

**Senate File 2136 - Introduced**

SENATE FILE 2136  
BY COMMITTEE ON HUMAN  
RESOURCES

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 3073)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act requiring immunization against meningococcal disease for  
2 certain students.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 139A.8, subsection 2, Code 2016, is  
2 amended by adding the following new paragraph:  
3 NEW PARAGRAPH. e. A person shall not be enrolled in  
4 school in the seventh grade or twelfth grade in Iowa without  
5 evidence of adequate immunization against meningococcal disease  
6 in accordance with standards approved by the United States  
7 public health service of the United States department of  
8 health and human services for such biological products and is  
9 in accordance with immunization practices recommended by the  
10 advisory committee on immunization practices of the centers for  
11 disease control and prevention.

12 EXPLANATION

13 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
14 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

15 This bill prohibits a person from being enrolled in school  
16 in the seventh or twelfth grade in Iowa without evidence  
17 of adequate immunization against meningococcal disease in  
18 accordance with standards approved by the United States  
19 public health service for such biological products and which  
20 immunization is provided in accordance with immunization  
21 practices recommended by the United States public health  
22 service of the United States department of health and human  
23 services for such biological products and is in accordance with  
24 immunization practices recommended by the advisory committee  
25 on immunization practices of the centers for disease control  
26 and prevention.