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Schools, Libraries, State Educational Institutions.

House File 162
By CRABB.

Passed House, Date
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Passed Senate, Date
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Approved

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend section two hundred seventy-nine point thirteen (279.13), Code 1950, relating to teachers' contracts and section two hundred sixty point ten (260.10), Code 1950, relating to the issuance of teachers' certificates by the board of educational examiners to foreign applicants and providing for the exchange of teachers between school districts and other schools, and providing for necessary regulations and rules governing the same.

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

1 Section 1. Section two hundred seventy-nine point thirteen
2 (279.13), Code 1950, is amended by inserting a new paragraph
3 following the word "board" in line twenty (20) as follows:
4 "Boards of school directors shall have power to arrange for
5 an exchange of teachers in the public schools under their
6 jurisdiction with other public school corporations either within
7 or without the state or the United States on such terms and
8 conditions as are approved by the state superintendent of public
9 instruction and when so arranged and approved the board may
10 continue to pay the salary of the teacher exchanged as provided
11 in the contract between said teacher and the board for a period
12 of one year, and such teacher shall not lose any privileges of

13 tenure, old age and survivors insurance, or certification as a
14 result of such exchange. Said contract may be renewed each year
15 as determined by the employing school board provided that the
16 visiting exchange teacher is paid in full for the service
17 rendered by the school authorities with whom his or her
18 contract is made. Such exchange teachers must have
19 qualifications equivalent to the regular teacher employed
20 by the board and who is serving as the exchange teacher and
21 must secure a special certificate covering the subjects
22 designated for her to teach in the public schools in which
23 the instruction is given. The state superintendent of public
24 instruction is hereby authorized to formulate, establish, and
25 enforce any reasonable regulation necessary to govern the
26 exchange of teachers as provided in this act, including the
27 waiver of Iowa certification requirements for teachers who are
28 regularly certificated or licensed in the jurisdiction from
29 which they come.”

1 Sec. 2. Section two hundred sixty point ten, (260.10),
2 Code 1950, is amended by adding the words “or country” after
3 the word “state” in line four (4) thereof and by adding the
4 words “or country” after the word “state” in line nine (9).

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 162

This bill makes possible the exchange of teachers between regions and countries in the interest of mutual understandings and world peace. Each school is responsible for the paying of its own teacher in the exchange and the services are merely traded. It also provides for the state superintendent of public instruction and board of educational examiners to be empowered to set up proper safeguards as to qualifications, character, use of language, and the like.