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TRANSPORTATION

SENATE FILE 2091

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for certification of recreational vehicle driver
2 safety education courses.

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

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 321.179 RECREATIONAL VEHICLE
2 DRIVER SAFETY EDUCATION.

3 The department shall develop a program for the
4 certification of courses of instruction offered in this state
5 by community colleges or private instructors for the safe
6 operation of recreational vehicles. The department shall
7 establish by rule requirements relating to curriculum, hours
8 of classroom instruction, hours of highway instruction,
9 instructor qualifications, and any other matters deemed
10 appropriate by the department. For purposes of this section,
11 "recreational vehicle" includes, but is not limited to, a
12 motor home, travel trailer, or fifth-wheel travel trailer.

13 EXPLANATION

14 This bill requires the state department of transportation
15 to develop a program for the certification of courses of
16 instruction in the safe operation of recreational vehicles,
17 which may be offered by community colleges or private
18 instructors. The department is to adopt rules addressing such
19 matters as curriculum requirements, hours of classroom and
20 highway instruction, and instructor qualifications. The bill
21 defines "recreational vehicle" to include motor homes, travel
22 trailers, and fifth-wheel travel trailers.

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