

House File 2539 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 607)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act repealing certain programs and other matters relating to
2 higher education.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 256.215, subsection 1, Code 2026, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. A grant under the program may be awarded to any minority
4 person who is a resident of Iowa, who is accepted for admission
5 or is attending a board of regents' university, community
6 college, or an accredited private institution, and who
7 demonstrates financial need. ~~Applicants who receive vouchers~~
8 ~~under section 262.92 shall be given priority in receiving~~
9 ~~grants under the program, but an applicant shall not be denied~~
10 ~~a grant because the applicant does not hold vouchers under the~~
11 ~~program in section 262.92. For the fiscal year commencing~~
12 ~~July 1, 1990, and in subsequent years, grants~~ Grants shall be
13 awarded to all minority persons, with priority to be given to
14 those minority persons who are residents of Iowa.

15 Sec. 2. Section 256.216, subsection 7, Code 2026, is amended
16 by striking the subsection.

17 Sec. 3. Section 262.9, subsections 5, 6, 7, 20, and 21, Code
18 2026, are amended by striking the subsections.

19 Sec. 4. Section 262.9, subsection 31, paragraph h, Code
20 2026, is amended by striking the paragraph.

21 Sec. 5. Section 262.93, Code 2026, is amended to read as
22 follows:

23 **262.93 Reports to general assembly.**

24 The college student aid commission ~~and the state board of~~
25 ~~regents each~~ shall submit to the general assembly, by January
26 15 of each year, a report on the progress and implementation of
27 ~~the programs which they administer~~ program administered under
28 sections 256.214 through 256.217 and ~~262.92~~. By January 31 of
29 each year, ~~the state board of regents shall submit a report to~~
30 ~~the general assembly regarding the progress and implementation~~
31 ~~of the program administered pursuant to section 262.82~~. The
32 ~~reports shall~~ report must include but is not limited to the
33 numbers of students ~~and educators~~ participating in the programs
34 program and allocation of funds appropriated for the programs
35 program.

1 Sec. 6. Section 282.18, subsection 15, Code 2026, is amended
2 by striking the subsection.

3 Sec. 7. REPEAL. 2014 Iowa Acts, chapter 1125, section 10,
4 is repealed.

5 Sec. 8. REPEAL. Sections 256.181, 256.213, 262.9C, 262.20,
6 262.81, 262.82, 262.91, 262.92, and 266.47, Code 2026, are
7 repealed.

8 Sec. 9. REPEAL. Chapter 265, Code 2026, is repealed.

9 Sec. 10. CODE EDITOR DIRECTIVE.

10 1. The Code editor is directed to make the following
11 transfer:

12 Section 262.93 to section 256.217A.

13 2. The Code editor shall correct internal references in the
14 Code and in any enacted legislation as necessary due to the
15 enactment of this section.

16 EXPLANATION

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

19 This bill repeals various programs and functions of the
20 state board of regents and institutions of higher education
21 governed by the board such as the college bound program, the
22 regents' minority and women educators enhancement program,
23 laboratory schools, and various purchasing, policy, and
24 reporting requirements.