SENATE BILL No. 160

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-26-2-1.5.

Synopsis: School employee background checks. Provides that an "expanded criminal history check", for purposes of education law, requires a national criminal history background check. Eliminates other types of permissible record searches under current law.

Effective: July 1, 2013.

Wyss, Arnold

January 7, 2013, read first time and referred to Committee on Corrections & Criminal Law.

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Introduced

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.

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

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

SECTION 1. IC 20-26-2-1.5, AS ADDED BY P.L.121-2009, SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2013]: Sec. 1.5. "Expanded criminal history check" means a criminal history background check of an individual that includes

~~(1) a:~~

~~(A) search of the records maintained by all counties in Indiana in which the individual who is the subject of the background check resided;~~

~~(B) search of the records maintained by all counties or similar governmental units in another state, if the individual who is the subject of the background check resided in another state; and~~

~~(C) check of:~~

~~(i) sex offender registries in all fifty (50) states; or~~

~~(ii) the national sex offender registry maintained by the United States Department of Justice; or~~

~~(2)~~ a:

~~(A)~~ **(1)** national criminal history background check (as defined in IC 10-13-3-12); and

~~(B)~~ **(2)** check of:

~~(i)~~ **(A)** sex offender registries in all fifty (50) states; or

~~(ii)~~ **(B)** the national sex offender registry maintained by the United States Department of Justice.

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