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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to requirements for the employment of a  
2 curriculum director.

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

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EDUCATION

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 280.28 CURRICULUM DIRECTOR  
2 REQUIREMENT.

3 1. Beginning July 1, 2002, in addition to licenses  
4 required under rules adopted in accordance with chapter 272,  
5 an individual employed by a school district or accredited  
6 nonpublic school to organize curriculum shall at a minimum  
7 have secured a master's degree from an accredited school,  
8 college, or university. The master's degree must include an  
9 emphasis in curriculum and instruction. In addition, an  
10 applicant shall present evidence of three years of successful  
11 educational and occupational experience.

12 2. A licensed practitioner employed by a school district  
13 or accredited nonpublic school to organize curriculum for the  
14 district on or before June 30, 2002, is exempt from this  
15 section.

16 EXPLANATION

17 This bill requires that, effective July 1, 2002, a person  
18 employed by a school district or an accredited nonpublic  
19 school to organize curriculum must hold a master's degree with  
20 an emphasis in curriculum and instruction, and have three  
21 years of successful educational and occupational experience.

22 The bill provides an exemption for a licensed practitioner  
23 employed on or before June 30, 2002, to organize curriculum  
24 for a school district or accredited nonpublic school.

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