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**ENGROSSED**  
**SENATE BILL No. 372**

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DIGEST OF SB 372 (Updated April 9, 2013 8:59 am - DI 116)

**Citations Affected:** Noncode.

**Synopsis:** Youth athletic health issues. Establishes the coaching education issues study committee during the 2013 legislative interim and sets forth the committee's duties. Makes conforming changes.

**Effective:** Upon passage.

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Landske**

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January 8, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

February 14, 2013, amended, reported favorably — Do Pass.

February 18, 2013, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.

February 19, 2013, engrossed.

February 21, 2013, read third time, passed. Yeas 47, nays 1.

HOUSE ACTION

March 12, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.

April 9, 2013, amended, reported — Do Pass.

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First Regular Session 118th General Assembly (2013)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2012 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

## ENGROSSED SENATE BILL No. 372

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning health.

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

1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) **As used in this**  
2 **SECTION, "committee" refers to the coaching education issues**  
3 **study committee established under subsection (b).**

4 (b) **The legislative council shall, under IC 2-5-1.1-5(a)(2),**  
5 **establish an interim study committee to be known as the coaching**  
6 **education issues study committee. The committee shall do the**  
7 **following:**

8 (1) **Study the feasibility of requiring all athletic activities, in**  
9 **addition to football, to meet coaching education standards**  
10 **concerning athlete concussions.**

11 (2) **Study issues relating to the sudden cardiac arrest of**  
12 **student athletes, including:**

13 (A) **the necessity to educate coaches, parents, and school**  
14 **employees of the symptoms or signs that a student athlete**  
15 **may require medical attention;**

16 (B) **the responsibilities of coaching staff to prevent a**  
17 **student athlete from participating in a practice or sporting**

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1                   event if the student athlete is suspected of experiencing a  
2                   symptom of sudden cardiac arrest; and  
3                   (C) the necessity of legislation to minimize the risk to  
4                   student athletes of sudden cardiac arrest.  
5                   (3) Study any additional topics the legislative council  
6                   considers necessary.  
7                   (c) The committee shall operate under the policies governing  
8                   study committees adopted by the legislative council. The committee  
9                   shall submit a final report to the legislative council and the  
10                  governor. The report submitted to the legislative council must be  
11                  in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6.  
12                  (d) This SECTION expires December 31, 2013.  
13                  SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.

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## COMMITTEE REPORT

Madam President: The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 372, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

Page 1, line 16, delete "adopt" and insert "**post on the state department's Internet website**".

Page 1, line 16, after "guidelines" insert "**created by the department of education**".

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 13.

Page 2, line 14, delete "(g)" and insert "**(f)**".

Page 2, line 32, delete "permits use" and insert "**any nonprofit or for-profit entity that uses school property**".

Page 2, line 33, delete "of the entity's facilities".

Page 3, line 13, reset in roman "Each".

Page 3, line 13, delete "Beginning April 1, 2014, each".

Page 4, line 8, delete "an athletic activity for athletes," and insert "**football,**".

Page 4, line 8, after "head" insert "**football**".

Page 4, line 9, after "assistant" insert "**football**".

Page 4, delete lines 22 through 23.

Page 4, line 29, delete "primarily".

Page 5, after line 4, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 10. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] **(a) As used in this SECTION, "committee" refers to the coaching education issues study committee established under subsection (b).**

**(b) The legislative council shall, under IC 2-5-1.1-5(a)(2), establish an interim study committee to be known as the coaching education issues study committee. The committee shall do the following:**

**(1) Study the feasibility of requiring all athletic activities, in addition to football, to meet the coaching education standards concerning athlete concussions established for football in IC 20-34-7-6, as added by this act, as soon as April 1, 2015.**

**(2) Study any additional topics the legislative council considers necessary.**

**(c) The committee shall operate under the policies governing study committees adopted by the legislative council. The committee shall submit a final report to the legislative council and the governor.**

**(d) This SECTION expires December 31, 2013.**

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**SECTION 11. An emergency is declared for this act."**

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 372 as introduced.)

MILLER PATRICIA, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0.

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SENATE MOTION

Madam President: I move that Senate Bill 372 be amended to read as follows:

Page 2, line 19, delete "nineteen (19)" and insert "**twenty (20)**".

Page 4, line 25, delete "volunteer".

Page 4, line 25, delete "subsection (a)" and insert "**this section**".

Page 4, line 30, delete "volunteer".

Page 5, line 15, after "governor." insert "**The report submitted to the legislative council must be in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6.**".

(Reference is to SB 372 as printed February 15, 2013.)

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill 372, 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:

Delete the title and insert the following:

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning health.

Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17.

Delete pages 2 through 3.

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 40.

Page 5, line 7, delete "the".

Page 5, line 8, delete "established for football in" and insert ".".

Page 5, delete line 9.

Page 5, between lines 9 and 10, begin a new line block indented and



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insert:

**"(2) Study issues relating to the sudden cardiac arrest of student athletes, including:**

**(A) the necessity to educate coaches, parents, and school employees of the symptoms or signs that a student athlete may require medical attention;**

**(B) the responsibilities of coaching staff to prevent a student athlete from participating in a practice or sporting event if the student athlete is suspected of experiencing a symptom of sudden cardiac arrest; and**

**(C) the necessity of legislation to minimize the risk to student athletes of sudden cardiac arrest."**

Page 5, line 10, delete "(2)" and insert "(3)".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 372 as reprinted February 19, 2013.)

BEHNING, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 0.

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