

CHAPTER 1045

CODE OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT FOR EDUCATION PRACTITIONERS — SEXUAL CONTACT WITH STUDENTS

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AN ACT relating to misconduct under the code of professional conduct and ethics of the board of educational examiners and making penalties applicable.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 272.2, Code 2014, is amended by adding the following new subsection: NEW SUBSECTION. 19. Adopt rules to provide in the board's code of professional conduct and ethics that any licensee of the board, who commits or solicits any sexual conduct as defined in section 709.15, subsection 3, paragraph "a", subparagraph (2), or solicits, encourages, or consummates a romantic relationship with any individual who was a student within ninety days prior to any such conduct alleged in a complaint initiated with the board, if the licensee taught the individual or supervised the individual in any school activity when the individual was a student, engages in unprofessional and unethical conduct that may result in disciplinary action by the board.

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