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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the membership of the board of educational 2 examiners. 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA: 4 TLSB 2449HC 82 5 kh/gg/14

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1 1 Section 1. Section 272.3, subsection 1, unnumbered 1 2 paragraph 1, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows: 1 3 The board of educational examiners consists of <del>elev</del> 1 3 The board of educational examiners consists of eleven 1 4 twelve members. Two must be members of the general public, 5 one must be the director of the department of education or the <u>1 6 director's designee</u>, and the remaining nine <u>members</u> must be 1 7 licensed practitioners. One of the public members shall have 1 8 served on a school board. The public members <del>shall never have</del> 1 9 held a practitioner's license, but shall have a demonstrated 1 10 interest in education. One of the licensed practitioners 1 11 shall be the director of the department of education or the 1 12 director's designee. The remaining eight <u>nine</u> practitioners 1 13 shall be selected from the following areas and specialties of 1 14 the teaching profession: EXPLANATION 1 15 1 16 This bill increases the membership of the board of 1 17 educational examiners from 11 members to 12 members. The bill 1 18 eliminates a requirement that the director of the department 1 19 of education serve as one of the members who is required to be 1 20 a licensed practitioner. 1 21 LSB 2449HC 82

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