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Synopsis: Education matters. Establishes requirements for a school corporation to establish a curriculum advisory committee. Defines a "qualified school". Establishes requirements for a school corporation or qualified school to establish a curriculum portal. Provides that a school corporation or qualified school may not promote certain concepts as part of a course of instruction or in a curriculum or direct or otherwise compel a school employee or student to adhere to certain tenets relating to the individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation. Provides that a school corporation or qualified school may not require an employee of the school corporation or qualified school to engage in certain training, orientations, or therapies. Establishes a complaint process. Provides that a student shall not be required to participate in a personal analysis, an evaluation, or a survey that reveals or attempts to affect the student's attitudes, habits, traits, opinions, beliefs, or feelings without parental consent. Provides that, if a school corporation or qualified school uses a third party vendor in providing a personal analysis, evaluation, or survey that reveals, identifies, collects, maintains or attempts to affect a student's attitudes, habits, traits, opinions, beliefs, or feelings, the third party vendor and the school corporation or qualified school may not collect or maintain the responses to or results of the analysis, evaluation, or survey in a manner that would identify the responses or (Continued next page)

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results of an individual student. Establishes a consent procedure to be used before a school corporation or qualified school may provide or administer certain mental, social-emotional, or psychological services to a student. Makes changes to the definition of "sexually explicit" for the purpose of trade regulation. Removes schools and certain public libraries from the list of entities eligible for a specified defense to criminal prosecutions alleging: (1) the dissemination of material harmful to minors; or (2) a performance harmful to minors. Adds colleges and universities to the entities eligible for a specified defense to criminal prosecutions alleging: (1) the dissemination of material harmful to minors; or (2) a performance harmful to minors. Makes conforming amendments.



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HOUSE BILL No. 1134

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. IC 5-14-3-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.197-2021,
2	SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3	JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 4. (a) The following public records are excepted
4	from section 3 of this chapter and may not be disclosed by a public
5	agency, unless access to the records is specifically required by a state
6	or federal statute or is ordered by a court under the rules of discovery:
7	(1) Those declared confidential by state statute.
8	(2) Those declared confidential by rule adopted by a public
9	agency under specific authority to classify public records as
10	confidential granted to the public agency by statute.
11	(3) Those required to be kept confidential by federal law.
12	(4) Records containing trade secrets.
13	(5) Confidential financial information obtained, upon request,
14	from a person. However, this does not include information that is
15	filed with or received by a public agency pursuant to state statute.



Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

1	(6) Information concerning research, including actual research
2	documents, conducted under the auspices of a state educational
3	institution, including information:
4	(A) concerning any negotiations made with respect to the
5	research; and
6	(B) received from another party involved in the research.
7	(7) Grade transcripts and license examination scores obtained as
8	part of a licensure process.
9	(8) Those declared confidential by or under rules adopted by the
10	supreme court of Indiana.
11	(9) Patient medical records and charts created by a provider,
12	unless the patient gives written consent under IC 16-39 or as
13	provided under IC 16-41-8.
14	(10) Application information declared confidential by the Indiana
15	economic development corporation under IC 5-28.
16	(11) A photograph, a video recording, or an audio recording of an
17	autopsy, except as provided in IC 36-2-14-10.
18	(12) A Social Security number contained in the records of a
19	public agency.
20	(13) The following information that is part of a foreclosure action
21	subject to IC 32-30-10.5:
22	(A) Contact information for a debtor, as described in
23	IC 32-30-10.5-8(d)(1)(B).
24	(B) Any document submitted to the court as part of the debtor's
25	loss mitigation package under IC 32-30-10.5-10(a)(3).
26	(14) The following information obtained from a call made to a
27	fraud hotline established under IC 36-1-8-8.5:
28	(A) The identity of any individual who makes a call to the
29	fraud hotline.
30	(B) A report, transcript, audio recording, or other information
31	concerning a call to the fraud hotline.
32	However, records described in this subdivision may be disclosed
33	to a law enforcement agency, a private university police
34	department, the attorney general, the inspector general, the state
35	examiner, or a prosecuting attorney.
36	(b) Except as otherwise provided by subsection (a), the following
37	public records shall be excepted from section 3 of this chapter at the
38	discretion of a public agency:
39	(1) Investigatory records of law enforcement agencies or private
40	university police departments. For purposes of this chapter, a law
41	enforcement recording is not an investigatory record. Law
42	enforcement agencies or private university police departments
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1	may share investigatory records with a:
2	(A) person who advocates on behalf of a crime victim,
2 3 4 5	including a victim advocate (as defined in IC 35-37-6-3.5) or
4	a victim service provider (as defined in IC 35-37-6-5), for the
5	purposes of providing services to a victim or describing
6	services that may be available to a victim; and
7	(B) school corporation (as defined by IC 20-18-2-16(a)),
8	charter school (as defined by IC 20-24-1-4), or nonpublic
9	school (as defined by IC 20-18-2-12) for the purpose of
10	enhancing the safety or security of a student or a school
11	facility;
12	without the law enforcement agency or private university police
13	department losing its discretion to keep those records confidential
14	from other records requesters. However, certain law enforcement
15	records must be made available for inspection and copying as
16	provided in section 5 of this chapter.
10	(2) The work product of an attorney representing, pursuant to
18	state employment or an appointment by a public agency:
19	(A) a public agency;
20	(A) a public agency, (B) the state; or
20 21	(C) an individual.
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	(3) Test questions, scoring keys, and other examination data used
23	in administering a licensing examination, examination for
24	employment, or academic examination before the examination is
25	given or if it is to be given again.
26	(4) Scores of tests if the person is identified by name and has not
27	consented to the release of the person's scores.
28	(5) The following:
29	(A) Records relating to negotiations between:
30	(i) the Indiana economic development corporation;
31	(ii) the ports of Indiana;
32	(iii) the Indiana state department of agriculture;
33	(iv) the Indiana finance authority;
34	(v) an economic development commission;
35	(vi) the Indiana White River state park development
36	commission;
37	(vii) a local economic development organization that is a
38	nonprofit corporation established under state law whose
39	primary purpose is the promotion of industrial or business
40	development in Indiana, the retention or expansion of
41	Indiana businesses, or the development of entrepreneurial
42	activities in Indiana; or



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1	(viii) a governing body of a political subdivision;
2	with industrial, research, or commercial prospects, if the
3	records are created while negotiations are in progress.
4	However, this clause does not apply to records regarding
5	research that is prohibited under IC 16-34.5-1-2 or any other
6	law.
7	(B) Notwithstanding clause (A), the terms of the final offer of
8	public financial resources communicated by the Indiana
9	economic development corporation, the ports of Indiana, the
10	Indiana finance authority, an economic development
11	commission, the Indiana White River state park development
12	commission, or a governing body of a political subdivision to
13	an industrial, a research, or a commercial prospect shall be
14	available for inspection and copying under section 3 of this
15	chapter after negotiations with that prospect have terminated.
16	(C) When disclosing a final offer under clause (B), the Indiana
17	economic development corporation shall certify that the
18	information being disclosed accurately and completely
19	represents the terms of the final offer.
20	(D) Notwithstanding clause (A), an incentive agreement with
20	an incentive recipient shall be available for inspection and
22	copying under section 3 of this chapter after the date the
23	incentive recipient and the Indiana economic development
23	corporation execute the incentive agreement regardless of
25	whether negotiations are in progress with the recipient after
26	that date regarding a modification or extension of the incentive
20	agreement.
28	(6) Records that are intra-agency or interagency advisory or
28 29	deliberative material, including material developed by a private
30	contractor under a contract with a public agency, that are
31	expressions of opinion or are of a speculative nature, and that are
32	communicated for the purpose of decision making.
33	(7) Diaries, journals, or other personal notes serving as the
34	functional equivalent of a diary or journal.
35	(8) Personnel files of public employees and files of applicants for
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30 37	public employment, except for:
37 38	(A) the name, compensation, job title, business address,
	business telephone number, job description, education and
39 40	training background, previous work experience, or dates of
40 41	first and last employment of present or former officers or
41 42	employees of the agency; (D) information relation to the status of any formal sharese
42	(B) information relating to the status of any formal charges



1	against the annulayees and
	against the employee; and
2 3	(C) the factual basis for a disciplinary action in which final
	action has been taken and that resulted in the employee being
4 5	suspended, demoted, or discharged.
	However, all personnel file information shall be made available
6	to the affected employee or the employee's representative. This
7	subdivision does not apply to disclosure of personnel information
8	generally on all employees or for groups of employees without the
9	request being particularized by employee name.
10	(9) Minutes or records of hospital medical staff meetings.
11	(10) Administrative or technical information that would
12	jeopardize a record keeping system, voting system, voter
13	registration system, or security system.
14	(11) Computer programs, computer codes, computer filing
15	systems, and other software that are owned by the public agency
16	or entrusted to it and portions of electronic maps entrusted to a
17	public agency by a utility.
18	(12) Records specifically prepared for discussion or developed
19	during discussion in an executive session under IC 5-14-1.5-6.1.
20	However, this subdivision does not apply to that information
21	required to be available for inspection and copying under
22	subdivision (8).
23	(13) The work product of the legislative services agency under
24	personnel rules approved by the legislative council.
25	(14) The work product of individual members and the partisan
26	staffs of the general assembly.
27	(15) The identity of a donor of a gift made to a public agency if:
28	(A) the donor requires nondisclosure of the donor's identity as
29	a condition of making the gift; or
30	(B) after the gift is made, the donor or a member of the donor's
31	family requests nondisclosure.
32	(16) Library or archival records:
33	(A) which can be used to identify any library patron; or
34	(B) deposited with or acquired by a library upon a condition
35	that the records be disclosed only:
36	(i) to qualified researchers;
37	(ii) after the passing of a period of years that is specified in
38	the documents under which the deposit or acquisition is
39	made; or
40	(iii) after the death of persons specified at the time of the
41	acquisition or deposit.
42	However, nothing in this subdivision shall limit or affect contracts



1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	entered into by the Indiana state library pursuant to IC 4-1-6-8. (17) The identity of any person who contacts the bureau of motor vehicles concerning the ability of a driver to operate a motor vehicle safely and the medical records and evaluations made by the bureau of motor vehicles staff or members of the driver licensing medical advisory board regarding the ability of a driver to operate a motor vehicle safely. However, upon written request to the commissioner of the bureau of motor vehicles, the driver must be given copies of the driver's medical records and
10	evaluations.
11	(18) School safety and security measures, plans, and systems,
12	including emergency preparedness plans developed under 511
13	IAC 6.1-2-2.5.
14	(19) A record or a part of a record, the public disclosure of which
15	would have a reasonable likelihood of threatening public safety
16	by exposing a vulnerability to terrorist attack. A record described
17	under this subdivision includes the following:
18	(A) A record assembled, prepared, or maintained to prevent,
19	mitigate, or respond to an act of terrorism under IC 35-47-12-1
20	(before its repeal), an act of agricultural terrorism under
21	IC 35-47-12-2 (before its repeal), or a felony terrorist offense
22	(as defined in IC 35-50-2-18).
23	(B) Vulnerability assessments.
24	(C) Risk planning documents.
25	(D) Needs assessments.
26	(E) Threat assessments.
27	(F) Intelligence assessments.
28	(G) Domestic preparedness strategies.
29	(H) The location of community drinking water wells and
30	surface water intakes.
31	(I) The emergency contact information of emergency
32	responders and volunteers.
33	(J) Infrastructure records that disclose the configuration of
34	critical systems such as voting system and voter registration
35	system critical infrastructure, and communication, electrical,
36	ventilation, water, and wastewater systems.
37	(K) Detailed drawings or specifications of structural elements,
38 39	floor plans, and operating, utility, or security systems, whether in paper or electronic form of any building or facility located
39 40	in paper or electronic form, of any building or facility located
40 41	on an airport (as defined in IC 8-21-1-1) that is owned,
41 42	occupied, leased, or maintained by a public agency, or any part
+ ∠	of a law enforcement recording that captures information



1 2	about airport security procedures, areas, or systems. A record described in this clause may not be released for public
$\frac{2}{3}$	inspection by any public agency without the prior approval of
4	the public agency that owns, occupies, leases, or maintains the
5	airport. Both of the following apply to the public agency that
6	owns, occupies, leases, or maintains the airport:
7	(i) The public agency is responsible for determining whether
8	the public disclosure of a record or a part of a record,
9	including a law enforcement recording, has a reasonable
10	likelihood of threatening public safety by exposing a
10	security procedure, area, system, or vulnerability to terrorist
12	attack.
12	(ii) The public agency must identify a record described
13 14	under item (i) and clearly mark the record as "confidential
15	and not subject to public disclosure under
16	IC 5-14-3-4(b)(19)(J) without approval of (insert name of
10	submitting public agency)". However, in the case of a law
18	enforcement recording, the public agency must clearly mark
19	the record as "confidential and not subject to public
20	disclosure under IC 5-14-3-4(b)(19)(K) without approval of
20	(insert name of the public agency that owns, occupies,
22	leases, or maintains the airport)".
23	(L) The home address, home telephone number, and
24	emergency contact information for any:
25	(i) emergency management worker (as defined in
26	IC 10-14-3-3);
27	(ii) public safety officer (as defined in IC 35-47-4.5-3);
28	(iii) emergency medical responder (as defined in
29	IC 16-18-2-109.8); or
30	(iv) advanced emergency medical technician (as defined in
31	IC 16-18-2-6.5).
32	This subdivision does not apply to a record or portion of a record
33	pertaining to a location or structure owned or protected by a
34	public agency in the event that an act of terrorism under
35	IC 35-47-12-1 (before its repeal), an act of agricultural terrorism
36	under IC 35-47-12-2 (before its repeal), or a felony terrorist
37	offense (as defined in IC 35-50-2-18) has occurred at that location
38	or structure, unless release of the record or portion of the record
39	would have a reasonable likelihood of threatening public safety
40	by exposing a vulnerability of other locations or structures to
41	terrorist attack.
42	(20) The following personal information concerning a customer



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1	of a municipally owned utility (as defined in IC 8-1-2-1):
2	(A) Telephone number.
3	(B) Address.
	(C) Social Security number.
4 5	(21) The following personal information about a complainant
6	contained in records of a law enforcement agency:
7	(A) Telephone number.
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8 9	(B) The complainant's address. However, if the complainant's
9 10	address is the location of the suspected crime, infraction,
	accident, or complaint reported, the address shall be made
11	available for public inspection and copying.
12	(22) Notwithstanding subdivision (8)(A), the name,
13	compensation, job title, business address, business telephone
14	number, job description, education and training background,
15	previous work experience, or dates of first employment of a law
16	enforcement officer who is operating in an undercover capacity.
17	(23) Records requested by an offender, an agent, or a relative of
18	an offender that:
19	(A) contain personal information relating to:
20	(i) a correctional officer (as defined in IC 5-10-10-1.5);
21	(ii) a probation officer;
22	(iii) a community corrections officer;
23	(iv) a law enforcement officer (as defined in
24	IC 35-31.5-2-185);
25	(v) a judge (as defined in IC 33-38-12-3);
26	(vi) the victim of a crime; or
27	(vii) a family member of a correctional officer, probation
28	officer, community corrections officer, law enforcement
29	officer (as defined in IC 35-31.5-2-185), judge (as defined
30	in IC 33-38-12-3), or victim of a crime; or
31	(B) concern or could affect the security of a jail or correctional
32	facility.
33	For purposes of this subdivision, "agent" means a person who is
34	authorized by an offender to act on behalf of, or at the direction
35	of, the offender, and "relative" has the meaning set forth in
36	IC 35-42-2-1(b). However, the term "agent" does not include an
37	attorney in good standing admitted to the practice of law in
38	Indiana.
39	(24) Information concerning an individual less than eighteen (18)
40	years of age who participates in a conference, meeting, program,
41	or activity conducted or supervised by a state educational
42	institution, including the following information regarding the
	inclusion, including are renowing information regulating the



1	individual or the individual's parent or guardian:
2	(A) Name.
$\frac{2}{3}$	(B) Address.
4	(C) Telephone number.
5	(D) Electronic mail account address.
6	(25) Criminal intelligence information.
7	(26) The following information contained in a report of unclaimed
8	property under IC 32-34-1.5-18 or in a claim for unclaimed
9	property under IC 32-34-1.5-48:
10	(A) Date of birth.
11	(B) Driver's license number.
12	(C) Taxpayer identification number.
13	(D) Employer identification number.
14	(E) Account number.
15	(27) Except as provided in subdivision (19) and sections 5.1 and
16	5.2 of this chapter, a law enforcement recording. However, before
17	disclosing the recording, the public agency must comply with the
18	obscuring requirements of sections 5.1 and 5.2 of this chapter, if
19	applicable.
20	(28) Records relating to negotiations between a state educational
21	institution and another entity concerning the establishment of a
22	collaborative relationship or venture to advance the research,
23	engagement, or educational mission of the state educational
24	institution, if the records are created while negotiations are in
25	progress. The terms of the final offer of public financial resources
26	communicated by the state educational institution to an industrial,
27	a research, or a commercial prospect shall be available for
28	inspection and copying under section 3 of this chapter after
29	negotiations with that prospect have terminated. However, this
30	subdivision does not apply to records regarding research
31	prohibited under IC 16-34.5-1-2 or any other law.
32	(29) Records that are available for inspection to an individual
33	who:
34	(A) has access to an operable curriculum portal that meets
35	the requirements described in IC 20-30-17-5; or
36	(B) is provided access to an operable curriculum portal
37	that meets the requirements described in IC 20-30-17-5, in
38	lieu of allowing the person to inspect and copy the public
39	record under section 3 of this chapter.
40	(c) Nothing contained in subsection (b) shall limit or affect the right
41	of a person to inspect and copy a public record required or directed to
42	be made by any statute or by any rule of a public agency.



1 (d) Notwithstanding any other law, a public record that is classified 2 as confidential, other than a record concerning an adoption or patient 3 medical records, shall be made available for inspection and copying 4 seventy-five (75) years after the creation of that record. 5 (e) Only the content of a public record may form the basis for the 6 adoption by any public agency of a rule or procedure creating an exception from disclosure under this section. 7 8 (f) Except as provided by law, a public agency may not adopt a rule 9 or procedure that creates an exception from disclosure under this 10 section based upon whether a public record is stored or accessed using paper, electronic media, magnetic media, optical media, or other 11 12 information storage technology. 13 (g) Except as provided by law, a public agency may not adopt a rule 14 or procedure nor impose any costs or liabilities that impede or restrict 15 the reproduction or dissemination of any public record. 16 (h) Notwithstanding subsection (d) and section 7 of this chapter: (1) public records subject to IC 5-15 may be destroyed only in 17 18 accordance with record retention schedules under IC 5-15; or 19 (2) public records not subject to IC 5-15 may be destroyed in the 20 ordinary course of business. 21 SECTION 2. IC 5-14-4-12 IS AMENDED TO READ AS 22 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 12. The counselor shall 23 submit a report in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6 not later than 24 June 30 of each year to the legislative services agency concerning the 25 activities of the counselor for the previous year. The report must include the following information: 26 27 (1) The total number of inquiries and complaints received. 28 (2) The number of inquiries and complaints received each from 29 the public, the media, and government agencies. 30 (3) The number of inquiries and complaints that were resolved. 31 (4) The number of complaints received about each of the 32 following: 33 (A) State agencies. 34 (B) County agencies. 35 (C) City agencies. (D) Town agencies. 36 37 (E) Township agencies. 38 (F) School corporations, disaggregated by each school 39 corporation. 40 (G) Other local agencies. 41 (5) The number of complaints received concerning each of the 42 following:



1 (A) Public records. 2 (B) Public meetings. 3 (6) The total number of written advisory opinions issued and 4 pending. 5 SECTION 3. IC 20-23-18-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.147-2020, 6 SECTION 4, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 7 JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 3. (a) Except as provided in subsection (c), the 8 Muncie Community School Corporation is subject to all applicable 9 federal and state laws. 10 (b) If a provision of this chapter conflicts with any other law, including IC 20-23-4, the provision in this chapter controls. 11 12 (c) Notwithstanding subsection (a), to provide all administrative and 13 academic flexibility to implement innovative strategies, the Muncie 14 Community School Corporation is subject only to the following IC 20 15 and IC 22 provisions: 16 (1) IC 20-26-5-10 (criminal history). (2) IC 20-26-12.5 (curricular materials advisory committee). 17 18 (3) IC 20-26-21 (personal analysis, evaluations, or surveys by third party vendors). 19 20 (2) (4) IC 20-28-5-8 (conviction of certain felonies; notice and hearing; permanent revocation of license; data base of school 21 22 employees who have been reported). 23 (3) (5) IC 20-28-10-17 (school counselor immunity). 24 (6) IC 20-28-10-20 (prohibited tenets). 25 (4) (7) IC 20-29 (collective bargaining) to the extent required by 26 subsection (e). 27 (5) (8) IC 20-30-3-2 and IC 20-30-3-4 (patriotic commemorative 28 observances). 29 (6) (9) The following: 30 (A) IC 20-30-5-0.5 (display of the United States flag; Pledge 31 of Allegiance). 32 (B) IC 20-30-5-1, IC 20-30-5-2, and IC 20-30-5-3 (the 33 constitutions of Indiana and the United States; writings, documents, and records of American history or heritage). 34 35 (C) IC 20-30-5-4 (system of government; American history). 36 (D) IC 20-30-5-5 (morals instruction). 37 (E) IC 20-30-5-6 (good citizenship instruction). 38 (10) IC 20-30-17 (curriculum portals). 39 (7) (11) IC 20-32-4, concerning graduation requirements. 40 (8) (12) IC 20-32-5.1, concerning the Indiana's Learning 41 Evaluation Assessment Readiness Network (ILEARN) program. 42 (9) (13) IC 20-32-8.5 (IRead3).



1 (14) IC 20-33-1.5 (dignity and nondiscrimination in 2 education). 3 (10) (15) IC 20-33-2 (compulsory school attendance). 4 (11) (16) IC 20-33-8-16 (firearms and deadly weapons). 5 (12) (17) IC 20-33-8-19, IC 20-33-8-21, and IC 20-33-8-22 6 (student due process and judicial review). 7 (13) (18) IC 20-33-7 (parental access to education records). 8 (14) (19) IC 20-33-9 (reporting of student violations of law). 9 (15) (20) IC 20-34-3 (health and safety measures). 10 (16) (21) IC 20-35 (concerning special education). 11 (17) (22) IC 20-39 (accounting and financial reporting 12 procedures). 13 (18) (23) IC 20-40 (government funds and accounts). 14 (19) (24) IC 20-41 (extracurricular funds and accounts). 15 (20) (25) IC 20-42 (fiduciary funds and accounts). 16 (21) (26) IC 20-42.5 (allocation of expenditures to student 17 instruction and learning). 18 (22) (27) IC 20-43 (state tuition support). 19 (23) (28) IC 20-44 (property tax levies). 20 (24) (29) IC 20-46 (levies other than general fund levies). 21 (25) (30) IC 20-47 (related entities; holding companies; lease 22 agreements). 23 (26) (31) IC 20-48 (borrowing and bonds). 24 (27) (32) IC 20-49 (state management of common school funds; 25 state advances and loans). 26 (28) (33) IC 20-50 (concerning homeless children and foster care 27 children). 28 (29) (34) IC 22-2-18, before its expiration on June 30, 2021 29 (limitation on employment of minors). 30 (d) The Muncie Community School Corporation is subject to 31 required audits by the state board of accounts under IC 5-11-1-9. 32 (e) Except to the extent required under a collective bargaining 33 agreement entered into before July 1, 2018, the Muncie Community 34 School Corporation is not subject to IC 20-29 unless the school 35 corporation voluntarily recognizes an exclusive representative under 36 IC 20-29-5-2. If the school corporation voluntarily recognizes an 37 exclusive representative under IC 20-29-5-2, the school corporation 38 may authorize a school within the corporation to opt out of bargaining 39 allowable subjects or discussing discussion items by specifying the 40 excluded items on the notice required under IC 20-29-5-2(b). The 41 notice must be provided to the education employment relations board 42 at the time the notice is posted.



1 SECTION 4. IC 20-26-12-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.233-2015, 2 SECTION 151, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS 3 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 2. (a) A governing body may 4 purchase from a publisher any curricular material selected by the 5 proper local officials. The governing body may rent the curricular 6 materials to students enrolled in any public or nonpublic school that is: 7 (1) in compliance with the minimum certification standards of the 8 state board; and 9 (2) located within the attendance unit served by the governing 10 body. The annual rental rate may not exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the 11 12 retail price of the curricular materials. 13 (b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), the governing body may not 14 assess a rental fee of more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the retail 15 price of curricular materials that have been: 16 (1) extended for usage by students under section $\frac{24(c)}{24(d)}$ of 17 this chapter; and 18 (2) paid for through rental fees previously collected. 19 (c) This section does not limit other laws. 20 SECTION 5. IC 20-26-12-24, AS AMENDED BY P.L.216-2021, 21 SECTION 16, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 22 JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 24. (a) The superintendent, after approval from 23 the governing body, shall establish procedures for adoption of 24 curricular materials. 25 (b) The governing body, after reviewing any recommendations from 26 the superintendent and the curricular materials advisory committee 27 established under IC 20-26-12.5, shall adopt curricular materials for use in teaching each subject in the school corporation. 28 29 (c) A special committee of teachers and parents may also be 30 appointed to review books, magazines, and audiovisual material used 31 or proposed for use in the classroom to supplement state adopted 32 curricular materials and may make recommendations to the 33 superintendent and the governing body concerning the use of these 34 materials. 35 (d) (c) The governing body may, if the governing body considers it 36 appropriate, retain curricular materials adopted under this section and 37 authorize the purchase of supplemental materials to ensure continued 38 alignment with academic standards adopted by the state board. 39 (e) (d) The superintendent, advisory committee, and governing body 40 may consider using the list of curricular materials provided by the

department under IC 20-20-5.5.

(f) (e) A governing body may not purchase curricular materials from



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1	a publisher unless the publisher agrees, in accordance with Sections
2	612(a)(23)(A) and 674(e)(4) of the Individuals with Disabilities
3	Education Improvement Act 2004 (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.), to provide
4	or grant a license to the school corporation to allow for the
5	reproduction of adopted curricular materials in:
6	(1) large type;
7	(2) Braille; and
8	(3) audio format.
9	SECTION 6. IC 20-26-12.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
10	AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
11	JULY 1, 2022]:
12	Chapter 12.5. Curricular Materials Advisory Committee
13	Sec. 1. (a) As used in this chapter, "curricular material" means
14	any material used for student instruction by a school corporation,
15	including the following:
16	(1) Textbooks and other printed materials.
17	(2) Audiovisual materials.
18	(3) Materials in electronic or digital formats, including
19	materials accessible through the Internet.
20	(4) Library materials.
21	(5) Student surveys.
22	(6) A syllabus.
23	(b) The term does not include an academic test or assessment,
24	scoring keys, or other test or assessment data used in administering
25	an academic test or assessment that is directly related to measuring
26	a student's academic performance in understanding a particular
27	curricular subject matter, as prescribed by the department.
28	Sec. 2. (a) As used in this chapter, "educational activity" means
29	a presentation, an assembly, a lecture, or any other educational
30	activity or event that is:
31	(1) organized or facilitated by a public school or school
32	employees, including activities conducted by individuals or
33	organizations that are not associated with the public school;
34	and
35	(2) assigned, distributed, presented, or otherwise made
36	available to students.
37	(b) The term does not include a student presentation.
38	Sec. 3. (a) A governing body of a school corporation shall create
39	a curricular materials advisory committee using procedures
40	established by the governing body for the creation, selection, and
41	appointment of the curricular materials advisory committee. The
42	procedures must provide for the appointment of:



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1	(1) teachers, administrators, and representatives of the
2 3	community; and
3 4	(2) parents of students who are attending a school in the
	school corporation.
5	(b) A governing body shall establish procedures for the
6	curricular materials advisory committee to:
7	(1) have access to all curricular materials and educational
8 9	activities;
9 10	(2) review, at its discretion, curricular materials and
10	educational activities;
11	(3) make recommendations regarding curricular materials
12	and educational activities to the governing body; and
13	(4) present recommendations regarding curricular materials
14	and educational activities at a public hearing of the governing
15	body.
17	(c) A governing body shall post on the school's Internet web site the proposed procedures created in subsections (a) and (b). At least
18	the proposed procedures created in subsections (a) and (b). At least thirty (30) days after the posting of the proposed procedures on the
18	Internet web site, the governing body shall hold a public meeting,
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20 21	at which public comment is heard, to explain the proposed
21	procedures. The governing body may then approve, disapprove, or amend the proposed procedures.
22	Sec. 4. (a) The curricular materials advisory committee shall be
23 24	comprised according to the following requirements:
25	(1) The governing body as a whole shall appoint members to
26	the advisory committee in accordance to the following
20 27	parameters:
28	(A) Except as provided in clause (C), sixty percent (60%)
28 29	parents of students within the school corporation.
30	However, not more than fifty percent (50%) of the parents
31	of students may be employees of the school corporation.
32	(B) Except as provided in clause (C), forty percent (40%)
33	teachers, administrators, or members of the community.
34	However, not more than fifty percent (50%) of the
35	teachers, administrators, or community members that
36	comprise the forty percent (40%) may be administrators.
37	(C) Not more than fifty percent (50%) of the members
38	described in clauses (A) and (B) may be employees of the
39	school corporation.
40	(2) Each member of the governing body shall appoint one (1)
41	individual who is a parent of a student within the school
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1	described in antidivision (1)(A). Nothing in this subdivision
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$\frac{2}{3}$	shall be construed to prohibit the governing body as a whole
3 4	from appointing additional individuals under subdivision
4 5	(1)(A). (b) Marshaus annointed up day subsection (a) shall some a four
	(b) Members appointed under subsection (a) shall serve a four
6	(4) year term. The:
7	(1) governing body, except as provided in subdivision (2), may
8	fill a vacancy for a member appointed under subsection
9	(a)(1); and
10	(2) applicable governing body member may fill a vacancy for
11	an individual described in subsection (a)(2);
12	with a member who will serve a four (4) year term.
13	(c) In recommending and considering candidates, the governing
14	body shall make a reasonable effort to ensure that the committee
15	is representative of a broad range of community interests as
16	determined by the governing body.
17	(d) The committee shall elect a chairperson from the members
18	of the committee. The chairperson must be a parent of a student in
19	the school corporation who has been appointed to the committee.
20	(e) The committee chairperson may create subcommittees to
21	review curricular material subject matters. Subcommittees may
22	recommend curricular materials to the committee for
23	consideration. A subcommittee must be comprised according to the
24	parameters set forth in subsection (a).
25	Sec. 5. (a) The curricular materials advisory committee may, at
26	its discretion, review or evaluate any of the school corporation's
27	curricular materials and educational activities to ensure that the
28	materials and activities are representative of the community's
29	interests and aligned with Indiana academic standards.
30	(b) Before July 1, 2023, the advisory committee shall submit to
31	the governing body written recommendations for a policy or
32	policies that meet or exceed the requirements described in
33	IC 20-30-17 and establish the extent and manner in which
34	curricular materials and educational activities shall be accessible
35	to parents, individuals involved in a student's education who are
36	designated by the student's parent, and other interested
37	community members. The proposed policy or policies must be
38	considered by the governing body at a public meeting.
39	Sec. 6. (a) The governing body may accept, reject, or otherwise
40	modify a recommendation made by the advisory committee.
41	However, prior to the 2023-2024 school year, the governing body,
42	in consultation with the advisory committee, shall adopt a policy



that must meet or exceed the requirements described in IC 20-30-17 and this chapter outlining the extent in which curricular materials and educational activities shall be accessible to parents, individuals involved in a student's education who are designated by the student's parent, and other interested community members. In developing the policy or policies, the governing body shall consider:

(1) the advisory committee's recommendations;

9 (2) how best to maximize the convenience for parents to access 10 curricular materials and educational activities in order to 11 engage the parent in the student's learning; and

(3) the feasibility and resources required to provide maximum 12 13 access to parents, individuals involved in the student's 14 education who are designated by the student's parent, and 15 other interested community members.

16 (b) The school corporation's policy adopted under subsection (a) 17 shall allow a student's parent who requests either:

(1) curricular material; or

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19 (2) available information relating to an educational activity; 20 that is not available on the school corporation's portal established 21 under IC 20-30-17, to access the material or information as soon as 22 practicable but not later than thirty (30) days after the request is 23 made. The parent's request must identify with reasonable 24 particularity the curricular material or available information 25 relating to an educational activity being requested. 26

Sec. 7. A curricular materials advisory committee shall:

27 (1) meet at least two (2) times annually on dates and times 28 established by the chairperson of the committee; and

29 (2) hold at least two (2) public meetings annually, at which 30 public comment is heard, to discuss the committee's review 31 process and findings with the public.

SECTION 7. IC 20-26-21 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]:

Chapter 21. Personal Analysis, Evaluations, or Surveys by **Third Party Vendors**

37 Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "qualified school" has the 38 meaning set forth in IC 20-33-17-4.

Sec. 2. (a) This section does not apply to an academic test or assessment.

41 (b) If a school corporation or qualified school uses a third party 42 vendor in providing a personal analysis, evaluation, or survey that



reveals, identifies, collects, maintains or attempts to affect a student's attitudes, habits, traits, opinions, beliefs, or feelings, the third party vendor and the school corporation or qualified school may not record, collect, or maintain the responses to or results of the analysis, evaluation, or survey in a manner that would identify the responses or results of an individual student.

(c) The department shall develop guidance for educators necessary to implement this section.

Sec. 3. (a) An individual may initiate a civil action against a school corporation, qualified school, or the applicable third party vendor for a violation of the requirements established in section 2 of this chapter. A court may award the following to an individual who prevails under this subsection:

(1) Court costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

15 (2) Actual damages resulting from the violation, not to exceed
16 one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

(3) Declaratory or injunctive relief.

18 (b) If a court renders judgment in favor of a defendant 19 responding to an action brought under this section and the court 20 finds that the plaintiff's suit was frivolous or brought in bad faith, 21 the court shall order reasonable attorney's fees and court costs in 22 favor of the defendant not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). 23 SECTION 8. IC 20-28-3-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.220-2015, 24 SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 25 JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 3. (a) The department shall develop guidelines for 26 use by accredited teacher education institutions and departments in 27 preparing individuals to: 28 (1) teach in various environments; and 29 (2) successfully apply positive classroom behavioral management

(2) successfully apply positive classroom behavioral management strategies and research based alternatives to exclusionary discipline in a manner that serves the diverse learning needs of all students.

(b) The guidelines developed under subsection (a) must include courses and methods that assist individuals in developing cultural competency (as defined in IC 20-31-2-5).

(c) The guidelines prescribed in subsections (a) or (b) shall not violate IC 20-28-10-20 or IC 20-33-1.5.

SECTION 9. IC 20-28-3-3.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.92-2020, SECTION 45, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 3.5. (a) The guidelines developed under section 3 of this chapter must incorporate methods that assist individuals in developing competency in employing approaches to create positive

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2	(1) classroom management strategies;
3	(2) restorative justice;
4	(3) positive behavioral interventions and supports;
5	(4) social and emotional training as described in IC 12-21-5-2,
6	IC 20-19-3-12, and IC 20-26-5-34.2; and
7	(5) conflict resolution.
8	(b) The methods prescribed under this section shall not violate
9	IC 20-28-10-20 or IC 20-33-1.5.
10	SECTION 10. IC 20-28-5-7, AS AMENDED BY P.L.43-2021,
11	SECTION 87, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
12	JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 7. (a) On the written recommendation of the
13	secretary of education, the department may suspend or revoke a license
14	for:
15	(1) immorality;
16	(2) misconduct in office;
17	(3) incompetency; or
18	(4) willful neglect of duty.
19	For each suspension or revocation under this section , the department
20	shall comply with IC 4-21.5-3.
$\frac{1}{21}$	(b) On the written recommendation of the secretary of
22	education, the department may suspend or revoke a license of a
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(1) Being honest and truthful.

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1 (2) Respecting authority.

- 2 (3) Respecting the property of others.
- 3 (4) Always doing the student's personal best.
- 4 (5) Not stealing.
- 6) Possessing the skills (including methods of conflict resolution)
 necessary to live peaceably in society and not resorting to
- 7 violence to settle disputes.
- 8 (7) Taking personal responsibility for obligations to family and 9 community.
- 10 (8) Taking personal responsibility for earning a livelihood.
- 11 (9) Treating others the way the student would want to be treated.
- 12 (10) Respecting the national flag, the Constitution of the United
- 13 States, and the Constitution of the State of Indiana.
- 14 (11) Respecting the student's parents and home.
- 15 (12) Respecting the student's self.
- 16 (13) Respecting the rights of others to have their own views and17 religious beliefs.
- 18 (14) The ideals and values expressed or enumerated in the 19 Constitution of the United States and the economic and 20 political institutions of the United States are better suited to 21 contribute toward human advancement, prosperity, scientific 22 inquiry, and well-being compared to forms of government 23 that conflict with and are incompatible with the principles of
- western political thought upon which the United States wasfounded.
- 26 (15) Individual rights, freedoms, and political suffrage.
- 27 (16) The economic and political institutions which have best
 28 contributed toward human advancement, prosperity,
 29 scientific inquiry, and well-being.
- 30 (c) The department shall:
 - (1) identify; and
 - (2) make available;

models of conflict resolution instruction to school corporations. The
 instruction may consist of a teacher education program that applies the
 techniques to the students in the classroom to assist school corporations
 in complying with this section.

SECTION 13. IC 20-30-5-7.3, AS ADDED BY P.L.39-2021,
SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 7.3. (a) Beginning with students entering grade 6
in the 2023-2024 school year, each school corporation, charter school,
and state accredited nonpublic school shall require each student of the
school corporation, charter school, or state accredited nonpublic school

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1	to successfully complete in grade 6, 7, or 8 one (1) semester of a civics
2	education course.
3	(b) All civics education courses must abide by requirements
4	described in IC 20-33-1.5.
5	SECTION 14. IC 20-30-5-14, AS AMENDED BY P.L.76-2020,
6	SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
7	JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 14. (a) As used in this section, "Indiana career
8	explorer program and standards" refers to the:
9	(1) software or Internet based system approved by the department
10	of workforce development; and
11	(2) standards established by the department of workforce
12	development that are aligned to interdisciplinary employability
13	skills standards prescribed in subsection (c);
14	that provides students with career and college planning resources.
15	(b) To:
16	(1) educate students on the importance of their future career
17	choices;
18	(2) prepare students for the realities inherent in the work
19	environment; and
20	(3) instill in students work values that will enable them to succeed
21	in their respective careers;
22	each school within a school corporation shall include in the school's
23	curriculum for all students in grades 1 through 12 instruction
24	concerning employment matters and work values described in
25	subsection (c).
26	(c) Each school within a school corporation shall include
27	interdisciplinary employability skills standards established by the
28	department, in conjunction with the department of workforce
29	development, and approved by the state board in the school's
30	curriculum.
31	(d) Each school shall:
32	(1) integrate within the curriculum instruction that is; or
33	(2) conduct activities or special events periodically that are;
34	designed to foster overall career awareness and career development as
35	described in subsection (b).
36	(e) The department shall develop career awareness and career
37	development models as described in subsection (f) to assist schools in
38	complying with this section.
39	(f) The models described in this subsection must be developed in
40	accordance with the following:
41	(1) For grades 1 through 5, career awareness models to introduce
42	students to work values and basic employment concepts.



1 (2) For grades 6 through 8, initial career information models that 2 focus on career choices as they relate to student interest and skills. 3 (3) For grades 9 through 12, career exploration models that offer 4 students insight into future employment options and career 5 preparation models that provide job or further education 6 counseling, including the following: 7 (A) Initial job counseling, including the use of job service 8 officers to provide school based assessment, information, and 9 guidance on employment options and the rights of students as 10 employees. (B) Workplace orientation visits. 11 12 (C) On-the-job experience exercises. 13 (g) The department, with assistance from the department of labor 14 and the department of workforce development, shall: 15 (1) develop and make available teacher guides; and 16 (2) conduct seminars or other teacher education activities: to assist teachers in providing the instruction described in this section. 17 18 (h) The department shall, with assistance from the department of 19 workforce development, design and implement innovative career 20 preparation demonstration projects for students in at least grade 9. 21 (i) Each school in a school corporation and each charter school: 22 (1) shall include in the school's curriculum state developed career 23 standards for all students in grade 8 that include instruction in and 24 use of either: 25 (A) the Indiana career explorer program and standards; or 26 (B) an alternative Internet based system and standards that 27 provide students with career and college planning resources 28 that have been approved by the state board under subsection 29 (j); and 30 (2) except as provided in subdivision (1), may include in the 31 school's curriculum state developed career standards for all 32 students in any grade level that include instruction in and use of 33 the program and standards or system and standards described in 34 subdivision (1)(A) or (1)(B). 35 (j) A school corporation or charter school may submit a request to 36 the state board to approve an alternative Internet based system and 37 standards that provide students with career and college planning 38 resources. The state board, in consultation with the department and the 39 department of workforce development, may approve an alternative 40 system and standards if the state board determines that the alternative 41 system: 42 (1) has an aptitude assessment tool;



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1	(2) contains educational course track information;
2 3	(3) has a tool for the preparation and development of the
3	graduation plan prescribed in IC 20-30-4, including a parent sign
4 5	in component;
	(4) allows access to education and career demand information
6	using data prepared by the department of workforce development;
7	and
8	(5) is aligned to interdisciplinary employability skills standards
9	prescribed in subsection (c).
10	(k) Beginning July 1, 2021, the department of workforce
11	development shall implement an Indiana career explorer program that
12	includes software or an Internet based system that does the following:
13	(1) Provides access to education and career demand information
14	using data prepared by the department of workforce development.
15	(2) Provides educational and career assessments or tools that:
16	(A) must include an aptitude and career assessment;
17	(B) are aligned to interdisciplinary employability skills
18	standards prescribed in subsection (c); and
19	(C) may include:
20	(i) educational course track information; and
21	(ii) a tool for the preparation and development of the
22	graduation plan prescribed in IC 20-30-4, including a parent
23	sign in component.
24	(l) Any standards, curriculum, activities, or events developed or
25	administered under this section shall not violate IC 20-33-1.5.
26	SECTION 15. IC 20-30-5-17, AS AMENDED BY P.L.154-2018,
27	SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
28	JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 17. (a) Each school corporation or qualified
29	school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-4) shall make available for
30	inspection by the parent of a student any instructional materials,
31	including teachers' manuals, curricular materials, films or other video
32	materials, tapes, and other materials, used in connection with:
33	(1) a personal analysis, an evaluation, or a survey described in
34	subsection (b); or
35	(2) instruction on human sexuality.
36	(b) A student shall not be required to participate in a personal
37	analysis, an evaluation, or a survey that is not directly related to
38	academic instruction and that reveals or attempts to affect the student's
39	attitudes, habits, traits, opinions, beliefs, or feelings concerning:
40	(1) political affiliations;
41	(2) religious beliefs or practices;
42	(3) mental or psychological conditions that may embarrass the



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1 student or the student's family;

2 (4) sexual behavior or attitudes;

3 (5) illegal, antisocial, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior;

4 (6) critical appraisals of other individuals with whom the student

5 has a close family relationship;

6 (7) legally recognized privileged or confidential relationships,

7 including a relationship with a lawyer, minister, or physician; or
 8 (8) income (except as required by law to determine eligibility for

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without the prior written consent of the student if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor or the prior written consent of the student's parent if the student is an unemancipated minor. A parental consent form for a personal analysis, an evaluation, or a survey described in this subsection shall accurately reflect the contents and nature of the personal analysis, evaluation, or survey.

17 (c) Before a qualified school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-4) may 18 provide a student with instruction on human sexuality, the school must 19 provide the parent of the student or the student, if the student is an 20 adult or an emancipated minor, with a written request for consent of 21 instruction. A consent form provided to a parent of a student or a 22 student under this subsection must accurately summarize the contents 23 and nature of the instruction on human sexuality that will be provided 24 to the student and indicate that a parent of a student or an adult or 25 emancipated minor student has the right to review and inspect all 26 materials related to the instruction on human sexuality. The written 27 consent form may be sent in an electronic format. The parent of the 28 student or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated 29 minor, may return the consent form indicating that the parent of the 30 student or the adult or emancipated student:

(1) consents to the instruction; or

(2) declines instruction.

If a student does not participate in the instruction on human sexuality, the **qualified** school **(as defined in IC 20-30-17-4)** shall provide the student with alternative academic instruction during the same time frame that the instruction on human sexuality is provided.

(d) If the parent of the student or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor, does not respond to the written request provided by the school under subsection (c) within twenty-one (21) calendar days after receiving the request under subsection (c), the **qualified** school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-4) shall provide the parent of the student, or the student, if the student is an adult or an

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1 emancipated minor, a written notice requesting that the parent of the 2 student, or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated 3 minor, indicate, in a manner prescribed by the qualified school (as 4 defined in IC 20-30-17-4), whether the parent of the student or the 5 adult or emancipated student: 6 (1) consents to the instruction; or 7 (2) declines instruction. 8 A notice provided to a parent of a student or a student under this 9 subsection must accurately summarize the contents and nature of the 10 instruction on human sexuality that will be provided to the student and indicate that a parent of a student or an adult or emancipated minor 11 12 student has the right to review and inspect all materials related to the 13 instruction on human sexuality. The notice may be sent in an electronic 14 format. If the qualified school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-4) does not receive a response within ten (10) days after the notice, the student will 15 receive the instruction on human sexuality unless the parent or the 16 17 adult or emancipated student subsequently opts out of the instruction 18 for the student. 19 (e) The department and the governing body shall give parents and 20 students notice of their rights under this section. 21 (f) The governing body shall enforce this section. 22 SECTION 16. IC 20-30-17 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE 23 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 24 JULY 1, 2022]: 25 **Chapter 17. Curriculum Portals** 26 Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "curricular material" has the 27 meaning set forth in IC 20-26-12.5-1. 28 Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "curriculum portal" means the 29 qualified school's: 30 (1) Internet web site; 31 (2) learning management system; or 32 (3) other web page or electronic modality. 33 Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "educational activity" has the 34 meaning set forth in IC 20-26-12.5-2. 35 Sec. 4. As used in this chapter, "qualified school" means the 36 following: 37 (1) A school maintained by a school corporation. 38 (2) A charter school. 39 (3) A laboratory school established under IC 20-24.5-2. 40 (4) The Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired 41 established by IC 20-21-2-1. 42 (5) The Indiana School for the Deaf established by



1	IC 20-22-2-1.
2	Sec. 5. (a) This section applies to a curricular material or an
$\frac{2}{3}$	educational activity at a qualified school that is or is intended to be
4	assigned, distributed, presented, or otherwise made available to:
5	(1) a student in a course or class for which the student
6	receives credit;
7	(2) a student, if use of the curricular material or participation
8	in the educational activity is required by the school
9	corporation or qualified school; or
10	(3) a student, and at least a majority of students in a grade
11	level are expected to use the curricular material or participate
12	in the educational activity.
13	(b) Except as otherwise provided in section 9 of this chapter, not
14	later than August 1, 2023, and not later than August 1 each year
15	thereafter, each qualified school shall post on the qualified school's
16	curriculum portal, in a manner that:
17	(1) is disaggregated by grade level, teacher, and subject area;
18	(2) is accessible to parents, or individuals involved in the
19	student's education who are designated by the parent; or
20	(3) shows bibliographic or other information necessary to:
21	(A) identify specific textbooks, audiovisual, electronic,
22	digital, library, or other learning materials, including the
23	title and the author, organization, or Internet address;
24	(B) provide either the full text or copy of student surveys;
25	and
26	(C) provide course or grade syllabi.
27	(c) A summary of the educational activities described in
28	subsection (a) shall be posted on the qualified school's curriculum
29	portal as far in advance of the use of the activity in the classroom
30	as is practicable.
31	Sec. 6. An individual with information regarding an alleged
32	violation of the requirements established in section 5 of this
33	chapter may present the information to the public access counselor
34	and request an advisory opinion under IC 5-14-4-10 as to whether
35	a school corporation, qualified school, or an employee of the school
36	corporation or qualified school is in compliance with the
37 38	requirements established under section 4 of this chapter.
38 39	Sec. 7. (a) The department shall: (1) develop a model plan for presenting the information
39 40	described in section 5 of this chapter on a qualified school's
40 41	Internet web site; and
42	(2) post the model on the department's Internet web site.
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1 (b) The department may develop or procure and make available 2 to schools a system that meets the requirements described in 3 section 5 of this chapter. 4 Sec. 8. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to require a 5 qualified school to post or distribute a learning material or 6 educational activity in a manner that would constitute an 7 infringement of copyright under the federal Copyright Act, 1017 8 U.S.C. 101 to 1332. 9 SECTION 17. IC 20-31-3-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.242-2017, 10 SECTION 25, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 11 JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 1. (a) The state board shall adopt clear, concise, 12 and jargon free state academic standards that are comparable to 13 national and international academic standards and the college and 14 career readiness educational standards adopted under IC 20-19-2-14.5. 15 These academic standards must be adopted for each grade level from 16 kindergarten through grade 12 for the following subjects: 17 (1) English/language arts. 18 (2) Mathematics. 19 (3) Social studies. 20 (4) Science. 21 (b) For grade levels tested under the statewide assessment program, 22 the academic standards must be based in part on the results of the 23 statewide assessment program. 24 (c) Academic standards adopted under this chapter shall not 25 violate IC 20-33-1.5. 26 SECTION 18. IC 20-31-6-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.246-2005, 27 SECTION 175, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS 28 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 1. (a) The department shall develop 29 and make available to school corporations and nonpublic schools 30 materials that assist teachers, administrators, and staff in a school in 31 developing cultural competency for use in providing professional and 32 staff development programs. 33 (b) The materials developed under subsection (a) shall not 34 violate IC 20-28-10-20 or IC 20-33-1.5. 35 (c) The department shall post all materials developed under 36 subsection (a) on the department's Internet web site. 37 SECTION 19. IC 20-31-6-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.1-2005, 38 SECTION 15, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 39 JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 2. (a) In developing a school's plan, the committee 40 shall consider methods to improve the cultural competency of the 41 school's teachers, administrators, staff, parents, and students.

(b) The committee shall:

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1 (1) identify the racial, ethnic, language-minority, cultural, 2 exceptional learning, and socioeconomic groups that are included 3 in the school's student population; 4 (2) incorporate culturally appropriate strategies for increasing 5 educational opportunities and educational performance for each 6 group in the school's plan; and 7 (3) recommend areas in which additional professional 8 development is necessary to increase cultural competency in the 9 school's educational environment. 10 (c) The committee shall update annually the information identified 11 under subsection (b)(1). 12 (d) The plan or methods developed under this section shall not 13 violate IC 20-28-10-20 or IC 20-33-1.5. 14 SECTION 20. IC 20-33-1.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE 15 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 16 JULY 1, 2022]: 17 Chapter 1.5. Dignity and Nondiscrimination in Education 18 Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "qualified school" has the 19 meaning set forth in IC 20-30-17-4. 20 Sec. 2. (a) In accordance with IC 20-33-1-1, a school corporation 21 or qualified school shall not promote the following concepts as part 22 of a course of instruction or in a curriculum or instructional 23 program, or allow teachers or other employees of the school 24 corporation or qualified school to use supplemental instructional 25 materials to promote the following concepts: 26 (1) That any sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national 27 origin, or political affiliation is inherently superior or inferior 28 to another sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, 29 or political affiliation. 30 (2) That an individual, by virtue of their sex, race, ethnicity, 31 religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation is 32 inherently racist, sexist, or oppressive, whether consciously or 33 unconsciously. 34 (3) That an individual should be discriminated against or 35 receive adverse treatment solely or partly because of the individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national 36 37 origin, or political affiliation. 38 (4) That members of any sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, 39 national origin, or political affiliation should treat others with 40 disrespect due to the other individual's sex, race, ethnicity, 41 religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation. 42 (5) That an individual's moral character is necessarily



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2 3	color, national origin, or political affiliation.
3 4	(6) That an individual, by virtue of the individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political
4 5	affiliation, bears responsibility for actions committed in the
6	past by other members of the same sex, race, ethnicity,
7	religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation.
8	(7) That any individual should feel discomfort, guilt, anguish
9	responsibility, or any other form of psychological distress on
10	account of the individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color,
11	national origin, or political affiliation.
12	(8) That meritocracy or traits such as hard work ethic are
13	racist or sexist, or were created by members of a particular
14	sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political
15	affiliation to oppress members of another sex, race, ethnicity,
16	religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation.
17	(b) If a school corporation or qualified school or an employee of
18	a school corporation or qualified school requires, makes part of a
19	course, awards a grade or course credit, including extra credit, or
20	otherwise incentivizes a student to engage in either:
21	(1) political activism, lobbying, or efforts to persuade
22	members of the legislative or executive branch at the federal,
23	state, or local level; or
24	(2) participation in any internship, practicum, or similar
25	activity involving social or public policy advocacy;
26	the school corporation or qualified school or the employee of the
27	school corporation or qualified school shall not require the student
28	to adopt, affirm, affiliate, or adhere to a particular position on the
29	issue or issues involved.
30	(c) It is the duty of the school corporation, qualified school, or
31	the employee of the school corporation or qualified school to
32	remain impartial in teaching curricular materials or conducting
33	educational activities, including curricular material or activities described in subsections $(h)(1)$ and $(h)(2)$ and the argument that
34	described in subsections $(b)(1)$ and $(b)(2)$, and to ensure that
35	students are free to express their own beliefs and viewpoints
36 37	concerning curricular materials and educational activities including courses of activities described in subsection (b)(1) and
37 38	including courses of activities described in subsection (b)(1) and (b)(2) without discrimination. However, a school corporation or
30 39	qualified school may establish reasonable time, place, or manner
40	restrictions necessary to prevent the material and substantial
40 41	disruption of school activities.
42	(d) It is the duty of the principal and the superintendent to carry
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1 out the day to day enforcement of this chapter. 2 (e) Nothing in this chapter may be construed so as to exclude the 3 teaching of historical injustices committed against any sex, race, 4 ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation or 5 ideals or values that conflict with the Constitution of the United 6 States or IC 20-30-5-7(a)(3). 7 (f) A school corporation or qualified school may not do the 8 following: 9 (1) Provide, contract to provide, offer, or sponsor any course 10 that promotes practices prohibited under this chapter or 11 IC 20-28-10-20. This subdivision includes programs, 12 curricular materials, instructional materials, curriculum, 13 classroom assignments, orientation, interventions, or 14 counseling offered by a state agency (as defined in 15 IC 4-13-1.4-2). 16 (2) Use money, property, assets, or resources for a purpose 17 that promotes practices prohibited under this chapter or 18 IC 20-28-10-20. 19 (3) Adopt programs or use curricular material, instructional 20 material, curriculum, classroom assignments, orientation, 21 interventions, or counseling that promote practices prohibited 22 under this chapter or IC 20-28-10-20. This subdivision 23 includes curricular materials, instructional materials, 24 curriculum, classroom assignments, orientations, 25 interventions, or counseling offered by a state agency (as 26 defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2). 27 (4) Execute a contract or agreement with an internal or 28 external entity or person to provide services, training, 29 professional development, or any other assistance that 30 promotes practices prohibited under this chapter or 31 IC 20-28-10-20. This subdivision includes contracts to provide 32 services, training, professional development, or any other 33 assistance with a state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2). 34 (5) Receive or apply to receive money that requires, as a 35 condition of receipt of the money, the adoption of a course, 36 policy, curriculum, or any other instructional material that 37 promotes practices prohibited under this chapter or 38 IC 20-28-10-20. This subdivision includes money received 39 from a state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2). 40 (f) The department shall develop guidance for educators 41 necessary to implement this section.

42 Sec. 3. (a) The department shall develop a complaint form, in a



1 manner prescribed by the department, to be used by a school 2 employee, parent, or emancipated student to file a complaint with 3 the principal of a qualified school for a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, 4 IC 20-34-3-27, or section 2 of this chapter. The department shall 5 maintain a copy of the complaint form on the department's 6 Internet web site. In addition, each school corporation and 7 qualified school must maintain, and conspicuously display, a link 8 to the complaint form on the school corporation's or qualified 9 school's Internet web site. A complaint filed under this section or 10 an appeal under section 4 of this chapter is confidential and 11 excepted from public disclosure as provided in IC 5-14-3-4.

12 (b) A school employee, parent, or emancipated student may file 13 a complaint with a principal of a qualified school, alleging a 14 violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or section 2 of this 15 chapter. The complaint must be filed within thirty (30) business 16 days of the date the school employee, parent, or emancipated 17 student became aware, or by the exercise of reasonable diligence 18 should have been aware, of the occurrence giving rise to the 19 complaint. The principal shall: 20

(1) investigate the complaint; and

(2) respond to the complaint by:

(A) acknowledging a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or section 2 of this chapter;

24 (B) denying a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or 25 section 2 of this chapter; or

> (C) determining that the evidence obtained during the investigation of the complaint was inconclusive;

within five (5) business days of receiving the complaint. If the principal acknowledges a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or section 2 of this chapter, the principal shall include a description of how the qualified school will remedy the violation.

(c) If a school employee, parent, or emancipated student is not satisfied with the principal's response under subsection (b), the school employee, parent, or emancipated student may submit an appeal of the principal's response to the superintendent of the school corporation, or the equivalent for a qualified school, within ten (10) business days from the date of the principal's initial response. The superintendent, or the equivalent for a qualified school, shall respond to the appeal by:

(1) acknowledging a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or section 2 of this chapter;

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(2) denying a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or

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(3) determining that the evidence of a violation is inconclusive;

within ten (10) business days of the receipt of the appeal.

6 (d) A school employee, parent, or emancipated student may 7 submit a request to review the decision of the superintendent, or 8 the equivalent for a qualified school, under subsection (c) to the 9 governing body of the school corporation or the equivalent for a 10 qualified school. The request to review a decision under subsection 11 (c) must be submitted to the governing body in a manner 12 prescribed by the department. The governing body shall review the 13 request and issue a final order within thirty (30) business days of 14 receipt of the request which shall be included on the school 15 corporation's or qualified school's Internet web site. If the 16 governing body, or the equivalent for a qualified school, 17 determines that a violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or 18 section 2 of this chapter occurred, the governing body shall provide 19 a description of the remedy for the violation.

20 Sec. 4. A school employee, parent, or emancipated student may 21 submit a request to the department to review a governing body's 22 final order under section 3(d) of this chapter. The department shall 23 review the request and issue findings within thirty (30) business 24 days of receipt of the request. If the department determines that a 25 violation of IC 20-28-10-20, IC 20-34-3-27, or section 2 of this 26 chapter occurred, the department shall provide a description of the 27 remedy for the violation which may include the suspension or 28 revocation of a teacher's license under IC 20-28-5-7. 29

Sec. 5. (a) After receiving the department's decision under section 5 of this chapter, an individual may bring a civil action against a school corporation or qualified school pertaining to the alleged violation addressed in the final order. A court may award the following to an individual who prevails under this subsection:

(1) Court costs and reasonable attorney's fees.

(2) Actual damages resulting from the violation, not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

(3) Declaratory or injunctive relief.

(b) A school employee is not responsible for any remedy awarded under subsection (a) to an individual who prevails in a civil action against a school corporation or qualified school that involves the school employee.

(c) If a court renders judgment in favor of a defendant



1 responding to an action brought under this section and the court 2 finds that the plaintiff's suit was frivolous or brought in bad faith, 3 the court shall order reasonable attorney's fees and court costs in 4 favor of the defendant not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000). 5 Sec. 6. The provisions of this chapter are severable as provided 6 in IC 1-1-1-8(b). 7 SECTION 21. IC 20-34-3-27 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA 8 CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS 9 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 27. (a) This section does not apply 10 to transitional services as described in 34 CFR 300.320(b) that are 11 part of a student's individual education program. 12 (b) A licensed psychologist or school psychologist at a qualified 13 school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-4) or an employee of the qualified 14 school may not: 15 (1) provide a student with ongoing or recurring consultation, 16 collaboration, or intervention services for mental, 17 social-emotional, or psychological health issues; or 18 (2) refer a student to community resources for mental, 19 social-emotional, or pyschological health services, 20 without obtaining prior written consent in the manner described 21 in subsection (c) from the student's parent, or the student, if the 22 student is emancipated. 23 (c) A consent form provided to a parent of a student or a student 24 under this section must accurately summarize the contents and 25 nature of the services described in subsection (b) that will be 26 provided to the student and indicate that a parent of a student or 27 an adult or emancipated student has the right to review and inspect 28 all materials related to the services to be provided to the student. 29 The written consent form may be sent in an electronic format. The 30 parent of the student or the student, if the student is an adult or an 31 emancipated minor, may return the consent form indicating that 32 the parent of the student or the adult or emancipated student 33 consents to the provision or administration of services to the 34 student. If the parent of the student or the student, if the student is 35 emancipated, does not respond to the written request provided by 36 the qualified school within twenty-one (21) calendar days after 37 receiving the initial request under this subsection, the qualified 38 school shall provide the parent of the student, or the student, if the 39 student is emancipated, a second written notice requesting that the 40 parent of the student, or the student, if the student is emancipated, 41 indicate, in a manner prescribed by the qualified school, whether 42 the parent of the student or the emancipated student consents to



1 the services described in subsection (b). The second notice must 2 accurately summarize the contents and nature of services that will 3 be provided to the student. The notice may be sent in an electronic 4 format. If the qualified school does not receive a response within 5 ten (10) days after the notice, the qualified school may proceed in 6 providing the student with the services described in subsection (b) 7 unless the parent or the adult or the emancipated student 8 subsequently opts out of the instruction for the student. 9 (d) The governing body shall give parents and students notice of 10 their rights under this section. 11 (e) The governing body shall enforce this section. 12 (f) A school employee, parent, or emancipated student may file 13 a complaint for a violation under this section using the complaint 14 process described in IC 20-33-1.5-3 and IC 20-33-1.5-4. 15 (g) This section may not be construed to require qualified school 16 (as defined in IC 20-30-17-4) to obtain parental consent to identify 17 a potential health issue of a student or to provide an emergency 18 response in a crisis situation in which an intervention or rapid 19 response service is needed to evaluate or stabilize an immediate, 20 medical, behavioral, or mental health condition, or without which, 21 the student is in immediate danger of experiencing abuse or 22 neglect. 23 (h) The department shall develop guidance for educators 24 necessary to implement this section. 25 SECTION 22. IC 24-4-16.4-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.92-2008, 26 SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE 27 JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 2. (a) As used in this chapter, "sexually explicit 28 materials" means a product or service: 29 (1) that is harmful to minors (as described in IC 35-49-2-2), even 30 if the product or service is not intended to be used by or offered 31 to a minor; or 32 (2) that is designed for use in, marketed primarily for, or provides 33 for: 34 (A) the stimulation of the human genital organs; or 35 (B) masochism or a masochistic experience, sadism or a 36 sadistic experience, sexual bondage, or sexual domination. 37 (b) The term does not include: 38 (1) birth control or contraceptive devices; or 39 (2) services, programs, products, or materials provided by a: 40 (A) communications service provider (as defined in 41 IC 8-1-32.6-3); or 42 (B) physician. or



(C) public or nonpublic school.

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2	SECTION 23. IC 35-49-3-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.266-2019,
3	SECTION 16, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
4	JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 4. (a) It is a defense to a prosecution under section
5	3 of this chapter for the defendant to show:
6	(1) that the matter was disseminated or that the performance was
7	performed for legitimate scientific or educational purposes;
8	(2) that the matter was disseminated or displayed to or that the
9	performance was performed before the recipient by a bona fide
10	school, college, university, museum, college library, or public
11	library that qualifies for certain property tax exemptions under
12	IC 6-1.1-10, university library or by an employee of such a
13	school, college, university, museum, college library, or public
14	library university library acting within the scope of the
15	employee's employment;
16	(3) that the defendant had reasonable cause to believe that the
17	minor involved was eighteen (18) years of age or older and that
18	the minor exhibited to the defendant a draft card, driver's license,
19	birth certificate, or other official or apparently official document
20	purporting to establish that the minor was eighteen (18) years of
21	age or older; or
22	(4) that the defendant was a salesclerk, motion picture
23	projectionist, usher, or ticket taker, acting within the scope of the
24	defendant's employment and that the defendant had no financial
25	interest in the place where the defendant was so employed.
26	(b) Except as provided in subsection (c), it is a defense to a
27	prosecution under section 3 of this chapter if all the following apply:
28	(1) A cellular telephone, another wireless or cellular
29	communications device, or a social networking web site was used
30	to disseminate matter to a minor that is harmful to minors.
31	(2) The defendant is not more than four (4) years older or younger
32	than the person who received the matter that is harmful to minors.
33	(3) The relationship between the defendant and the person who
34	received the matter that is harmful to minors was a dating
35	relationship or an ongoing personal relationship. For purposes of
36	this subdivision, the term "ongoing personal relationship" does
37	not include a family relationship.
38	(4) The crime was committed by a person less than twenty-two
39	(22) years of age.
40	(5) The person receiving the matter expressly or implicitly
41	acquiesced in the defendant's conduct.
42	(c) The defense to a prosecution described in subsection (b) does



1	not apply if:
2	(1) the image is disseminated to a person other than the person:
3	(A) who sent the image; or
4	(B) who is depicted in the image; or
5	(2) the dissemination of the image violates:
6	(A) a protective order to prevent domestic or family violence
7	or harassment issued under IC 34-26-5 (or, if the order
8	involved a family or household member, under IC 34-26-2 or
9	IC 34-4-5.1-5 before their repeal);
10	(B) an ex parte protective order issued under IC 34-26-5 (or,
11	if the order involved a family or household member, an
12	emergency order issued under IC 34-26-2 or IC 34-4-5.1
13	before their repeal);
14	(C) a workplace violence restraining order issued under
15	IC 34-26-6;
16	(D) a no contact order in a dispositional decree issued under
17	IC 31-34-20-1, IC 31-37-19-1, or IC 31-37-5-6 (or
18	IC 31-6-4-15.4 or IC 31-6-4-15.9 before their repeal) or an
19	order issued under IC 31-32-13 (or IC 31-6-7-14 before its
20	repeal) that orders the person to refrain from direct or indirect
21	contact with a child in need of services or a delinquent child;
22	(E) a no contact order issued as a condition of pretrial release,
23	including release on bail or personal recognizance, or pretrial
24	diversion, and including a no contact order issued under
25	IC 35-33-8-3.6;
26	(F) a no contact order issued as a condition of probation;
27	(G) a protective order to prevent domestic or family violence
28	issued under IC 31-15-5 (or IC 31-16-5 or IC 31-1-11.5-8.2
29	before their repeal);
30	(H) a protective order to prevent domestic or family violence
31	issued under IC 31-14-16-1 in a paternity action;
32	(I) a no contact order issued under IC 31-34-25 in a child in
33	need of services proceeding or under IC 31-37-25 in a juvenile
34	delinquency proceeding;
35	(J) an order issued in another state that is substantially similar
36	to an order described in clauses (A) through (I);
37	(K) an order that is substantially similar to an order described
38	in clauses (A) through (I) and is issued by an Indian:
39 40	(i) tribe;
40	(ii) band;
41	(iii) pueblo;
42	(iv) nation; or



1	(v) organized group or community, including an Alaska
2	Native village or regional or village corporation as defined
3	in or established under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement
4	Act (43 U.S.C. 1601 et seq.);
5	that is recognized as eligible for the special programs and
6	services provided by the United States to Indians because of
7	their special status as Indians;
8	(L) an order issued under IC 35-33-8-3.2; or
9	(M) an order issued under IC 35-38-1-30.



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill 1134, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 9, delete lines 32 through 34, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(29) Records that are available for inspection to an individual who:

(A) has access to an operable curriculum portal that meets the requirements described in IC 20-30-17-4; or

(B) is provided access to an operable curriculum portal that meets the requirements described in IC 20-30-17-4, in lieu of allowing the person to inspect and copy the public record under section 3 of this chapter.".

Page 10, between lines 41 and 42, begin a new paragraph and insert: "SECTION 3. IC 20-23-18-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.147-2020,

SECTION 4, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 3. (a) Except as provided in subsection (c), the Muncie Community School Corporation is subject to all applicable federal and state laws.

(b) If a provision of this chapter conflicts with any other law, including IC 20-23-4, the provision in this chapter controls.

(c) Notwithstanding subsection (a), to provide all administrative and academic flexibility to implement innovative strategies, the Muncie Community School Corporation is subject only to the following IC 20 and IC 22 provisions:

(1) IC 20-26-5-10 (criminal history).

(2) IC 20-26-12.5 (curricular materials advisory committee).
(3) IC 20-26-21 (personal analysis, evaluations, or surveys by third party vendors).

(2) (4) IC 20-28-5-8 (conviction of certain felonies; notice and hearing; permanent revocation of license; data base of school employees who have been reported).

(3) (5) IC 20-28-10-17 (school counselor immunity).

(6) IC 20-28-10-20 (prohibited tenets).

(4) (7) IC 20-29 (collective bargaining) to the extent required by subsection (e).

(5) (8) IC 20-30-3-2 and IC 20-30-3-4 (patriotic commemorative observances).

(6) (9) The following:

(A) IC 20-30-5-0.5 (display of the United States flag; Pledge of Allegiance).

(B) IC 20-30-5-1, IC 20-30-5-2, and IC 20-30-5-3 (the constitutions of Indiana and the United States; writings, documents, and records of American history or heritage).

(C) IC 20-30-5-4 (system of government; American history).

(D) IC 20-30-5-5 (morals instruction).

(E) IC 20-30-5-6 (good citizenship instruction).

(10) IC 20-30-17 (curriculum portals).

(7) (11) IC 20-32-4, concerning graduation requirements.

(8) (12) IC 20-32-5.1, concerning the Indiana's Learning Evaluation Assessment Readiness Network (ILEARN) program. (9) (13) IC 20-32-8.5 (IRead3).

(14) IC 20-33-1.5 (dignity and nondiscrimination in education).

(10) (15) IC 20-33-2 (compulsory school attendance).

(11) (16) IC 20-33-8-16 (firearms and deadly weapons).

(12) (17) IC 20-33-8-19, IC 20-33-8-21, and IC 20-33-8-22 (student due process and judicial review).

(13) (18) IC 20-33-7 (parental access to education records).

(14) (19) IC 20-33-9 (reporting of student violations of law).

(15) (20) IC 20-34-3 (health and safety measures).

(16) (21) IC 20-35 (concerning special education).

(17) (22) IC 20-39 (accounting and financial reporting procedures).

(18) (23) IC 20-40 (government funds and accounts).

(19) (24) IC 20-41 (extracurricular funds and accounts).

(20) (25) IC 20-42 (fiduciary funds and accounts).

(21) (26) IC 20-42.5 (allocation of expenditures to student instruction and learning).

(22) (27) IC 20-43 (state tuition support).

(23) (28) IC 20-44 (property tax levies).

(24) (29) IC 20-46 (levies other than general fund levies).

(25) (30) IC 20-47 (related entities; holding companies; lease agreements).

(26) (31) IC 20-48 (borrowing and bonds).

(27) (32) IC 20-49 (state management of common school funds; state advances and loans).

(28) (33) IC 20-50 (concerning homeless children and foster care children).

(29) (34) IC 22-2-18, before its expiration on June 30, 2021 (limitation on employment of minors).



(d) The Muncie Community School Corporation is subject to required audits by the state board of accounts under IC 5-11-1-9.

(e) Except to the extent required under a collective bargaining agreement entered into before July 1, 2018, the Muncie Community School Corporation is not subject to IC 20-29 unless the school corporation voluntarily recognizes an exclusive representative under IC 20-29-5-2. If the school corporation voluntarily recognizes an exclusive representative under IC 20-29-5-2, the school corporation may authorize a school within the corporation to opt out of bargaining allowable subjects or discussing discussion items by specifying the excluded items on the notice required under IC 20-29-5-2(b). The notice must be provided to the education employment relations board at the time the notice is posted.".

Page 12, line 21, delete "lesson plan or".

Page 13, line 5, delete "review" and insert "review, at its discretion,".

Page 13, delete lines 18 through 25, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"Sec. 4. (a) The curricular materials advisory committee shall be comprised according to the following parameters:

(1) Except as provided in subdivision (3), sixty percent (60%) parents of students within the school corporation. However, not more than fifty percent (50%) of the parents of students may be employees of the school corporation.

(2) Except as provided in subdivision (3), forty percent (40%) teachers, administrators, or members of the community. However, not more than fifty percent (50%) of the teachers, administrators, or community members that comprise the forty percent (40%) may be administrators.

(3) Not more than fifty percent (50%) of the members described in subdivisions (1) and (2) may be employees of the school corporation.".

Page 13, line 27, after "committee." insert "Members appointed under subsection (a) shall serve a four (4) year term. The governing body may fill a vacancy on the committee with a member who will serve a four (4) year term.".

Page 13, line 29, delete "attempt" and insert "make a reasonable effort".

Page 14, line 3, delete "Except as otherwise provided by law, the" and insert "The".

Page 14, line 7, delete "committee." and insert "**committee**, **unless** otherwise provided by law.



Sec. 6. The governing body may accept, reject, or otherwise modify a recommendation made by the committee.".

Page 14, line 8, delete "6." and insert "7.".

Page 15, line 39, delete "licenced" and insert "licensed".

Page 15, line 40, delete "for a violation of" and insert "if the individual willfully or wantonly violates".

Page 16, line 6, delete "acting in an official capacity".

Page 16, delete lines 21 through 24, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(4) That members of any sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation should treat others with disrespect due to the other individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation.".

Page 17, line 3, after "that" insert "violates subsection (a)(1) through (a)(8).".

Page 17, delete lines 4 through 6.

Page 17, between lines 10 and 11, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 11. IC 20-30-5-6, AS AMENDED BY P.L.246-2005, SECTION 170, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2022]: Sec. 6. (a) This section applies only to public schools.

(b) As used in this section, "good citizenship instruction" means integrating instruction into the current curriculum that stresses the nature and importance of the following:

(1) Being honest and truthful.

(2) Respecting authority.

(3) Respecting the property of others.

(4) Always doing the student's personal best.

(5) Not stealing.

(6) Possessing the skills (including methods of conflict resolution) necessary to live peaceably in society and not resorting to violence to settle disputes.

(7) Taking personal responsibility for obligations to family and community.

(8) Taking personal responsibility for earning a livelihood.

(9) Treating others the way the student would want to be treated.

(10) Respecting the national flag, the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Indiana.

(11) Respecting the student's parents and home.

(12) Respecting the student's self.

(13) Respecting the rights of others to have their own views and religious beliefs.



(14) The ideals and values expressed or enumerated in the Constitution of the United States compared to forms of government that conflict with and are incompatible with the principles of western political thought upon which the United States was founded.

(15) Individual rights, freedoms, and political suffrage.

(16) The economic and political institutions which have best contributed toward human advancement, prosperity, scientific inquiry, and well-being.

(c) The department shall:

(1) identify; and

(2) make available;

models of conflict resolution instruction to school corporations. The instruction may consist of a teacher education program that applies the techniques to the students in the classroom to assist school corporations in complying with this section.".

Page 20, line 2, delete "laboratory" and insert "qualified school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-3)".

Page 20, line 3, delete "school established under IC 20-24.5-2,".

Page 21, line 18, delete "qualfied" and insert "qualified".

Page 22, line 27, after "(b)" delete "Not" and insert "Except as otherwise provided in section 8 of this chapter, not".

Page 22, line 36, delete "qualifed" and insert "qualified".

Page 24, between lines 3 and 4, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"Sec. 8. A qualified school at which parents of enrolled students or emancipated students have access to an electronic or virtual school platform that provides access to all curriculum and educational activities for the applicable student to the parent and an individual involved in the student's education who is designated by the parent (not to exceed four (4) individuals) satisfies the requirements described in section 4(b) of this chapter.".

Page 25, line 17, delete "include or".

Page 25, line 20, delete ", acting in their official capacity,".

Page 25, line 21, delete "include or".

Page 25, delete lines 35 through 38, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(4) That members of any sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation should treat others with disrespect due to the other individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation.".

Page 27, line 2, delete "affiliation." and insert "affiliation or ideals or values that conflict with the Constitution of the United States.".



Page 27, line 39, after "chapter." insert "The complaint must be filed within thirty (30) business days of the date the school employee, parent, or emancipated student became aware, or by the

exercise of reasonable diligence should have been aware, of the occurrence giving rise to the complaint.".

Page 28, line 6, after "(5)" insert "business".

Page 28, line 32, after "(30)" insert "business".

Page 28, line 42, after "(30)" insert "business".

Page 29, line 19, after "(a)" insert "This section does not apply to transitional services as described in 34 CFR 300.32(b) that are part of a student's individual education program.

(b)".

Page 29, line 19, after "A" insert "licensed psychologist or school psychologist at a".

Page 29, line 20, after "IC 20-30-17-3)" insert "or an employee of the qualified school".

Page 29, line 27, delete "(b)" and insert "(c)".

Page 29, line 29, delete "(b)" and insert "(c)".

Page 29, line 31, delete "(a)" and insert "(b)".

Page 29, line 40, after "IC 20-30-17-3)" insert "or an employee of the qualified school".

Page 29, line 41, delete "(a)" and insert "(b)".

Page 30, line 2, delete "(c)" and insert "(d)".

Page 30, line 4, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)".

Page 30, line 5, delete "(e)" and insert "(f)".

Page 30, line 8, delete "(f)" and insert "(g)".

Page 30, line 11, delete "situation." and insert "situation in which an intervention or rapid response service is needed to evaluate or stabilize an immediate, medical, behavioral, or mental health condition, or without which, the student is in immediate danger of experiencing abuse or neglect.".

Page 30, line 18, delete "include or".

Page 30, line 21, delete ", acting in their official capacity,".

Page 30, line 22, delete "include or".

Page 30, delete lines 36 through 39, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(4) That members of any sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation should treat others with disrespect due to the other individual's sex, race, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin, or political affiliation.".

Page 31, line 24, after "political" insert "affiliation or ideals or values that conflict with the Constitution of the United States.".



Page 31, delete line 25. Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1134 as introduced.)

BEHNING

Committee Vote: yeas 8, nays 5.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1134 be amended to read as follows:

Page 9, line 35, delete "IC 20-30-17-4;" and insert "IC 20-30-17-5;".

Page 9, line 37, delete "IC 20-30-17-4," and insert "IC 20-30-17-5,".

Page 14, delete lines 28 through 33, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"Sec. 2. (a) As used in this chapter, "educational activity" means a presentation, an assembly, a lecture, or any other educational activity or event that is:

(1) organized or facilitated by a public school or school employees, including activities conducted by individuals or organizations that are not associated with the public school; and

(2) assigned, distributed, presented, or otherwise made available to students.".

Page 15, delete lines 20 through 38, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"Sec. 4. (a) The curricular materials advisory committee shall be comprised according to the following requirements:

(1) The governing body as a whole shall appoint members to the advisory committee in accordance to the following parameters:

(A) Except as provided in clause (C), sixty percent (60%) parents of students within the school corporation. However, not more than fifty percent (50%) of the parents of students may be employees of the school corporation.

(B) Except as provided in clause (C), forty percent (40%)



teachers, administrators, or members of the community. However, not more than fifty percent (50%) of the teachers, administrators, or community members that comprise the forty percent (40%) may be administrators. (C) Not more than fifty percent (50%) of the members described in clauses (A) and (B) may be employees of the school corporation.

(2) Each member of the governing body shall appoint one (1) individual who is a parent of a student within the school corporation who should be included in the parameter described in subdivision (1)(A). Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to prohibit the governing body as a whole from appointing additional individuals under subdivision (1)(A).

(b) Members appointed under subsection (a) shall serve a four (4) year term. The:

(1) governing body, except as provided in subdivision (2), may fill a vacancy for a member appointed under subsection (a)(1); and

(2) applicable governing body member may fill a vacancy for an individual described in subsection (a)(2);

with a member who will serve a four (4) year term.".

Page 16, line 9, delete "shall" and insert "may, at its discretion, review or evaluate any of".

Page 16, line 10, delete "review and evaluate".

Page 16, delete lines 14 through 20, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) Before July 1, 2023, the advisory committee shall submit to the governing body written recommendations for a policy or policies that meet or exceed the requirements described in IC 20-30-17 and establish the extent and manner in which curricular materials and educational activities shall be accessible to parents, individuals involved in a student's education who are designated by the student's parent, and other interested community members. The proposed policy or policies must be considered by the governing body at a public meeting.

Sec. 6. (a) The governing body may accept, reject, or otherwise modify a recommendation made by the advisory committee. However, prior to the 2023-2024 school year, the governing body, in consultation with the advisory committee, shall adopt a policy that must meet or exceed the requirements described in IC 20-30-17 and this chapter outlining the extent in which



curricular materials and educational activities shall be accessible to parents, individuals involved in a student's education who are designated by the student's parent, and other interested community members. In developing the policy or policies, the governing body shall consider:

(1) the advisory committee's recommendations;

(2) how best to maximize the convenience for parents to access curricular materials and educational activities in order to engage the parent in the student's learning; and

(3) the feasibility and resources required to provide maximum access to parents, individuals involved in the student's education who are designated by the student's parent, and other interested community members.

(b) The school corporation's policy adopted under subsection (a) shall allow a student's parent who requests either:

(1) curricular material; or

(2) available information relating to an educational activity; that is not available on the school corporation's portal established under IC 20-30-17, to access the material or information as soon as practicable but not later than thirty (30) days after the request is made. The parent's request must identify with reasonable particularity the curricular material or available information relating to an educational activity being requested.".

Page 16, line 33, delete "IC 20-30-17-3." and insert "IC 20-33-17-4.".

Page 17, between lines 1 and 2, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(c) The department shall develop guidance for educators necessary to implement this section.".

Page 17, line 2, after "3." insert "(a)".

Page 17, line 8, delete "violation." and insert "violation, not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).".

Page 17, between lines 9 and 10, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) If a court renders judgment in favor of a defendant responding to an action brought under this section and the court finds that the plaintiff's suit was frivolous or brought in bad faith, the court shall order reasonable attorney's fees and court costs in favor of the defendant not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).".

Page 18, line 16, delete "state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2),".

Page 18, line 17, delete "corporation," and insert "corporation".

Page 18, line 17, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC



20-30-17-4)".

Page 18, line 18, delete "state agency, school corporation," and insert "school corporation".

Page 19, line 13, delete "state agency, school corporation," and insert "school corporation".

Page 19, between lines 18 and 19, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(d) The department shall develop guidance for educators necessary to implement this section.".

Page 19, line 19, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)".

Page 20, line 5, after "States" insert "and the economic and political institutions of the United States are better suited to contribute toward human advancement, prosperity, scientific inquiry, and well-being".

Page 23, line 12, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 23, line 38, delete "The consent".

Page 23, delete lines 39 through 40.

Page 23, line 41, delete "manner described in IC 20-30-17-4(e).".

Page 24, line 3, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 24, line 20, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 24, line 27, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 24, line 32, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)," and insert "IC 20-30-17-4),".

Page 24, line 42, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 25, between lines 13 and 14, begin a new paragraph and insert: "Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "curriculum portal" means the

qualified school's:

(1) Internet web site;

(2) learning management system; or

(3) other web page or electronic modality.".

Page 25, line 14, delete "2." and insert "3.".

Page 25, line 16, delete "3." and insert "4.".

Page 25, line 25, delete "4." and insert "5.".

Page 25, line 27, delete "or otherwise presented to:" and insert "presented, or otherwise made available to:"

Page 25, line 36, delete "8" and insert "9".

Page 25, line 37, delete "June 30, 2023, and not later than June 30" and insert "August 1, 2023, and not later than August 1".



Page 25, line 39, delete "Internet web site," and insert "**curriculum portal,**".

Page 25, line 39, delete "accessible to parents of students who" and insert "that:

(1) is disaggregated by grade level, teacher, and subject area;

(2) is accessible to parents, or individuals involved in the student's education who are designated by the parent; or

(3) shows bibliographic or other information necessary to:

(A) identify specific textbooks, audiovisual, electronic, digital, library, or other learning materials, including the title and the author, organization, or Internet address;

(B) provide either the full text or copy of student surveys; and

(C) provide course or grade syllabi.".

Page 25, delete lines 40 through 42.

Page 26, delete lines 1 through 19.

Page 26, line 20, delete "(d)" and insert "(c)".

Page 26, line 21, delete "Internet web" and insert "curriculum portal".

Page 26, line 22, delete "site".

Page 26, line 23, delete "In the event that a qualified school is unable to post".

Page 26, delete lines 24 through 40.

Page 26, line 42, delete "4" and insert "5".

Page 27, line 8, delete "4" and insert "5".

Page 27, line 13, delete "4" and insert "5".

Page 27, between lines 13 and 14, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"Sec. 8. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to require a qualified school to post or distribute a learning material or educational activity in a manner that would constitute an infringement of copyright under the federal Copyright Act, 1017 U.S.C. 101 to 1332.".

Page 27, delete lines 14 through 20.

Page 28, line 31, delete "IC 20-30-17-3." and insert "IC 20-30-17-4.".

Page 28, line 32, delete "state agency (as".

Page 28, line 33, delete "defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2), school corporation," and insert "school corporation".

Page 28, line 37, delete "that" and insert "to".

Page 29, line 30, delete "state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2),".

Page 29, line 31, delete "corporation," and insert "corporation".



Page 29, line 31, delete "state agency,".

Page 29, line 32, delete "corporation," and insert "corporation".

Page 29, line 40, delete "state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2),".

Page 29, line 40, delete "corporation," and insert "corporation".

Page 29, line 41, delete "state agency,".

Page 29, line 42, delete "corporation," and insert "corporation".

Page 30, line 1, delete "or take any action that would result in" and insert "or adhere to a particular position on the issue or issues involved.".

Page 30, delete line 2.

Page 30, line 3, delete "state agency,".

Page 30, line 4, delete "state agency (as defined in".

Page 30, line 5, delete "IC 4-13-1.4-2, school corporation," and insert "school corporation".

Page 30, between lines 15 and 16, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(d) It is the duty of the principal and the superintendent to carry out the day to day enforcement of this chapter.".

Page 30, line 16, delete "(d)" and insert "(e)".

Page 30, line 20, delete "States." and insert "States or IC 20-30-5-7(a)(3).".

Page 30, line 21, delete "(e)" and insert "(f)".

Page 30, line 24, delete "includes, incorporates, or is based on" and insert "**promotes**".

Page 30, line 25, after "IC 20-28-10-20." insert "This subdivision includes programs, curricular materials, instructional materials, curriculum, classroom assignments, orientation, interventions, or counseling offered by a state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2).".

Page 30, line 27, delete "includes, incorporates, or is based on" and insert "**promotes**".

Page 30, line 31, delete "include, incorporate, or are" and insert "**promote**".

Page 30, line 32, delete "based on".

Page 30, line 33, after "IC 20-28-10-20." insert "This subdivision includes curricular materials, instructional materials, curriculum, classroom assignments, orientations, interventions, or counseling offered by a state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2).".

Page 30, line 37, delete "includes or incorporates" and insert "**promotes**".

Page 30, line 38, after "IC 20-28-10-20." insert "This subdivision includes contracts to provide services, training, professional development, or any other assistance with a state agency (as



defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2).".

Page 30, line 42, delete "includes, incorporates, or is based on" and insert "**promotes**".

Page 31, line 1, after "IC 20-28-10-20." insert "This subdivision includes money received from a state agency (as defined in IC 4-13-1.4-2).".

Page 31, between lines 1 and 2, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(f) The department shall develop guidance for educators necessary to implement this section.".

Page 31, line 11, after "site." insert "A complaint filed under this section or an appeal under section 4 of this chapter is confidential and excepted from public disclosure as provided in IC 5-14-3-4.".

Page 32, line 22, delete "chapter," and insert "chapter.".

Page 32, line 29, after "5." insert "(a)".

Page 32, line 31, delete "state agency,".

Page 32, line 31, delete "corporation," and insert "corporation".

Page 32, line 36, delete "violation." and insert "violation, not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).".

Page 32, between lines 37 and 38, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) A school employee is not responsible for any remedy awarded under subsection (a) to an individual who prevails in a civil action against a school corporation or qualified school that involves the school employee.

(c) If a court renders judgment in favor of a defendant responding to an action brought under this section and the court finds that the plaintiff's suit was frivolous or brought in bad faith, the court shall order reasonable attorney's fees and court costs in favor of the defendant not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).".

Page 33, line 1, delete "300.32(b)" and insert "300.320(b)".

Page 33, line 4, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 33, line 25, delete "The qualified school (as defined in IC 20-30-17-3) or an" and insert "If the parent of the student or the student, if the student is emancipated, does not respond to the written request provided by the qualified school within twenty-one (21) calendar days after receiving the initial request under this subsection, the qualified school shall provide the parent of the student, or the student, if the student is emancipated, a second written notice requesting that the parent of the student, or the student is emancipated, indicate, in a manner prescribed by the qualified school, whether the parent of the



student or the emancipated student consents to the services described in subsection (b). The second notice must accurately summarize the contents and nature of services that will be provided to the student. The notice may be sent in an electronic format. If the qualified school does not receive a response within ten (10) days after the notice, the qualified school may proceed in providing the student with the services described in subsection (b) unless the parent or the adult or the emancipated student subsequently opts out of the instruction for the student.".

Page 33, delete lines 26 through 29.

Page 33, line 37, delete "IC 20-30-17-3)" and insert "IC 20-30-17-4)".

Page 34, between lines 1 and 2, begin a new paragraph and insert: "(h) The department shall develop guidance for educators

necessary to implement this section.". Page 34, delete lines 2 through 42.

Page 35, delete lines 1 through 27.

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1134 as printed January 13, 2022.)

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