but not 4 more than \$5,000.