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A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring school districts to expand human growth and
2 development coursework to include instruction regarding
3 organ and tissue donation.

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

1 Section 1. Section 279.50, subsection 2, Code 2018, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. Each school board shall provide age-appropriate and
4 research-based instruction in human growth and development
5 including instruction regarding human sexuality, self-esteem,
6 stress management, organ and tissue donation, interpersonal
7 relationships, domestic abuse, HPV and the availability of a
8 vaccine to prevent HPV, and acquired immune deficiency syndrome
9 as required in [section 256.11](#), in grades one through twelve.

10 Sec. 2. STATE MANDATE FUNDING SPECIFIED. In accordance
11 with section 25B.2, subsection 3, the state cost of requiring
12 compliance with any state mandate included in this Act shall
13 be paid by a school district from state school foundation aid
14 received by the school district under section 257.16. This
15 specification of the payment of the state cost shall be deemed
16 to meet all of the state funding-related requirements of
17 section 25B.2, subsection 3, and no additional state funding
18 shall be necessary for the full implementation of this Act
19 by and enforcement of this Act against all affected school
20 districts.

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EXPLANATION

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

24 This bill requires each school district to include
25 instruction regarding organ and tissue donation as part of the
26 district's human growth and development coursework.

27 The bill may include a state mandate as defined in Code
28 section 25B.3. The bill requires that the state cost of
29 any state mandate included in the bill be paid by a school
30 district from state school foundation aid received by the
31 school district under Code section 257.16. The specification
32 is deemed to constitute state compliance with any state mandate
33 funding-related requirements of Code section 25B.2. The
34 inclusion of this specification is intended to reinstate the
35 requirement of political subdivisions to comply with any state

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1 mandates included in the bill.